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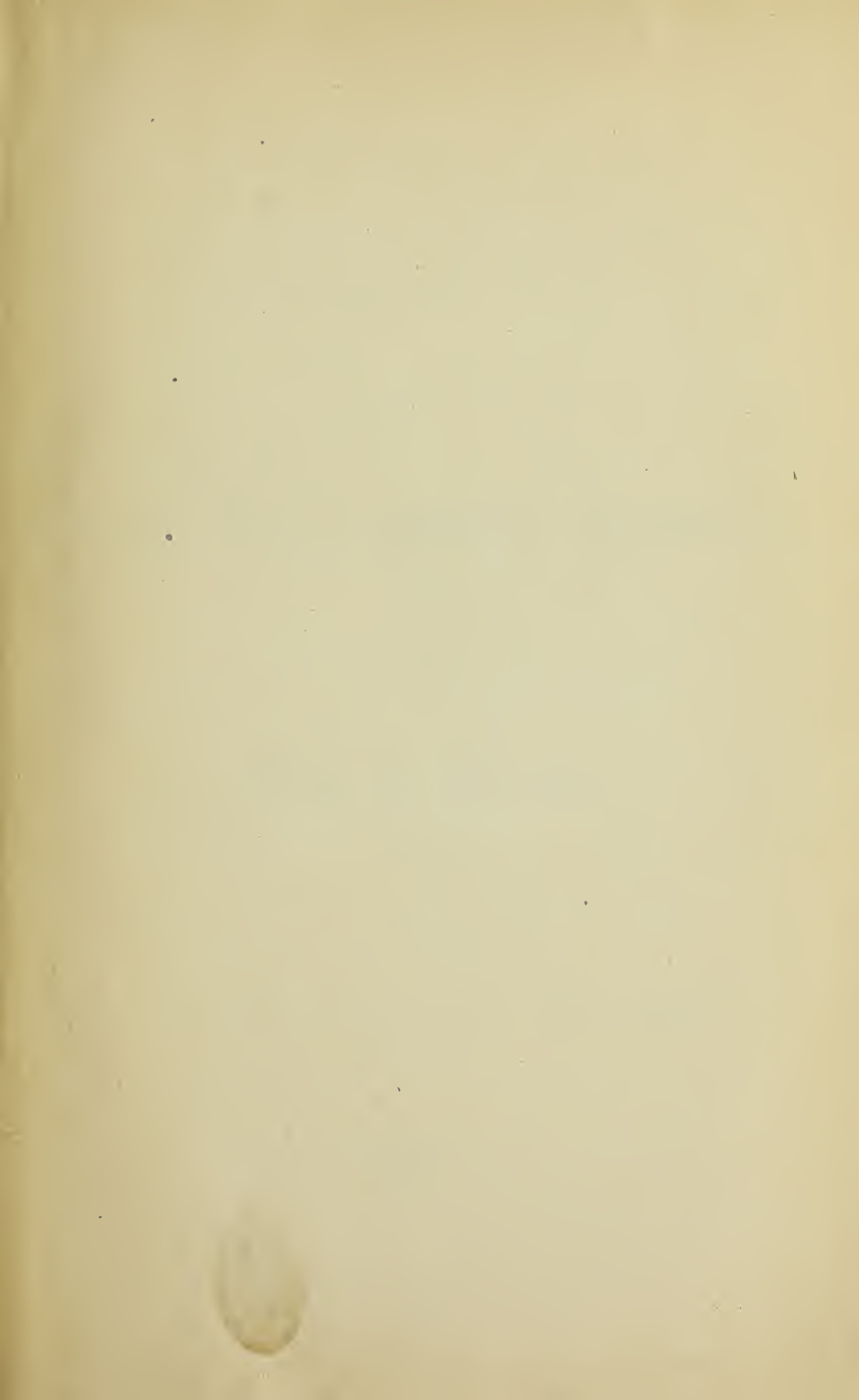
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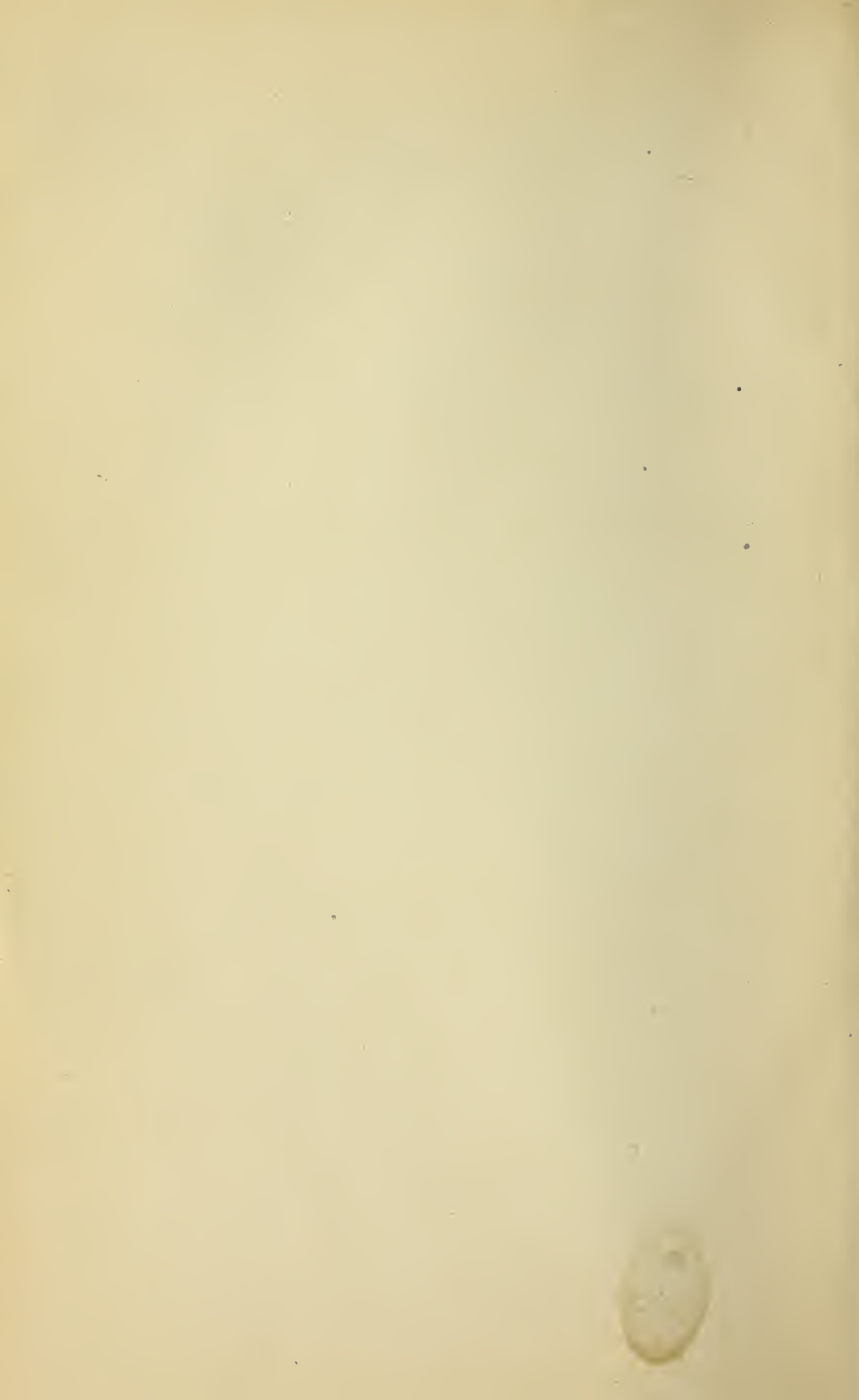
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OF THE

Forty-Third General Assembly

OF THE

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OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

President,

Lieutenant Governor, WILLIAM A. NORTHCOTT, of Greenville.

President Pro Tempore,

JOHN C. MCKENZIE, of Elizabeth.

Secretary,

JAMES H. PADDOCK, of Springfield.

Assistants,

EVERETT W. OSGOOD, of Winnetka; JULIUS JOHNSON, of Lynn.

Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk,

OSCAR A. CARLSON, of St. Charles.

Assistants,

HENRY FROEBE, of Pekin; PETER WERNER, of Peoria.

Sergeant-at-Arms,

EDWIN HARLAN, of Marshall.

Assistants,

J. ALBIN, of Heyworth; G. W. GREENFIELD, of Sandwich.

Postmaster,

MRS. IDA M. BACON, of Aurora.

Assistant,

MISS LUCY M. LONG, of Alton.

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OF THE
FORTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE
STATE OF ILLINOIS.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, A. D., 1903.

At a session of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, begun and held in the City of Springfield, on Wednesday, the seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, being the Wednesday after the first Monday in January, it being the first session of the Forty-third General Assembly, Honorable William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate, appeared at 12:00 o'clock m. and called the Senate to order.

Prayer by the Rev. A. G. Goodspeed.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following resolution which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1.

Resolved, That the following persons are hereby declared elected as temporary officers of the Senate, viz:

For Secretary—James H. Paddock.

For Sergeant-at-Arms—Edwin Harlan.

By direction of the President of the Senate, the roll of the Senators holding over was then called, when the following answered to their names:

District.	Name.	Politics.	Postoffice.	County.
2	William U. Riley.....	Republican...	Chicago.....	Cook.....
4	Michael J. Butler.....	Democrat.....	do.....	do.....
6	Thomas J. Dawson.....	do.....	do.....	do.....
8	DuFay A. Fuller.....	Republican...	Belvidere.....	Boone.....
10	Henry Andrus.....	do.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago...
12	John C. McKenzie.....	do.....	Elizabeth.....	Jo Daviess...
14	Henry H. Evans.....	do.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
16	Robert B. Fort.....	do.....	Lacon.....	Marshall.....
18	James D. Putnam.....	do.....	Elmwood.....	Peoria.....
20	Len Small.....	do.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
22	Martin B. Bailey.....	do.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
24	Henry M. Dunlap.....	do.....	Savoy.....	Champaign...
26	George W. Stubblefield.....	do.....	Bloomington...	McLean.....
28	Lawrence B. Stringer.....	Democrat.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
30	Ubbo J. Albertsen.....	Republican...	Pekin.....	Tazewell.....
34	Stanton C. Pemberton.....	do.....	Oakland.....	Coles.....
36	Thomas Meehan.....	Democrat.....	Bluffs.....	Scott.....
38	James K. P. Farrelly.....	do.....	Daum.....	Greene.....
40	C. F. Coleman.....	do.....	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....
42	John O. Koch.....	Republican...	Breese.....	Clinton.....
44	Roy Alden.....	Democrat.....	Pinckneyvil'e	Perry.....
46	James H. Watson.....	do.....	Woodlawn.....	Jefferson.....
48	H. R. Fowler.....	do.....	Elizabetht'wn	Hardin.....
50	Otis H. Burnett.....	Republican...	Marion.....	Williamson...

The President of the Senate announced that all of the Senators holding over were present and had answered to their names.

Mr. Riley offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2.

Resolved, That a committee of three Senators be appointed by the President of the Senate, to wait on the judges of the Supreme Court and inform them that the presence of one of their number is desired in the Senate chamber for the purpose of administering the oath of office to the Senators-elect.

Under the foregoing resolution the President of the Senate appointed as such committee, Senators Riley, Bailey, and Fowler.

The roll of Senators-elect was then called, when the following answered to their names:

District.	Name.	Politics.	Postoffice.	County.
1	George W. Dixon.....	Republican..	Chicago	Cook.....
3	Michael E. Maher.....	Democrat....	do	do
5	Francis W. Parker.....	Republican..	do	do
7	John Humphrey.....	do	Orland	do
9	Edward J. Rainey.....	Democrat....	Chicago	do
11	Carl Lundberg.....	Republican..	do	do
13	Albert C. Clark.....	do	do	do
15	Cyril R. Jandus.....	Democrat....	do	do
17	John Powers.....	do	do	do
19	Frank C. Farnum.....	Republican..	do	do
21	Daniel A. Campbell.....	do	do	do
23	Niels Juul.....	do	do	do
25	Joseph F. Haas.....	do	do	do
27	Stanley H. Kunz.....	Democrat....	do	do
29	Harry G. Hall.....	Republican..	do	do
31	Carl Mueller.....	do	do	do
* 32	Orville F. Berry.....	do	Carthage	Hancock....
33	Levi S. McCabe.....	do	Rock Island	Rock Island..
35	Charles H. Hughes.....	do	Dixon	Lee
37	James W. Templeton.....	do	Princeton	Bureau
39	Corbus P. Gardner.....	do	Mendota	LaSalle.....
41	Richard J. Barr.....	do	Joliet	Will
43	Leon A. Townsend.....	do	Galesburg	Knox
45	Thomas Rees.....	Democrat....	Springfield	Sangamon....
47	Louis E. Walter.....	Republican..	Alton	Madison
49	Sherman Hamilton.....	do	Marissa	St. Clair....
51	Douglas W. Helm.....	do	Metropolis	Massac.....

* To fill vacancy caused by death of William F. Harris.

The President of the Senate announced that all of the Senators-elect had responded to their names.

At 12:15 o'clock p. m. the committee returned, accompanied by Judge Joseph N. Carter, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois, who thereupon administered to the members-elect of the Senate the oath of office required by and set forth in the Constitution of the State of Illinois.

The President of the Senate announced the next thing in order to be the election of President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

Mr. Berry placed in nomination Senator John C. McKenzie of Jo Davies county for President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

Mr. Meehan placed in nomination Lawrence B. Stringer of Logan county for President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result: The total number of votes cast, 51; necessary to a choice, 26; Mr. McKenzie received 36 votes and Mr. Stringer received 15 votes.

Those voting for Mr. McKenzie are: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Koch,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Hughes,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter.
Clark,				-36.

Those voting for Mr. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alden,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Meehan,	Rees,
Butler,	Fowler,	Maher,	Powers,	Watson.
Coleman,	Jandus,	McKenzie,	Rainey,	—15.
Dawson,				

The President of the Senate thereupon announced that Senator McKenzie had been duly elected president *pro tempore* of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly.

Mr. Juul offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3.

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and they are hereby declared elected permanent officers of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, viz:

Secretary—James H. Paddock.
 First Assistant Secretary—Everett W. Osgood.
 Second Assistant Secretary—Julius Johnson.
 Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—Oscar A. Carlson.
 First Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—Henry Froebe.
 Second Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—Peter Werner.
 Sergeant-at-Arms—Edwin Harlan.
 First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—John Albin.
 Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—George W. Greenfield.
 Postmaster—Mrs. Ida M. Bacon.
 Assistant Postmaster—Miss Lucy M. Long.
 Policemen—Clark Schumaker, Fred Eggert, Owen T. McCaslan.

Mr. Farrelly offered the following amendment to the resolution.

Strike out all of the resolution after the word “namely” and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

Secretary—C. A. Kellar, of Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 First Assistant Secretary—Charles Marsh, Manchester, Ill.
 Second Assistant Secretary—Antone Kolar, Chicago.
 Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—M. W. Pugh, Tamaroa.
 First Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—John O. Rutledge, Vandalia.
 Second Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—E. Z. Kernutt, Carrollton.
 Sergeant-at-Arms—Stephen O. Mera, Chicago.
 First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—Julius Blum, Chicago.
 Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—D. J. Hogan, Chicago.
 Postmaster—Miss Pearl Ferris, Springfield.
 Assistant Postmaster—Miss Della Lavender, Elizabethtown.

The question then being on the adoption of the amendment, and the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Powers,	Stringer,
Butler,	Fowler,	Maher,	Rainey,	Watson.
Coleman,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Rees,	Yeas—15.
Dawson,				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Clark,				Nays--36.

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Hall offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4.

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and they are hereby declared elected additional officers of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, viz:

Third Assistant Secretary—Henry J. Motschman, at compensation of \$4 per day.

Secretary's Stenographer and Typewriter—E. P. Field, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Bill Clerk—A. Emil Anderson, at compensation of \$4 per day.

Messenger for the Secretary's Room—George H. Welsh, at compensation of \$4 per day.

Chaplain—Rev. A. G. Goodspeed, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Superintendent of Ventilation—Joseph Ware, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Assistant Superintendent of Ventilation—James Stretch, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Mail Carrier—C. C. Eaton, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Third Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—J. A. Ellison, at compensation of \$4 per day.

President's Private Secretary—W. R. Crossman, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Janitor of the President's Room—Samuel Dukes, at compensation of \$2 per day.

Custodian of the Republican Cloak Room—C. A. Boger, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Custodian of the Democratic Cloak Room—Richard Egan, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Stenographer for President of the Senate—Miss Freda Berg, at compensation of \$3 per day.

Stenographer for Minority Candidate for President *pro tempore* of the Senate—Miss Bella Convery, at compensation of \$4 per day.

Mr. Barr offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5.

Resolved, That the president of the Senate be and is hereby authorized to appoint six floor janitors, whose duties shall be to act under the orders of the sergeant-at-arms in caring for the Senate chamber and water closet, and to perform such other duties as may be assigned to them.

Mr. Mueller offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6.

Resolved, That the president *pro tempore* of the Senate and the minority candidate for president *pro tempore* of the Senate be each, and they are hereby, authorized to appoint a clerk at a compensation of \$3 per day; and that the president *pro tempore* of the Senate and the minority candidate for president *pro tempore* of the Senate, and the secretary of the Senate, be each authorized to appoint a janitor at compensation of \$2 per day.

Mr. Farnum offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Resolved, That the President of the Senate be, and is hereby authorized to appoint 13 pages to serve during this session of the General Assembly, or until relieved by order of the President of the Senate.

The President of the Senate appointed the following as pages provided for in the foregoing resolution: Ed Richter, Chicago; Norton Curtis, Oakland; Ray Norris, Anna; Harry O. Morrow, Smithboro; Carlisle Biermann, Alton; Horace Noel, Greenville; Frank Boyer, Chicago; Louis W. Veerman, Pekin; Walter Broderick, East St. Louis; Earl Southwick, Springfield; Robert M. Sylvester, Peoria; Alexander Allen, Springfield; James Ryan, Springfield.

Mr. Hamilton offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to furnish to the President of the Senate, the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, and the Secretary of the Senate, on their written orders, such stationery, furniture, blanks, printing, and such other supplies and articles as either of them may require and that may be necessary to enable them to properly discharge the duties of their respective offices.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to furnish to the Sergeant-at-Arms, the Postmaster and the Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk of the Senate, respectively, on their written orders, approved by the President of the Senate, or the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, and the Chairman of the committee on Contingent Expenses of the Senate, such stationery and other articles as may be needed for the use and convenience of their respective offices and for the members of the Senate.

Mr. Walter offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is now duly organized and ready for the transaction of business.

Mr. Small offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10.

Resolved, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three Senators to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate is now duly organized and is ready to receive any communication he may desire to make.

The President of the Senate thereupon appointed as such committee Senators Small, Helm and Dawson.

The President of the Senate delivered the following address:

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE: This body is now organized and ready for business. You are to be congratulated upon the fact that the organization of the Senate was not attended with the pains of birth which accompanied the organization of the distinguished body at the other end of the capitol.

I think we can take pride in the fact that the Illinois Senate is the most scientifically organized body in the world. We can congratulate the minority of the Republican organization for the graceful way in which they have taken their defeat and bowed their heads to the will of the majority. The majority in the Republican organization of the Senate can be felicitated upon its gracious and fair treatment of the minority in its body. The Democratic minority in the Senate can be congratulated upon the fact that by the partiality of their constituents there are so many of them present today to grace this august occasion. This minority is further to be congratulated in having in the person of the President of the Senate a presiding officer whose ear will be attuned to hear the voice and whose eye will be visioned to see the Democratic senators when they rise in their places for recognition.

Occasionally in the past and only on very rare occasions has the Democratic ear of the President of the Senate been deaf and his Democratic eye been blind, and I desire to assure you that these occasions will be exceedingly rare in the future.

As President of the Senate I shall endeavor to give voice to the will of the majority as expressed under the constitution and laws of the State of Illinois and the rules of the Senate, preserving always the rights of the minority.

At no time should we forget that we are here in the interests of the people of the State of Illinois. I sincerely hope that this session of the Senate and of the General Assembly will redound to the credit of the members and to the welfare of the great commonwealth of Illinois.

Mr. Haas offered the following resolution which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11.

WHEREAS, It is necessary that every Senator should be conversant with the business transacted by the Senate each day, in order that he may act understandingly on all matters; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate shall prepare each day an exact transcript of the journal and furnish the same to the State Printer, who shall print 200 copies of the proceedings of the day previous, and 300 copies of the proceedings after the same shall have been corrected, so that a copy may be placed on the desk of each Senator every morning by 9:30 o'clock. The form of the copies furnished the Senators shall be precisely the same as those published in accordance with the law relating to State contracts;

Resolved, That it shall be the duty of the State Printer to deliver the copies above provided for to the State Binder in time so that he may be able to bind and deliver the same to the Secretary of the Senate each morning by 9:30 o'clock.

Resolved, That, in order that this work may be expeditiously and properly done, the Secretary of the Senate is hereby authorized to appoint an expert stenographer and typewriter at a compensation of \$3 per day.

Mr. Dixon offered the following resolution which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate provide a sufficient number of the latest edition of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois for the use of the Senate and the committees thereof during the present session.

Mr. Small from the committee to wait on the Governor reported that they had performed that duty and that the Governor would communicate with the Senate by message through his private secretary.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, JAN. 7, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

GENTLEMEN OF THE FORTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:—In this message it is proposed to respectfully suggest, for your consideration, the following subjects, in the following order:

- I. This Message—Why unnecessary in 1901; why necessary now.
- II. This Session—Its capabilities and opportunities; the alleged danger of corruption and of partisan or factional obstruction.
- III. General Recommendations; a tribute to the late Governor John R. Tanner; amendment of primary law; a merit system by statute; repair of State house; St. Louis world's fair; new Constitution; the Vicksburg commission.
- IV. The safety of the people; national guard and naval militia; pardon board and penal institutions.
- V. The Health of the People—Health Department; Board of Pharmacy; Food Commission; Fish Commission; Live Stock Commission.
- VI. The Labor of the People—Bureau of Labor; convict labor question; inspection of factories and child labor; arbitration.
- VII. The Charities of the People—The State Board of Charities; Asylum for Incurable Insane; Industrial Home for Blind; Rural Home for Boys; State care of Epileptics; State care of Consumptives.
- VIII. The Education of the People—The public schools; the State schools; the State University.
- IX. The Business of the People—Railroad and Warehouse Department; Insurance Department; Illinois and Michigan Canal; Board of Agriculture and State Fair; State finances and taxes; the State officers.
- X. Appropriations for State departments and institutions. Conclusion, concerning additional messages.

In the inaugural address which I had the honor of delivering in the month of January, 1901, in the presence of the Forty-second General Assembly and other citizens of Illinois, attention was called to the fact that I refrained from making recommendations. This was because the constitution nowhere provides that a Governor coming into office, as I did, at that time, after the commencement of a session, shall give to the General Assembly, by message, either information or recommendations. It was then further pointed out that these things are by the constitution required of the Governor in office at the time of the commencement of the session: in other words, of the outgoing Governor. There was another reason for my action in not presenting information or recommendations, (which was emphasized in the inaugural address), and that was that the able and wise and exhaustive biennial message of my predecessor, the Honorable John R. Tanner, which was by him presented to the General Assembly, in compliance with the constitution, at the commencement of the session, one week before my inauguration, so fully fulfilled all the requirements referred to, that, had I deemed it my duty to furnish additional information, I would not have known where to go to get it. After the passage of two years, I am convinced that the course pursued at that time was correct, and that it would have been improper for me to have, at

that time, advocated measures or attempted recommendations—with the very limited information then at my command, and with all the embarrassments of inexperience.

At the present time, after two years of service, the Executive's duty in these particulars seems to be entirely different, (especially in view of the fact that a large number of the members of the present General Assembly are serving their first term, and therefore desirous of securing information). There can be no question that at present it is the clear duty of the Executive to communicate to the General Assembly, in as condensed form as possible, all the information at his command, together with such recommendations as seem proper as to legislative measures, as well as to call attention to, and even request, full consideration of proposed measures, concerning which the Executive has no especial recommendation to make—although he may consider some of them of doubtful propriety, until more fully considered. It should be distinctly understood and realized by each member of the General Assembly, that in thus presenting information and recommendations to the General Assembly, the executive is in no sense attempting dictation or undertaking to control the action of members of the General Assembly, but simply complying with his imperative duty as laid down in the Constitution, which is the fundamental and all-controlling law of the State. "Executive interference," a term contemptuously employed by persons and interests whose conception of the executive office is that the Governor should exhaust his entire time in signing papers, and acting as a mere figurehead, and by persons or interests whose design is to intimidate a governor into inactivity, (while they themselves "interfere" constantly, for their own advantage), "Executive interference" can not be *said* in reply to a message from the Executive, made under the positive command of the Constitution. This message may accordingly be read by each and every member of both Senate and House of Representatives, without any fear that he is listening to or being contaminated by "executive interference."

II. THIS SESSION.

I look forward, with great confidence, to the accomplishment, by this General Assembly of a great work—a work worthy of the time. Throughout the State a great peace, prosperity and contentment, almost unprecedented, have come to the people. All goes well with them. They have done great things, look forward to great things, are no longer content with small achievement, and stand ready to aid real progress. To you they look for wise expenditure of their generous millions; to you they look for beneficent legislation; to you they are ready to extend help and praise in all good work.

There is great work to be done. There are great men in the ranks of the members. The intelligence of this General Assembly is not to be underrated—nor is its experience in public affairs, nor is its comprehension of the State needs, nor is its innate desire to benefit the State, to be belittled. That it will be belittled by a few individuals and public prints, for their own selfish reasons, goes without saying. But every man conversant with Illinois public life and public affairs knows that this General Assembly is capable of holding a session of remarkable industry and economy, and capable of producing, in excellent manner and form, a large volume of much needed and beneficial legislation.

Two things, only, can impair the usefulness and good name of this session, and those two things, it has been confidently predicted in some quarters, will surely occur; namely, first, effort by powerful interests to obtain, by corruption, the advancement or suppression of legislative matters, and second, partisan or factional differences and bitterness.

As to the first danger suggested, I again urge my hope and belief in the incorruptible integrity of this General Assembly. In common with the people of the whole State, I look for an absolutely pure session. I am bolstered in my belief, not only by the high sense of duty entertained by the vast ma-

jority of the members, but by the well-known fact, that, with only here and there a notable exception, no man has ever been able to retain the confidence of his constituents or the approval of his own conscience, who was ever connected with what is commonly known as a "boodle" or "sand-bagging" measure. Such legislation is absolutely impossible, for the reason, if for no other, that, if, by any accident, such legislation should pass both Senate and House, there is in both houses a great honest majority which will hasten to notify the executive of the accident or mistake. In that case no chances will be taken. The full power of the executive veto will be exercised promptly and emphatically.

It is deeply to be regretted that a very small number of the public prints of the State, confined almost exclusively to the city of Chicago, and to so-called independent and reform papers, should make it their business to mislead the public into the conviction that there is no honesty of purpose and no sense of duty and no integrity in public life. It is to be still more deeply regretted that not longer than six and four years ago, and again two years ago, this false and injurious theory was given color and credence by the persistent and widespread report that sand-bagging measures were prevented from being introduced, and when introduced were prevented from being passed only by the contribution of sums of money, amounting in the aggregate to a fortune, by the interests threatened.

As to the second danger so confidently predicted, this should be said: The members of the minority, the Democratic members of the last Legislature, helped to pass good legislation and helped to defeat bad legislation. Like the Republicans, they labored for the best interests of the State, under the leadership of able, experienced and conscientious leaders. Like the Republicans, they come into this General Assembly, following leaders of their own selection, able, wise and conscientious. In the light of experience, I apprehend no partisan interference or obstruction from either the members representing the Democratic party, or those representing other parties. As to the Republican members, I can conceive of no advantage which, by their action, can accrue to their party during this session (except the election of a strong, wise and capable United States Senator, a matter already substantially accomplished), and that advantage which always comes to a party when its legislative representatives acquit themselves like men and citizens of an illustrious commonwealth and resources.

As to the danger that fiercely partisan differences and bitterness will disrupt the dominant party in both Senate and House, to the utter detriment of the public service, I can only say that such a calamity is not, in my judgment, either imminent or probable. Factional feeling will disappear when the solemn oath of the legislator is administered to the new members, and the older members are reminded of their own sacred obligations—not to faction or to party, but to State and people—a State and people watching, with their unerring judgment and their retentive memory, every day's work of the session.

III. GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS.

GOVERNOR JOHN R. TANNER.

For the four years prior to 1901, there was at the head of the State Administration of Illinois, a man who had walked between the plow handles in his early manhood; who, therefore, had that sympathy for the worker and for mankind which comes from hard and downright work; who fought his way, inch by inch, with indomitable courage, to all the places where power abided; who could not be appalled by any contingency; who could not be discouraged by falsehood or false friendship, by both of which he was remorselessly pursued; who was as fearless in the face of his foes as he was faithful to his friends—the latter of whom he trusted to the death, in spite of calamity and criticism; whose rise from the very lowliest conditions, amid untoward circumstances, to the highest place in the commonwealth, constituted one of the most remarkable careers in American politics. This man, it is now real-

ized by both friends and opponents, gave to the State of Illinois (as I had the honor and pleasure of insisting, upon the stump, in every county of the whole State, in 1900) a most honest, efficient and altogether excellent administration. I mean the man who was worker, official and leader—soldier of the Union in his boyhood, Sheriff of his own home county, Senator from his district, Marshal of the United States, Treasurer and Governor of his State—peace to his ashes—John R. Tanner.

This General Assembly can do no more gracious and graceful and altogether proper act, than to pause, upon the first day of its deliberation, to, by proper resolution, pay to this departed leader of distinction, a suitable tribute of respect. I earnestly recommend such action, as Governor Tanner's death occurred May 25, 1901, after the adjournment of the last session.

PRIMARY ELECTION LAW.

There are many who believe that a great deal of the friction which does arise in all parties, is due to the varying kind of primaries held, and to the scattering of the county conventions throughout four months. It is argued that if it would be absurd to hold an election in Cook county on Monday, in Peoria on Tuesday, Kane on Wednesday, Sangamon on Thursday, St. Clair on Friday, and Morgan on Saturday, why is it not absurd to hold 100 conventions on 100 different days? If it is desirable to vote at the polls on the same day throughout the State, why is it not desirable to vote at primaries on a common day? Why not have all the ward and township primaries of all parties held on a given Monday, the county conventions on the next day, Tuesday, and the State convention on the third day, Wednesday, and thus simplify the whole matter? It would keep every politician at home, and the colonizer and the walking delegate politician would be "out of a job." It would leave every county and township and ward to settle its own affairs, and so give home rule. It would remove from every contest the hampering question of its effects upon other contests at other times. And it would compel every county to give up the unprincipled idea of joining the winner at the last moment. As to primaries, the day is sure to come when every man must vote his direct choice, by ballot, for both delegate and candidate. The plan is American, Republican, and productive of honest politics. I sincerely hope to see it enacted into law at this session in some form.

A MERIT SYSTEM, BY STATUTE.

It is scarcely necessary for me to say here, as I have said repeatedly on former occasions, that I am in hearty sympathy with the advocates of a statute for a reasonable merit system; nor should it be necessary to repeat what has been pointed out heretofore so many times that all must be quite familiar with the fact, namely, that we already have the merit system, without a statute; that not only in the State charitable institutions, but in all branches of the State government coming under my control, merit or fitness has been the largest consideration in the making of appointments. All must acknowledge the prime importance of fitness and experience in the appointment of public officers and employes. I have realized it fully and have acted accordingly. In reorganizing the boards of trustees and commissioners of the various State institutions and the several State boards, at the beginning of my administration, it was my general policy to retain, at least, one experienced trustee on each board, and in accordance with this policy, about one-third of the entire body of trustees were retained. Upon careful examination of the qualifications of the heads of 18 State institutions, and of the secretaries of 14 State boards, I found it difficult, in view of their ability and past experience, to improve upon the incumbents, and only two superintendents and three secretaries were changed. Of the physicians in the several institutions, 70 in all, only ten changes have occurred in two years, and all of these but one were by voluntary resignation. No changes were made at my suggestion among the superintendents and teachers of the several schools under the control of the State. Of the 2,700 other State employes of all grades—approximately 2,500 receiving less than \$600 per annum each, the number including

the employes of the Chicago park system—I feel entirely safe in making the statement that not exceeding 10 per cent have in two years changed by order of any one. Nearly 10 per cent of these minor employes give up their positions every year regardless of change of administration or other circumstances. In other words, I contend that a substantial and successful merit system is now in force.

The question is, shall appointments for merit be compelled by law? I answer that the gratifying success obtained under this administration by the retention of the main part of the old forces at the charitable institutions, shows what a calamity it would be to have the whole force removed, from time to time, by the preferment to power of first one political party and then another. Moreover, the present system under which not only superintendents, but trustees, legislators, party leaders and the executive himself, are in spite of everything that can be done, embarrassed and harassed, from year's end to year's end, by applicants for small positions, who clamor for the hearing of their claims—involves a serious loss of time and waste of energy of officials, which loss and waste the people have the right to complain of and to abrogate by appropriate legislation. No one can possibly be more earnestly in favor of a reform in this particular than an official who for even one year has been subjected to this trial. Desire to enter the public service is always commendable and should be encouraged, but there is room for great improvement in providing the avenues of approach to such preferment.

It will afford me great satisfaction to co-operate with the Legislature to the extent of signing and enforcing an act making the merit system compulsory.

Desiring to furnish all possible aid in securing the enactment of a civil service law which shall be practicable and effective in view of existing conditions, I assumed the responsibility some months ago, of appointing a commission for the investigation of the subject, and for the preparation of a measure to be introduced at the present session of the General Assembly. This commission is composed of the following well-known gentlemen: Superintendent W. E. Taylor, Watertown; Dr. William Jayne, president of the State Board of Charities, Springfield; Warden E. J. Murphy, Joliet; Hon. Zina R. Carter, Chicago; Mr. Edgar A. Bancroft, president Civil Service Association, Chicago, and Mr. John H. Hamline, Chicago. All are serving except Mr. Carter. The personnel of this commission, so far as I have observed, has received universal approval.

I do not think that a measure requiring a written, competitive, non-partisan civil service examination of farmers, gardeners, carpenters, brickmasons, dairymen, storekeepers, and mechanical employes would be a reasonable or sensible measure—however proper such an examination might be for physicians, nurses, teachers, attendants (if the examination were practical instead of technical), and clerks. I think it would be unreasonable and absurd to require assistant attorney generals and assistant State superintendents of public instruction, and wardens of penitentiaries, and superintendents of institutions, and heads of departments, to be examined. Such a measure would be more stringent than the stringent civil service law of the United States government. To be successful and practical, our proposed legislation must be reasonable and sensible. The United States civil service law provides that in all examinations, preference shall be given to honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Union. Our statute should contain the same clause.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE STATE CAPITOL.

Your attention is called to the suggestions made by the Secretary of State, Hon. James A. Rose, in his report, regarding the condition of the State House, and the urgent need of repairs. The Capitol has been neglected for many years, and the most casual observer must be impressed with the obvious necessity for extensive improvements and repairs. The people of Illinois have a just pride in the Capitol building, and I am sure they will heartily approve any reasonable appropriation for its proper maintenance. I earnestly request you to carry out the recommendations of the Secretary of State.

The Executive mansion, also, is in far from good repair, and if this fine old property is to be kept up as it should be, something more than the usual appropriation should be provided.

THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION.

The Forty-second General Assembly appropriated the sum of \$250,000 for the purpose of enabling the State of Illinois to be suitably represented at the Louisiana Purchase exposition, which was to have been held in the city of St. Louis, Mo., in 1903. A commission was created and appointed to supervise the expenditure of the amount appropriated and carry out the purpose of the act. Subsequent to the adjournment of the last General Assembly, the exposition was postponed for one year, so that it will be held in 1904. This postponement necessitates a reappropriation of the amount mentioned, if the provisions of the act are to be carried out, for the original appropriation will not be available after Sept. 30, 1903. I heartily recommend the reappropriation.

The reasons for the original appropriation are quite as potent today as they were two years ago. Not only is it due to our sister state, the great and progressive State of Missouri, as a measure of recognition for her generosity in responding to our appeals when the World's Columbian exposition was held within our borders, but it should be borne in mind that the exposition of 1904 will afford us a rare opportunity to display before the peoples of the world our limitless resources as shown in the products of our soil, mines and manufactories.

The vastness of the preparation now under way includes a work that is not confined to the city of St. Louis or to the State of Missouri, but one which has been extended to all of the states of the Union and to the other nations of the earth.

A NEW CONSTITUTION.

A constitutional convention, to amend or abrogate the present constitution, has recently been advocated, in certain quarters. I recommend that no steps in this direction be taken by this General Assembly. I do not believe that a need for such convention has as yet arisen. To provide for a new constitution would, for many reasons, be a grave step at the present time.

Those who argue that a constitutional convention is necessary to abrogate a multiplicity of taxing bodies, and abolish other evils in the city of Chicago, have begun to realize that by a constitutional amendment all the needed relief may be obtained. I am satisfied that this is the best solution.

THE VICKSBURG COMMISSION.

The attention of the members of the General Assembly is especially directed to the report of the commission appointed pursuant to an act of the General Assembly, to ascertain and mark the positions occupied by Illinois troops in the siege of Vicksburg. No appropriations are more willingly and cheerfully approved by the people of the State, without regard to their conditions or affiliations, than the measures recommended in this communication.

IV. THE SAFETY OF THE PEOPLE.

THE ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD.

By prudent management and the practice of the strictest economy, the Illinois National Guard has been maintained upon the appropriation made two years ago, and I am glad to be able to say that a deficiency appropriation will be unnecessary, although an additional regiment, battalion and battery have considerably increased expenses.

Much is always expected of this department, and much is always received. This department has never been conducted more efficiently or economically, and it has never been of more real service than now. A community in Greene county would have been disgraced by a most brutal lynching a year ago had it not been for the steadiness and prompt response to duty of a battalion of the national guard, and the county of Saline would ere this have been terrorized by an organized band of whitecaps, or Kuklux, had it not been for the constant vigilance of a company of our State boys in blue on guard in that county, surrounding with their bayonets humble negro citizens, although attempt after attempt was made in dead of night to shoot these soldier boys like dogs. I desire to officially commend the circuit judge and sheriff of Greene county, and criticise the authorities of Saline county for their action in the premises. Five million people sleep more peacefully at night and go about more safely by day because of the fact that, as they well know, eight thousand young men, brainy, brawny and brave, thoroughly drilled, absolutely obedient, well armed and fully equipped can, in 24 hours, be assembled at any point in the State—eight thousand young men who have taken the mighty oath of the soldier—to support, uphold and protect the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Illinois against all enemies, domestic or foreign.

While the National Guard, as I have stated, has been supported without exceeding the appropriation made for that purpose, it has felt seriously the need of more liberal provision. I concur fully in the recommendations made by Adjutant General James B. Smith, in his recent biennial report, with a view to increasing the efficiency of the National Guard.

THE NAVAL MILITIA.

The naval force of the State consists of two ship's crews of four divisions each. The first ship's crew, as well as the captain's headquarters, is located in Chicago; the armory is at 22 Michigan avenue. The headquarters of the second ship's crew, and one division, is at Moline, one division at Rock Island, one at Alton, and one at Quincy.

Since the last session the United States government has loaned to this State the U. S. steamer Dorothea to serve as a training ship, and this vessel has been utilized as such for the past two years. I invite attention to the reports of the naval officers, which contain detailed descriptions of the vessel and the service it has rendered during the biennial period. See also the report of the inspector general, of his inspections of this vessel while on a cruise in Lake Michigan, August 27 to 31, 1902.

BOARD OF PARDONS.

The wisdom of the establishment of the Board of Pardons has passed beyond the experimental stage. The careful investigation of every application for pardon or commutation which is made by the board, has added great strength to the administration of the criminal laws of the State. The Board of Pardons has ample time to give a most thorough investigation to all applications for pardon, and by conducting its work in accordance with judicial rules and practice, is enabled to arrive at conclusions which are just to the public, which furnish a protection to society, and which give to the friends of the prisoner the assurance that his petition has been fairly and impartially considered. For years it was an impossibility for the Executive to give to these matters that care and attention which their importance deserved, and it is creditable to the board that its decisions have been so generally commended.

The work of the Board of Pardons in administering the parole law, so far as it applies to the penitentiaries, is fully set out in the reports of the Commissioners and Wardens of those two institutions. It will be observed that there has been during the past two years a most creditable decrease in the number of convicts received in the prisons, notwithstanding the increase in population. The statistics show that a considerable amount of this decrease is found in the reduced number of convictions of the class known as habitual

criminals, while much of the remaining decrease is attributed to the work of the Board of Pardons in its dealing with the class who persist in preying upon society. The board is enabled to require every prisoner to disclose his past life.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS.

The condition of the penal and reformatory institutions of this State is such as may well be the source of great satisfaction and pride to any administration.

Notwithstanding the fact that since the appropriations were made by the last General Assembly, everything in the line of provision and produce has increased in cost at least 25 per cent; these institutions have been able to maintain the record made by Governor Tanner's administration, and will, at the end of the fiscal year, have a surplus in the treasury.

An epitomized statement shows that the daily average number of prisoners confined in the penal and reformatory institutions of this State is 3,454.27 and that the average cost per day per capita of prisoners confined therein is 44 cents.

Many valuable improvements have been made in penal institutions of the State, looking to the betterment of the service and to the moral uplift of the wards of the State confined to its care and custody, by methods approved by those who have made a life study of penology and are abreast of the times on all subjects pertaining to the progressive conduct and care of penal institutions, not forgetting to keep ever in mind the necessity of an economic disbursement of the funds appropriated by the last General Assembly.

V. THE HEALTH OF THE PEOPLE.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Unlike the boards of health in nearly all states of the Union, the State Board of Health of Illinois is a health organization, and a medical examining and licensing body also. One of its most important duties is to ascertain and certify to the qualification of practicing physicians and surgeons and to detect quacks. In 40 states and territories this duty devolves upon a separate board of medical examiners.

As a health organization, this board, under the provisions of an act, now over a quarter of a century old, is charged with the general supervision of the health and lives of the people of the State, and is given authority in all matters pertaining to quarantine and sanitary investigations, and, in accordance with an amended law, enacted in 1899, has jurisdiction over all lodging houses, boarding houses, taverns, inns and hotels in cities of 100,000 inhabitants and more. As a medical examining and licensing body, organized under the act of 1899, it becomes the duty of the board to determine the standing of medical colleges throughout the world, to examine all persons desiring to practice in this State, and to issue certificates to those found proficient, to investigate complaints of illegal practice, and to institute suits against persons violating any of the provisions of the medical law.

Within recent years the jurisdiction, duties and responsibilities of the State Board of Health have been vastly increased. Conditions have arisen, which, in my judgment, require some new legislation in order that the board may maintain the high standard of usefulness which the present board has endeavored to establish. The State Board of Health Act of 1877 contains defects which tend frequently to handicap the board in its efforts to protect the public health. These ought to be remedied.

A proposition to create a State Board of Medical Examiners has been under consideration by the board and by medical men generally since 1897, when the secretary of the board in his report expressed the opinion that there

was imperative need for an examining board which would leave the State Board of Health free to perform sanitary duties alone. In 1899 the State Board of Health gave its formal endorsement to a bill creating a State Board of Medical Examiners, and this measure has received the approval of representative medical societies of the State. I feel constrained, in view of the circumstances, to recommend the legislation desired in this particular. Necessarily the duty of enforcing the law, and such rules and regulations as may have been adopted by the board, now falls on one man—the secretary, who is the executive officer of the board.

The importance of the work done by the State Board of Health is such that more ample provision should be made for defraying its expenses. At present its appropriation is quite inadequate. The last General Assembly appropriated for its general expenses the sum of \$10,300 per annum. In the state of New York the department of health is allowed for the same purpose \$33,000. The state board of health of Massachusetts has an appropriation for the same purposes, of \$23,000, and in addition is allowed \$34,000 each year solely "for the protection of the purity of inland waters."

There is also appropriated to the Illinois State Board of Health, as a special fund, the sum of \$10,000, which is to be used only with the consent and concurrence of the Governor in case of the outbreak, or the threatened outbreak, of any epidemic or malignant diseases, such as small-pox, yellow fever, Asiatic cholera and typhus fever, to defray the expenses of preventing the introduction of such diseases, or their spread from place to place, within the State, or to suppress outbreaks which may occur, and to investigate methods for their prevention; also for special investigations, when required by the sanitary conditions of the State. Funds from this appropriation have been used with my consent during the past two years to quell the epidemic of small-pox which has existed, and to prevent the introduction of the disease from other states, and also to investigate the sanitary condition of the rivers and streams of the State. During the fiscal years ending Sept. 30., 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902, the board expended the sum of \$10,555 in the investigation of the waters of the State, particularly the Desplaines and Illinois rivers. It is impossible to estimate the value of this work. The board has demonstrated to scientists the self-purification of running streams, has vindicated the wisdom of the people of Chicago in constructing the drainage canal, has saved the taxpayers of the State many thousands of dollars, has prevented years of litigation.

I trust that the General Assembly will make such appropriations as will enable the State Board of Health to perform its various duties in an effective manner, and that such legislation will be enacted as will promote the general objects for which this board was created, and for which it has been maintained.

STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY.

The work of the State Board of Pharmacy has been of a most commendable character. There is now a better observance of the pharmacy law throughout the State than ever before. Yet there is much work remaining to be done in order that a full compliance with all of the provisions of the law may be secured. At present the board is sustained entirely by a tax on the druggists of the State, in the form of an annual renewal fee. There is an element of injustice in this. I think that the tax should be either greatly reduced, or abolished altogether. I can conceive of no reason why the State Board of Pharmacy should not be placed upon the same basis as other State boards and be supported, at least in part, by a State appropriation. This, it seems to me, would increase its independence, and would place it in a position to enforce the law more thoroughly than under existing conditions.

PURE FOOD COMMISSION.

Since the lives and health of the people are dependent primarily on a pure and wholesome food supply, the food interest is necessarily of high importance. The last two years have witnessed great progress in the cause of pure food.

The State Food Department was created for the purpose of insuring a pure and wholesome food product. The records of the department show that in the past two years, 2,000 food samples have been analyzed. Of this number, nearly 40 per cent have been found to be impure. More than 300 suits have been instituted and convictions obtained. Manufacturers and dealers are now very generally familiar with the law.

Owing to the fact that our State is centrally located in the Union, thus making Chicago the distributing point in a large measure for the entire country, the work of the department is perhaps more arduous and important than that of any other similar department in the United States.

The department has at present only six inspectors for the entire State. To accomplish the results intended by the law, the number should be not less than 10. The last General Assembly made no appropriation for the expenses of carrying on the laboratory work and the work of inspection. I recommend that provision be made for four additional inspectors, another assistant chemist, and a fair appropriation for necessary expenses incurred in conducting the work of the Department. Your attention is called to the proposed revision of the pure food law to be found in the annual report of the pure food commissioner. I recommend legislation along the line therein proposed.

THE FISH COMMISSION.

The work of the Fish Commission during the past two years has greatly increased in volume. The commercial phase has grown so as to place this industry among the economic interests fostered by the State. The output from Illinois waters wholly within the State has reached very large proportions. The Illinois river has sent to eastern markets over 30,000,000 pounds of coarse fish in the past two years. The warden system is not so practical or effective as it should be, for the reason that the wardens, as a rule, serve without a definite salary, depending on fines and convictions for compensation, and the result of a rigid enforcement of the law therefore sometimes assumes more the nature of persecution than prosecution. Still, great work has been accomplished. The lake front at Chicago has been entirely cleared of the illegal nets, many hundreds having been removed there, and the sale of small fish of illegal size has been greatly diminished. I would recommend that the present warden system be abolished, and a few competent men be entrusted with the work, for which a salary be paid, and all fines obtained used for this purpose, but collected and paid by the State. The wardens should be under the control of the Fish Commission, as under the present conditions, simply technical violations of the law, without intent of violation, are often prosecuted by wardens, against the wishes of the Commissioners.

THE LIVE STOCK COMMISSION.

Without attempting to exhibit in detail the work of the State Board of Live Stock commissioners, for which you are referred to the reports of this board, I deem it proper to state that there has been a large increase in the work of the board. In my opinion some increase in the appropriation for the expenses of the commissioners will be necessary in order to enable them properly to perform their duties. This board performs a most useful service, saving many hundreds of thousands of dollars to the live stock interests, and at the same time furnishing the public an invaluable protection in the matter of meat supply. During the past two years the work of the board has been hampered somewhat by an inadequate working force and a shortage of funds available for expenses. This board is doing a great work. During the past year 15,187 animals were inspected and tagged as diseased; 5,861 were

slaughtered, and 873 were condemned and tanked. A comparison with the records of previous years shows an increase in the number of animals inspected over the average during the previous four years, of about 100 per cent, and an increase over the average of the previous eight years, of about 200 per cent. The number of cases of glanders inspected and destroyed shows an increase of about 100 per cent, owing largely to the importation of western range horses.

VI. THE LABOR OF THE PEOPLE.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

The work of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, has materially increased during the last decade. Under the law this bureau is required to collect data for the publication of three separate and distinct reports, to wit: The annual report of the coal industry of the State; weekly and annual reports of the Free Employment offices, and a biennial report dealing with general industrial questions. The report of the coal industry for the past year shows a total product of more than thirty million tons. This is an increase of three and one-half million tons over the product of the previous year, and approximately five million tons in excess of the output of 1900. In the 915 mines of the State, 46,000 men were employed, an increase of 7,000 over the number employed in 1900. The mining industry is among the most important in the State—Illinois now ranking second among the states of the Union in the matter of coal production—and it is important that any legislation enacted on the subject of mining be carefully considered. I am advised that experience has developed some slight defects and omissions in the mining law as revised by the Forty-first General Assembly, and I respectfully recommend that these be corrected.

Since the establishment of the free employment offices—three in Chicago, in August, 1899, and one in Peoria, in July, 1901—107,000 men and women in our State have secured employment through these agencies. This is a gratifying record, and proves the wisdom of the General Assembly in establishing these agencies. Some difficulty has been experienced in the enforcement of that provision of the law requiring private employment agents to file bond and take out a license. Two cases involving this question have been considered by the Supreme Court. I am advised by the Bureau of Labor that the fee of \$200 per annum required from private employment agencies is excessive, and works a hardship on many persons legitimately engaged in that line of business. I recommend that the law be amended so as to provide for a more reasonable license fee, and to require all private employment agencies to keep a record showing the number of applications received, and the disposition made of the same; to regulate the amount charged for registration; to prohibit any of such agencies from sending female help to places of questionable reputation, and to provide that the records of such agencies shall be open at all reasonable times to the inspection of the Commissioners of Labor or their representatives.

CONVICT LABOR QUESTION.

One of the most important subjects which I have to bring to your attention is that of the employment of the convicts in the penitentiaries. The competition of convict labor with free labor should not exist. I am in favor of altogether abolishing such competition, and I have reason to hope for a satisfactory solution before the adjournment of the present General Assembly. Early in my administration as Governor, the convict labor question was taken up for systematic consideration, with a view to reaching a settlement of it which should be conclusive, and at the same time satisfactory to all interests involved. There were held a number of conferences participated in by representatives of labor, manufacturers and the wardens and commissioners of the penitentiaries. The object of these conferences, the results accomplished, and the conclusion finally reached, are set forth in the report of Mr. Adam Menche, president of the State Federation of Labor, submitted to that body at its recent meeting, and from it I take the liberty to quote the following:

"The various conferences held by the representatives of labor, manufacturers and prison officials with the Governor, resulted in the determination to refer the entire matter of convict labor to the Legislature at its next session.

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"It was quite manifest that it was the desire of the Governor, as well as of the prison officials, to coöperate with the labor interests of the State in reducing to the minimum the competition of convict labor with free labor; but it was the unanimous opinion that the matter should be handled in such manner that the taxpayers of the State should not be over-burdened to the extent that they would rebel, and that the prisoners should not endure the torture of enforced idleness.

"To accomplish these results with the most benefit to free labor and the least injury to the taxpayer, it was decided that it would be best for all interests to go before the next legislature with a well matured bill embracing the views of the representatives of the labor interests and ask that it be enacted into law. This course, it was felt, would insure the results sought by the representatives of free labor and would avoid all unnecessary injury to the taxpayers which would result from any other course. Three things were constantly kept in mind in the discussion of the question: First, the conflict between convict and free labor: Second, the cost of maintaining the prison: Third, the necessity of keeping the convicts employed from a purely humane standpoint. * * * "When the next Legislature meets we will be prepared with a bill. * * * "In the passage of this measure we will have the earnest and hearty coöperation of the Governor, as well as all of the prison officials. We believe that the results of the conference have been all that could be desired under the circumstances. * * * "At the request of the Federation of Labor, the Governor and the commissioners of the penitentiaries agreed that they would not enter into any new contracts until after the Legislature should have an opportunity to act in the matter."

There is little for me to add to the foregoing, except to say that it is hardly possible that any plan can be devised which will not involve an incresse in the expense of maintaining the penitentiaries; but I am firmly of the opinion that whatever increase may be found necessary will be so small, when spread out over the taxable property of the State, as to be scarcely worthy of consideration, in view of the benefits which will be derived from a satisfactory solution of the convict labor problem. We should always realize that, as a matter of principle and policy, it is for the best interests of all the people to spare the government and the law the charge that they discriminate in any way against the welfare of the wage earner. The true friends and real representatives of organized labor are not exorbitant or unreasonable in their demands upon this important subject. The State authorities have, in the conferences with the labor leaders, found them, while very much in earnest, also very conservative and prudent in their reasonings upon the subject. They have agreed that the penal institutions can not be conducted without either increased appropriations or some income-acquiring system to take the place of the present one; also that convicts must not be maintained in idleness. They fully realize that the present system is not the invention or fault of recent administrations, but simply a system inherited from a former generation, and in all their movements have been as sensible as they have been insistent upon some relief. They and their cause are entitled to the most respectful, thoughtful and helpful consideration by the General Assembly.

INSPECTION OF FACTORIES AND CHILD LABOR.

This department was created in 1893 with a corps of ten inspectors whose jurisdiction was limited to the inspection of factories and workshops. By the act of the 40th General Assembly, the jurisdiction of the department was extended so as to embrace the inspection of all mercantile institutions. Attention has been given recently to material reforms in the work of the department. Now not only is action taken against the employer, but the child under 14 is turned over to the officers of the compulsory department of the Board of Education of Chicago, and returned to school. Whenever an inspector

finds a child who is palpably under the age of 14 years, the affidavit is taken up for investigation. If it proves false, and if it be shown that the age is less than 14 years, the child is placed back in school, the parent is censured, and the employer is given a proper warning. An important advance has been made by the department in the inspection of sweat shops. The department has recently assumed the exercise of police power, and now the inspectors in making an inspection of a garment shop, issue such orders as the public health may demand. All the establishments in Illinois can not be inspected in the short period of one year with the small corps of inspectors now provided by law. In my opinion the legislature ought to provide for a reasonable increase in the number of inspectors. In my opinion 50 inspectors would not be too many. New York has 48, Massachusetts has 30, Pennsylvania has 36. I regard this department as among the most important in the State government, and I earnestly hope that the recommendations made by the chief State factory inspector will receive proper consideration.

STATE BOARD OF ARBITRATION.

The State Board of Arbitration has rapidly grown in importance until it now ranks among the most potent factors in the industrial world. It is gratifying to note that the period of greatest advance in its practical achievements has been during the past two years. This advance has been truly notable. When the law was originally enacted in 1895, the arbitration of labor disputes by an official tribunal had been hitherto unknown in Illinois. It is not surprising, therefore, that the first attempt at legislation on this subject should be somewhat crude and imperfect. The arbitration law, as first enacted, proved to be defective in many respects, leaving the board practically without power to do anything. From time to time the law has been amended until now it is quite commonly looked upon as being in advance of all other State arbitration laws. The results accomplished have inspired general public confidence in this board, and its praises have gone beyond the State. Its work has already saved, since the beginning of the present State administration, to employers, to employes and to the general public, a sum which it is not possible to calculate with perfect accuracy, but which may be said, with due conservatism, to aggregate millions of dollars. I believe there will be no dissent from the opinion I hereby express that ample provision should be made by the General Assembly to enable this board to carry on its splendid work. The demands upon it have vastly increased its activities. The preservation of industrial peace is of such high importance to all of the people that an agency which contributes so much to that end as this board has contributed, and as it will contribute in the future, ought to receive the most liberal consideration at the hands of the General Assembly. The appropriation heretofore made for its expenses has proven inadequate in view of existing conditions. Some additional provision must be made for defraying its necessary expenses if the State Board of Arbitration is to perform the work for which it was created and which experience has proven conclusively that it is capable of doing. So far as additional legislation is concerned, I am not advised at this time that any will be necessary. However, I commend to your most careful consideration whatever, if anything, the State Board of Arbitration may suggest in the way of further amendment of the law. The State should feel great pride in this department.

VII. THE CHARITIES OF THE PEOPLE.

THE STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES.

The State Board of Charities now has 16 charitable institutions under its jurisdiction. Fifteen of these are in active operation and furnish accommodations for over 11,000 inmates. The other, the State Home for Delinquent Boys, is in process of construction. Over all the charitable institutions the State Board of Charities has exercised a vigilant, economical supervision, keenly alive at all times to efficient management and the great responsibility

reposed in the State in the care and education of its victims of misfortune. The Forty-second General Assembly appropriated \$4,438,024.92 for the enlargement and maintenance of these institutions for the two years beginning July 1, 1901. The care of the insane and hopelessly feeble-minded has been humane and intelligent; the instruction of the deaf and blind has been along lines fitting them for useful citizenship; the soldiers' orphans have received every attention possible in the way of education and training, and the soldiers and sailors and soldiers' widows have been made comfortable in the homes provided by the State for them. I confidently assert that our State charitable institutions are conducted with economy, efficiency and humanity. All obligations and pledges are being fulfilled to the letter in these particulars. I further assert that they are equal, in these and all respects, if not superior, to the institutions of other states or any other state. I challenge comparison—state by state, and institution by institution. All insinuations and declarations to the contrary are as cruel, cowardly and contemptible, as they are unfounded and false.

INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR THE BLIND.

The Industrial Home for the Blind at Chicago, while it is a charitable institution, is not, under the law, subject to the jurisdiction of the State Board of Charities. Increased efficiency and uniform accounting of all the charitable funds of the State would follow as a result of the supervision of the State Board of Charities, and I earnestly recommend that the law be amended in this regard.

ASYLUM FOR THE "INCURABLE" INSANE.

The Asylum for the Incurable Insane was opened for the reception of a limited number of inmates about a year ago. Since then, by utilizing every available inch of space, and by converting the administration building into wards for female inmates, the capacity has been increased from time to time until it now accommodates something over 700. More room at this institution is an absolute necessity. Thus far it has afforded no relief to speak of to the county almshouses of the State. The latest census of the county almshouses shows that there are 2,986 insane persons confined in them. These county almshouses are not, as a rule, prepared to give insane people the attention they require. In many counties no special provision is made for their separation from sane inmates, and in a large majority of the counties no special attendants are employed to look after them. The question of adequately providing for the incurable or chronic insane should receive your most careful consideration. I also recommend that the statute be so amended as to strike the word "incurable" from the title of the institution at Bartonville.

HOME FOR DELINQUENT BOYS.

Two years ago the General Assembly provided an appropriation of \$35,000 for a rural home for boys. As provided by the statute, I appointed a commission to select a site. The commission selected a beautiful tract of land near St. Charles, in Kane county, including about 1,000 acres donated by citizens, and estimated in value at \$100,000. Upon an additional subscription fund of \$50,000 being guaranteed, I appointed a board of seven trustees, who selected a superintendent. There have been donated by architects elaborate plans for buildings, providing accommodations for 1,000 boys, committed by the various courts (instead of being sent to the State reformatory and schools for dependent boys, and similar institutions, as has heretofore been the practice), and the outline maps and designs for location of buildings, drives, playgrounds and farm and garden plots have been submitted to me, and been approved, as well as the plans for two sample cottages, which it is proposed to erect with the \$35,000 appropriated. This is a great and worthy enterprise, and the State should have its full part in it, and not leave the institution to be completed and supported by donations. Liberal appropriations are proper.

STATE CARE OF EPILEPTICS.

In the policy of the State to make provision for those within its borders requiring State aid, one class of its unfortunates has been overlooked. The State has no institution especially designed for the care and treatment of those afflicted with epilepsy. Something ought to be done for the victims of this disease at the earliest date possible.

STATE CARE OF CONSUMPTIVES.

By joint resolution, the Senate and House of the Forty-first General Assembly directed the State Board of Health to investigate the advisability of establishing a State sanatorium for consumptives, and to report therein to the Governor before Jan. 1, 1901.

By this report, it was shown (1) that tuberculosis (consumption), an infectious disease, is the cause of one-seventh of all deaths, and that its widespread prevalence, especially among the poor who are unable to procure proper treatment, has been, and continues to be, a decided menace to the public health; (2) that it is estimated that over 8,500 persons die annually in Illinois from tuberculosis; (3) that tuberculosis is a preventable disease; that while there is no infectious disease which causes such disaster in the human family, there is none which is more easily prevented; (4) that tuberculosis is a curable disease, especially in its earlier stages; (5) that patients suffering from tuberculosis, especially those of the poorer classes, can not be properly cared for at their homes; that general hospitals are ill adapted for the treatment of consumptives, and that since tuberculosis has been recognized as a communicable disease, the doors of nearly all hospitals, public and private, have been closed to consumptives; (6) that an improperly cared for consumptive daily jeopardizes the health of the community in which he lives; (7) that the State, for both humanitarian and economical reasons, should care for the consumptive, and should prevent him from endangering the lives of those about him; (8) that the successful treatment of tuberculosis requires the segregation, in properly constructed hospitals, of those patients who can not receive the needful care at home; that the value of sanatorium treatment as a center of education, a means of prevention, and as a method of cure, has been successfully demonstrated at home and abroad; and (9) that the importance of a special climate, altitude or atmosphere in the treatment of consumptives has been exaggerated; that the treatment and cure of pulmonary tuberculosis is as feasible in the State of Illinois as in any state of the Union and that cures effected in the ordinary home climate, in which the patient must remain, are more lasting and more assured than cures obtained in other climates apparently more favorable.

The magnitude of these figures is appalling. One institution seems imperative. I recommend the construction of such an institution—the size and expense to be according to your judgment.

VIII. THE EDUCATION OF THE PEOPLE.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Legislation affecting the public school system is always important. According to the latest school census there are in Illinois 1,601,175 persons of lawful school age—that is, between the ages of 6 and 21 years. Of this total number, nearly 1,000,000 were actually enrolled in the public schools last year. The schools were kept open an average of 7.6 months, or nearly two months in excess of the minimum time required by law. The total number of teachers and supervisors employed was 27,186. Of these, 12,475 were in the ungraded or one-room schools. The buildings and grounds used for public school purposes are worth \$51,444,902; while the apparatus and libraries are valued at \$1,320,020. There is a total of 12,855 schools in the State. There are 350 high schools, this number including 24 township schools. These high schools enrolled 41,951 pupils, employed 1,606 teachers, and cost for maintenance \$1,500,000. Eighty-eight of the high schools are in separate

buildings valued at more than \$4,000,000. The resources are the income from the township funds, the annual appropriation of \$1,000,000 in lieu of the old 2 mill tax, and the amounts raised by district taxation. The latter in 1902 amounted to \$18,062,572.90. The aggregate expenditures were \$19,899,624.54.

These statistics show impressively the extent and importance of the public school system of this State. The great mass of our citizens have secured their education, so far as schools have furnished it, in the common schools of Illinois. The common school is the college of the people. It is exceedingly gratifying to contemplate our public school system. Such a thing as total illiteracy among persons of school age is practically unknown in Illinois.

Regarding school legislation generally, I trust that whatever recommendations may be made by Prof. Alfred Bayliss, Superintendent of Public Instruction, who is the able head of our public school system, will receive the consideration which is due him by reason of his present position, his past experience, and his acknowledged ability. I will take this opportunity to say, however, that I favor a reasonable increase of the amount appropriated annually for distribution to the school districts. This sum has remained at \$1,000,000 for many years, in spite of the fact that the State has grown wonderfully in population, and resources and wealth. In many districts it is not possible, within the limits of taxation permitted by law, to raise money sufficient to maintain the schools for the length of time required to entitle them to their share of this fund. Since the 2 mill tax was replaced by the \$1,000,000 levy, school attendance has doubled. If the amount distributed by the State were increased and if the distribution were made in such a way as to stimulate local enterprise and liberality, great benefit to the schools would be the inevitable and beneficent result.

STATE SCHOOLS.

Time and experience are demonstrating that the General Assembly has committed no error in the provisions heretofore made for the creation and maintenance of State Normal schools. It is estimated that of the public school teachers employed in Illinois last year, about 1,200 were normal school graduates, and that more than 3,000 others had been normal school students. Provision should be made for the more complete recognition of the value and importance of a normal school training. State Normal school diplomas should be licenses to teach in any county of the State for a limited time, and upon private evidence of satisfactory work they should be converted into perpetual licenses. I urgently recommend such legislation.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

The State University has the magnitude and capabilities and prospects of a wonderful institution. The attendance at this time is 3,200. The faculty is strong and capable. The buildings already in use are spacious and imposing in nearly every instance. Additional buildings will have to be erected. The institution is now one to be most proud of and no backward steps should be taken. Illinois having entered the arena wherein rivalry for supremacy among state universities exists, cannot stop until its university is the equal, in every particular of such institutions as that of the State of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, for example. Adequate appropriations should by all means be provided.

IX. THE BUSINESS OF THE PEOPLE.

THE RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION.

The first report of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, which was for the year ending June 30, 1871, showed a total mileage of all railroad tracks, including single and double main, side tracks, etc., of 5,066½ miles, while the total number of tons of freight carried was 5,936,966. The report for the year ending June 30, 1902, shows a total mileage of 17,673.35, and a total freight tonnage of 125,210,113. In addition to the railroads represented by this

mileage, there are 384 miles of elevated and interurban electric railroad tracks wholly within the State, and several hundred miles more of these classes of railroad chartered and in process of construction, over which the commission has partial jurisdiction. These figures are sufficient to indicate the enormous growth of the transportation interests since the creation of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission. The precise status of elevated and interurban electric railroads, especially of the latter, is a problem now. The statute creating the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and the several amendatory acts, were passed at a time when steam railroads were the only kind known. These other railroads have been developed within recent years and are rapidly becoming, as common carriers, important.

The electric railroads extending from city to city and from village to village are organized under the railroad law of the State, and, like the steam railroads, carry passengers, freight and express, and operate at a speed often exceeding 60 miles per hour. The only essential difference is that of the motive power. The tracks of these railroads are continually crossing and re-crossing the tracks of the steam railroads at grade, and with due regard to the safety of person and property it would seem proper that the commission be given the same jurisdiction over electric railroads as it now exercises over steam railroads. Questions relating to the crossing of steam and electric railroads and of electric railroads with others of the same class, have frequently come before the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and the commission has assumed jurisdiction under the general laws of the State and has heard evidence and entered orders in such cases. In order that all questions of jurisdiction over electric railroads may be settled beyond controversy, there appears to be a necessity for specific legislation defining the duties and powers of the commission with respect to this class of railroads.

I am gratified to be able to state that the reports of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission show that the railroad employes have quite generally participated in the prosperity which has marked the railroad business during the past year.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

In 1891 the amount paid by citizens of this State as premiums on insurance was something over \$20,000,000, while during 1901—ten years later—the amount was a little less than \$50,000,000. There are now about 600 companies of all kinds which report annually to the Insurance Department. The business which they are authorized to transact embraces fire, life, accident, live stock, plate glass, steam boiler, burglary, fidelity, guaranty, employers' liability, and credit indemnity insurance. Over 30,000 agents are annually licensed by the department to transact the business of these companies in this State. During 1901 the department collected \$277,792.12 of fees and taxes from companies on business done in this State. A considerable portion of this, however, was collected under the act of 1899, imposing a tax of two per cent on the gross amount of premiums received in this State, by all companies other than life insurances companies, which has since been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme court, because the companies were, under the provisions of the act by the payment of such tax, relieved from the payment of all local taxes.

The rapid increase of insurable property in this State and the aggregation of so much wealth in single enterprises as to call for an amount of insurance under a single risk in some places over-taxing the ability of authorized companies, have conduced to the formation of unincorporated individual underwriters and Lloyd's associations, to carry on the business of insurance. These do not come within the provisions of our statutes, and are not subject to their requirements. They do not report their condition to the superintendent, and are not subject to the supervision of the department. While some of these are apparently financially responsible, and evince a disposition to deal fairly with the insured, others show little regard for the rights of claimants, and are considered irresponsible. Provision should be made by legislative enactment for such supervision by the State Insurance Depart-

ment, as will relieve the responsible Lloyd's associations and the people of the State, from the injuries caused by irresponsible and disreputable companies of this kind.

The practice of making this State the asylum for offenders against the insurance laws of other states has grown to such an extent of late years that due regard for the good name of the State, and the consideration which legitimate insurance and honorable companies are entitled to, require its suppression. This practice consists of establishing in this State, offices, or agencies of unauthorized companies.

Over half a million of the citizens of this State are members of fraternal societies and assessment insurance companies. They have invested their savings in purchasing for the benefit of their families the indemnity which these companies and societies offer. They are entitled to the best protection which these systems afford.

THE ILLINOIS AND MICHIGAN CANAL.

Over thirty-five years ago the city of Chicago requested the Legislature to order the abandonment of the Calumet feeder whereby the canal, had, up to that time, secured the supply of water for the maintenance of navigation on its summit level from the Calumet river, and asked for and received permission to deepen the level so as to secure a gravity flow from Lake Michigan through the Chicago river and thus cleanse this latter stream by discharging the same through the Illinois and Michigan canal into the Illinois river. About a decade later the Legislature was petitioned for assistance and again relief was afforded by the canal. The city was granted permission to erect pumping works by the use of which the discharge of sewage into the canal was more than quadrupled. But even this in a short time proved inadequate for the necessities of the situation, and the channel of the sanitary district of Chicago, as it stands today, is the result of the further efforts made to find relief.

With the completion of this channel the city of Chicago abandoned the operation of the pumps at Bridgeport, and the Supreme Court of our State decided that it was the duty of the State itself, through its canal commissioners, and at its own expense, to provide for the future maintenance of navigation on this level of the canal. The deposits from the filth-laden waters of the Chicago river had so raised the bed of the canal, and the level of that river at its point of connection with the canal had been so lowered by the opening of the sanitary district channel that it was impossible to secure the required depth by a gravity flow, without an enormous expense. To return to the use of the Calumet feeder was also impracticable for the same and additional reasons. It was finally decided that the most satisfactory and economical plan would be the construction of a modern up-to-date pumping plant, to be operated with electric power. Such a plant has been built and is now practically in readiness for operation. Its cost, directly and indirectly, has been something over \$100,000. The cost to the city of Chicago for operating the old pumping plant, according to the records of that city, varied from \$60,000 to \$120,000 per annum. The estimated cost of operating the new plant is from \$16,000 to \$20,000 yearly, and of this amount about \$11,000 will be returned to the canal treasury in the shape of rental from water power, the creation of which is incidental to this plan of maintaining navigation. This diminution of cost under State management is worthy of notice.

In the past there has been more or less suggestion of abandoning the maintenance of the old canal. That the time for taking such a step has not yet arrived, if it ever should, I am fully satisfied. Without argument and briefly stated, a few of the reasons for this conclusion are as follows:

The Federal Government has nearly finished the construction of the Illinois and Mississippi canal, popularly known as the "Hennepin canal," at an outlay of many millions of dollars. Without the Illinois and Michigan canal as a connecting link with Lake Michigan, the usefulness of this great artificial waterway would be almost entirely destroyed. This is a most important consideration. Its completion will open a navigable waterway to Lake Michigan

and thence to the Atlantic coast for the commerce of a great territory, all of which will be tributary to the old canal and the tolls upon which will materially increase its revenue;—and there can be no doubt that thereafter there will be adequate revenue, and indeed, a substantial and gratifying and annually increasing revenue.

As it stands to day, (although its revenues are insufficient to fully meet the expenses of its operation) as simply a freight regulator, the Illinois and Michigan canal saves millions of dollars annually to the shippers of the State, its influence being felt in all sections, though in varying degrees, this being perfectly demonstrable from a comparison of freight rates from different points to the city of Chicago.

Waterways for transportation purposes are daily growing in favor in all sections. Perhaps the most prominent instance of the growth of this sentiment is to be found in the state of New York—a state whose people have had the largest experience with artificial waterways, and who are the most familiar with the benefits to be derived from their maintenance. Notwithstanding enormous expense to the state, no tolls of any kind are levied on canal traffic in that state, the use of the channel being absolutely free to all kinds of craft and all expenses of operation and maintenance, amounting to millions of dollars annually, being paid from the state treasury. It is now proposed to expend the enormous sum of \$60,000,000 in widening and deepening the channel, and the work will probably be begun during the coming season.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

The annual State Fair of Illinois, held under the supervision of the State Board of Agriculture, has grown to be the greatest exhibition of live stock, farm products, farm implements, and vehicles in the United States, if not in the world. As an agency for advertising the resources of our State, its service to the people has been most valuable. At the fair held in 1902 the exhibitors, or officially authorized delegates, represented not less than 30 states of the Union; and all returned to their respective homes with words of praise. From year to year there has been a progressive improvement of the grounds and of the buildings. Yet such has been the growth of the fair, that the improvements have scarcely kept pace with the requirements for exhibitors' space, and for the perfect accommodation of the vast crowd annually in attendance. The fair brings together from 125,000 to 175,000 people annually—a circumstance which constitutes a most satisfactory endorsement.

At this time I am not in possession of the data necessary to enable me to make specific recommendations as to appropriations for the State Fair and the State Board of Agriculture. All that I can say is to express the hope that the General Assembly will deal with the matter in the most liberal way consistent with the general condition of the State's finances.

STATE FINANCES AND TAXES.

The subject of State finances is one which it would afford me pleasure to discuss at considerable length, so gratifying is the present financial condition of the State, and so astounding is the contrast between conditions now and those which prevailed a few years ago. All debts which were left as a legacy from the Altgeld administration have been paid, and on the first of this month, January, 1903, there was in the treasury a working balance of \$2,875,476.63.

With the growth of the State and its expanding needs, there has been a gradual increase in the appropriations made by the Legislature, the increase from session to session averaging more than one million dollars for the ten years prior to 1901. The increase of the total appropriations made by the Legislature in 1901 over those made in 1899 fell considerably below the average, being \$763,000; and this in spite of the fact that extraordinary appropriations were made, amounting to nearly one million dollars. It is all the more gratifying to know that all this has been brought about without increase of the State tax levy, which remained the same in 1902 as in 1901—50 cents—

and has just been fixed for the ensuing year at 40 cents. Under this levy \$4,000,000 of the necessary \$4,500,000 will be raised, and the treasury balance July 1st next will still be about \$3,500,000.

The State's share (as tax) of the gross receipts of the Illinois Central railroad for the year ending Oct. 31st, 1902, is \$942,061.19. This sum represents \$2,580.85 for every day in the year, and it also represents four per cent on very nearly twenty-five million dollars, which sum may fairly be said to represent the proprietary interests of the State in the Illinois Central railroad. The total receipts of the State from this source, from the completion of the railroad in 1855, to date, are \$20,589,166.63. There has been a rapid and steady increase in the growth of this fund from 1894, when it amounted to \$553,911.49, indicating the growing prosperity of the State, as well as of the railroad company. The amount received during the past year is the largest amount ever received in one year, and indicates that this year the receipts will exceed a full million dollars.

Governor Tanner said in his message to the Forty-Second General Assembly: "The collection of this great revenue costs the State nothing, and it is probable that no State in the Union possesses so valuable and promising a source of revenue for the next fifty years as was provided in the old 'Act to incorporate the Illinois Central Railroad Company,' approved Feb. 10, 1851." His statement is emphasized by the fact that in the past two years the annual income from this source has become nearly two hundred thousand dollars greater.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS AND THEIR WORK.

Lieutenant Governor William A. Northcott is a model official, faithful to every detail of his duty, a most admirable presiding officer, conducting the business of the Senate with expedition, yet with calmness and courtesy, as notable as admirable. Capable of filling acceptably the highest positions, he has been content to do well his duty—and well done that duty has been.

The office of Secretary of State is a great business office. Many branches of the business of the people come into contact with this official and his numerous branches of work. Never in the history of the State has such a vast mass of business gone through this channel, as is the case today. And never has the State derived so large a revenue from licenses of corporations, and other sources of income of this office, as has been derived under the present incumbent, the faithful public servant, James A. Rose.

Treasurer Williamson and Auditor McCullough, in their closely related departments, are guarding well every interest committed to their care. When the recently elected State Treasurer came into office, he found the accounts of M. O. Williamson square, and the books correct, and every dollar unexpended on hand.

State Auditor McCullough is a worthy successor of a long line of auditors of ability. Too much cannot be said in praise of the tremendous amount of hard work done by the Auditor's department, in preparing the very voluminous evidence in support of Illinois' war claim of over \$1,000,000 against the national government.

And too much credit cannot be given to our able and energetic Attorney General, who vigorously prosecuted this claim (which was finally allowed and paid) in addition to carrying on the other important and extensive work of his great office.

I am very proud to have had this great claim allowed and paid during my administration, and feel justified in paying (out of the small appropriation at my disposal for expenses of the State government not otherwise provided for) a share of the expenses, feeling sure popular approval would follow such action.

As already stated, the public school system during the past two years has been under the most capable and efficient supervision. All the people, without regard to politics, may well be proud of the manner in which Prof. Alfred Bayliss, Superintendent of Public Instruction, has administered the trust confided in him.

X. APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENTS AND INSTITUTIONS.

Regarding the several appropriations recommended or suggested in the course of this message, it is my desire that they be considered in strict relation to the general financial condition of the State. Parsimony is not economy, nor is judicious liberality to be regarded as extravagance. I do not favor the increase of any appropriation unless it be clearly justified by conditions and circumstances, but where it is obviously necessary I have no hesitancy in recommending it and the General Assembly should have no hesitancy in voting it.

The question of appropriation for the charitable institutions has been given much attention by the State Board of Charities. With the rapidly increasing number of inmates come increased appropriations and added responsibilities. The State Board of Charities has made a careful investigation, and its recommendations, which will be found in its biennial report, are based upon what its members believe to be the actual requirements, and I strongly recommend that they receive the attention at our hands that their importance demands.

To the several boards and departments I make only such allusions as is essential to the discussion of proposed laws or appropriations. For more complete information, I refer you to their reports, which fully set forth their work.

In conclusion I have only to say that if, at any time during the session, I shall become satisfied that it is my duty to recommend to the General Assembly any particular subject for consideration, I shall not hesitate to exercise the constitutional prerogative of the Executive in that particular, feeling well assured that the General Assembly will carefully and wisely deal with all subjects thus presented.

RICHARD YATES.

January 7, 1903.

The foregoing message was read by the secretary. At the conclusion of which, on motion of Mr. Small, it was ordered that the different subjects referred to in the message be referred to the appropriate committees when formed, and that 10,000 copies thereof be printed for distribution.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a committee of three be appointed to draft suitable resolutions in honor of the memory of ex-Governor John R. Tanner. Under the foregoing resolution the president of the Senate appointed as such committee Senators Gardner, Templeton and Alden.

Mr. Lundberg offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 13.

Resolved, That the Senate proceed to assign seats to the Senators; that in making such assignment the secretary shall place in a hat the numbers of the senatorial districts, and as each number shall be drawn by a page, the Senator representing the district corresponding to such number shall select his seat, and previous to such drawing the seats shall be vacated, the Senators withdrawing from the floor of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Bailey, it was ordered that the two oldest Senators, in point of service, Senators Evans and Humphrey, and Senator Stringer, the Democratic minority leader, and Senator McKenzie,

the president *pro tempore* of the Senate, be allowed to choose their seats in advance of the drawing. Whereupon the Senators above named selected their seats.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution, the Senators then proceeded to draw their seats, at the conclusion of which the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14.

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate of the Forty-second General Assembly be adopted (temporarily) as the rules of the Senate, except rule 66, which provides for meeting of Senate at 9:00 o'clock on Fridays, be stricken out.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 7, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for consideration by the General Assembly, the enclosed act, concerning the Civil Service of the State of Illinois, the passage of which act I respectfully, but earnestly recommend.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.

Governor.

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO REGULATE THE CIVIL SERVICE OF THE
STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

SECTION 1. COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED.—OATH. The Governor shall, within thirty days after this act shall take effect, appoint three persons as Civil Service Commissioners to hold office one until two years, one until four years, and one until six years, from the first day of March, 1903, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualified; and they shall constitute the State Civil Service Commission. And on the first day of March, 1905, and at the end of every two years thereafter the Governor shall, in like manner, and by and with the consent of the Senate, appoint one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such commissioner for six years and until his successor is appointed and qualified. Two commissioners shall constitute a quorum. All appointments to said commission, both original and to fill vacancies, shall be so made that not more than two members shall, at the time of appointment, be members of the same political party. Said commissioners shall hold no other lucrative office or employment under the United States, the State of Illinois, or any municipal corporation or political division thereof. Each commissioner, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath prescribed by the constitution of this State.

§ 2. REMOVAL OF COMMISSIONERS.—VACANCY. The Governor may remove any commissioner for want of moral character, incompetency, neglect of duty or malfeasance in office. The Governor shall, at the same time, report in writing any such removal, to the Senate, with his reasons therefor. If the Legislature is not then in session, such report shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and transmitted by him to the Senate within ten days after the commencement of the next session.

In case of vacancy in the office of commissioner, the unexpired term shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session the Governor may make appointments and fill vacancies in the commissionerships hereby created; but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session (other than the three commissioners first appointed) shall be subject to be confirmed by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent.

§ 3. CLASSIFICATION. Said commissioners shall, within 90 days after their appointment, classify all the offices and places of employment in the State service, with reference to the examination hereinafter provided for, except those offices and places mentioned in section 11 of this act. The officers and places so classified by the commission shall constitute the classified civil service of the State, and no appointments to any of such offices or places shall be made except under and according to the rules hereinafter mentioned.

§ 4. RULES. Said commission shall make rules to carry out the purposes of this act; and for examinations, appointments and removals, in accordance with its provisions; and the commission may, from time to time, make changes in the original rules.

§ 5. PUBLICATION OF RULES—TIME OF TAKING EFFECT. All rules made as hereinbefore provided, and all changes therein, shall forthwith be printed for distribution by the said commission; and the commission shall give notice of the place or places where said rules may be obtained, by publication in one or more daily newspapers published in each of the seven largest cities in the State according to the last general census published by the United States, and in each such publication shall be specified the date, not less than ten days subsequent to the date of such publication, when said rules shall go into operation. Copies of all said rules, and of all changes therein, duly certified by the secretary of the commission, shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and shall also be sent to the county clerk of each county in the State within ten days after the adoption thereof, and shall, by said county clerks, be filed, preserved, indexed, and recorded in well bound books kept for that purpose; which files and records shall be open to inspection by the public at all reasonable hours.

§ 6. EXAMINATIONS. All applicants for offices or places in said classified service, except those mentioned in section 11, shall be subject to examination, which shall be public, competitive, and free to all citizens of the State of Illinois, with limitations specified in the rules of the commission as to residence, age, sex, health, habits, and moral character. Such examinations shall be practical in their character, and shall relate to those matters which will fairly test the relative capacity of the persons examined to discharge the duties of the position to which they seek to be appointed, and may include tests of physical qualifications and health, and when appropriate, of manual skill. No question in any examination shall relate to political or religious opinion or affiliations. The commission shall control all examinations, and may, whenever an examination is to take place, designate a suitable number of persons, either in or not in the official services of the State, to be examiners; and at least one of said commissioners shall attend said examinations, and it shall be the duty of such examiners, and if in the official service it shall be a part of their official duty, without extra compensation, to conduct such examination as the commission may direct, and to make return or report thereof to said commission; and the commission may at any time substitute any other person, whether or not in such service, in the place of any one so selected; and the commission may themselves, at any time, act as such examiners, and without appointing examiners. The examiners at any examination shall not all be members of the same political party.

Such examinations shall be held in each of the seven largest cities in the State according to the last general census published by the United States, and the number of examinations to be held in each of said seven cities shall be, as near as possible, equal to the number held in each one of the others; and whenever the list of persons examined and eligible for original appointment for any position in the classified service shall be less than five, the commission shall hold an examination for such position.

§ 7. NOTICE OF EXAMINATIONS. Notice of the time and place and general scope of every examination shall be given by the commission, by publication, for two weeks preceding such examination, in one or more daily newspapers of general circulation published in each of the seven largest cities in the State according to the last general census published by the United States, and such notice shall also be posted by said commission in a conspicuous place in their office for two weeks before such examination. Such further notice of examination shall be given as the commission shall prescribe.

Written or printed notice of every examination shall also be sent by the commissioners to the county clerk of each county in the State and by him, promptly upon its receipt, posted in a conspicuous place in the courthouse of each county.

§ 8. REGISTERS. From the returns or reports of examiners, or from the examinations made by the commission, the commission shall prepare a register for each grade or class of positions in the classified service of the State of the persons who shall attain such minimum mark as may be fixed by the commission for any part of such examination, and whose general average standing upon examination for such grade or class is not less than the minimum fixed by the rules of said commission, and who are otherwise eligible; and such persons shall take rank upon the register as candidates in the order of their relative excellence as determined by examination, without reference to priority of time of examination.

§ 9. PROMOTION. The commission, shall, by its rules, provide for promotions in such classified service, on the basis of ascertained merit and seniority in service and examination, and shall provide, in all classes where it is practicable, that vacancies shall be filled by promotion. All examinations for promotions shall be competitive among such members of the next lowest rank or grade as desire to submit themselves to such examination; and it shall be the duty of the commission to submit to the appointing power the names of not more than three applicants for each promotion having the highest rating.

The method of examination and the rules governing the same, and the method of certifying, shall be the same as provided for applicants for each promotion having the highest rating.

The method of examination and the rules for governing the same and the method of certifying, shall be the same as provided for applicants for original appointment.

§ 10. APPOINTMENTS TO CLASSIFIED SERVICE. The head of the department or office in which a position classified under this act is to be filled shall notify said commission of that fact, and said commission shall certify to the appointing officer the name and address of the candidate standing highest upon the register for the class or grade to which said position belongs; except that, in cases of laborers where a choice by competition is impracticable, said commission may provide by its rules that the selection shall be made by lot from among those candidates proved fit by examination. In making such certification, sex shall be disregarded, except when some statute, the rules of said commission, or the appointing power specifies sex. Persons who were engaged in the military or naval service of the United States during the civil war and who were honorably discharged and who shall be placed upon the eligible lists under the provisions of this act shall be preferred for appointments to civil offices.

The appointing officer shall notify said commission of each position to be filled separately, and shall fill such place by appointment of the person certified to him by said commission therefor, which appointment shall be on probation for a period of six months. At or before the expiration of the period of probation, the head of the department or office in which a candidate is employed may discharge him upon assigning in writing his reason therefor to said commission. If he is not then discharged his appointment shall be deemed complete.

Said commission shall strike off names of candidates from the register after they have remained thereon more than two years.

§ 11. CIVIL SERVICE OF THE STATE.—CLASSIFIED SERVICE WHAT INCLUDED.—WHAT NOT. All officers (including members of boards, trustees and commissioners, as well as other officers), who are elected by the people, or who are chosen by the General Assembly, or either house thereof, or whose appointment is subject to confirmation by the Senate, the wardens of penitentiaries, superintendents of charitable institutions and State reformatories, all judges and officers appointed by judges of the courts, clerks of courts, notaries public, assistant attorneys appointed by the Attorney General, and all attorneys appointed by any State department, board, or commission, the chief examiner of the Civil Service Commission, all secretaries of State boards, all employes and servants in or connected with the Governor's mansion, or the Governor's office, one chief clerk or deputy, and one private secretary and one stenographer for each of the other persons excepted from civil service appointment by this section, offices and positions in the militia and military departments, the faculties and teachers of the State university and State Normal schools, and persons serving the State without pay, also all employes in the State Treasurer's office who physically handle the public money, shall not be included in the classified service. The Civil Service of the State, as provided for in this act, does not include officers or employes of any county, city, village, town, township, circuit, district, precinct, school district, drainage district, or sanitary district. All other public servants of the State of Illinois are members of the classified service.

§ 12. REMOVALS. No officer or employe in the classified civil service who shall have been appointed under said rules and after said examination, shall be removed or discharged except for cause, upon written charges, and after an opportunity to be heard in his own defense. Such charges shall be investigated by or before said Civil Service Commission, or by or before some officer or board appointed by said commission to conduct such investigation. The finding and decision of such commission or investigating officer or board when approved by said commission, shall in every case be final, and shall be certified to the appointing officer and shall be forthwith enforced by such officer. Nothing in this act shall limit the power of any officer to suspend a subordinate without pay for cause assigned in writing, for a reasonable period not exceeding 30 days. In case any such subordinate is so suspended for a second period within any consecutive six months, such second suspension shall operate as a removal under this section, when approved by the commission.

In the course of an investigation of charges, each member of the commission, and of any board so appointed by it, and any officer so appointed shall have the power to administer oaths, and shall have the power to secure, by its subpoena, both the attendance and testimony of witnesses, and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

Nothing in this section shall be construed to require such charges or investigations in the case of laborers.

§ 13. REPORTS TO COMMISSION. Immediate notice in writing shall be given by the appointing power to said commission of all appointments, permanent or temporary, made in such classified civil service, and of all transfers, promotions, resignations, or vacancies, from any cause, in such service, and of the date thereof; and a record of the same shall be kept by said commission. When any office or place of employment is created or abolished, or the compensation attached thereto altered, the officer or board making such change shall immediately report it in writing to said commission.

§ 14. INVESTIGATIONS. The commission shall investigate the enforcement of this act and of its rules, and the action of the examiners herein provided for, and the conduct and action of the appointees in said classified service; and may inquire as to the nature, tenure, and compensation of all offices and places in the public service of the State. In the course of such investigation, each commissioner shall have the power to administer oaths, and said commission shall have power to secure by its subpoena both the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

§ 15. REPORT OF COMMISSION. Said commission shall, on or before the 15th day of January of each year, make to the Governor a report showing its own action, the rules in force, the practical effects thereof, and any suggestions it may approve for the more effectual accomplishment of the purposes of this act. The Governor may require a report from said commission at any other time.

§ 16. PRESIDENT—CHIEF EXAMINER—SECRETARY OF COMMISSION. Said commission shall select one of its members as president, and shall employ a chief examiner, whose duty it shall be, under the direction of the commission, to superintend examinations, and who shall perform such other duties as the commission shall prescribe. The chief examiner shall be ex-officio secretary of said commission under the direction of the commission. He, as such secretary, shall keep the minutes of its proceedings, preserve all reports made to it, keep a record of all examinations held under its direction, and perform such other duties as the commission shall prescribe.

§ 17. OFFICERS TO AID—ROOMS—MEETINGS. All officers of the State shall aid said commission in all proper ways in carrying out the provisions of this Act.

The Secretary of State shall cause suitable rooms to be provided for said commission at the Capitol in Springfield. It shall be the duty of the officers of the State, or of any civil division thereof, at any place where examinations are directed by the commission, or by its rules to be held, to allow the reasonable use of public buildings and rooms, and to heat and light the same for holding such examinations, and to use all proper ways to facilitate the same.

The commission shall meet in Springfield at least once in each calendar month, except August.

§ 18. SALARIES AND EXPENSES. Each of said commissioners shall receive a salary of \$4,000 a year; the chief examiner shall receive a salary of \$3,500 a year, and said commissioners and chief examiner shall be paid their necessary traveling expenses. Any person not at the time in the official service of the State, serving as a member of the Board of Examiners, or of a trial board, shall receive compensation for every day actually and necessarily spent in the discharge of his duty as an examiner or a member of the trial board, at the rate of not exceeding \$5.00 per day and necessary travelling expenses. Said commission may also incur necessary expenses for clerk hire, printing, stationery, and other incidental expenses, and the said salaries and expenses shall be allowed and paid in the same manner as the salary and expenses of the Governor's office.

§ 19. FRAUDS PROHIBITED. No person or officer shall wilfully or corruptly, by himself or in co-operation with one or more other persons, defeat, deceive or obstruct any person in respect to his or her right of examination hereunder; or corruptly or falsely mark, grade, estimate or report upon the examination or proper standing of any person examined hereunder, or aid in so doing; or wilfully or corruptly make any false representation concerning the same, or concerning the person examined, or wilfully or corruptly furnish to any person, any special or secret information for the purpose of either improving or injuring the prospects or chances of any person so examined, or to be examined, being appointed, employed or promoted.

§ 20. NO OFFICER TO RECEIVE OR SOLICIT POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS. No officer or employe shall solicit, orally or by letter, or receive, or be in any manner concerned in soliciting or receiving any assessment, subscription or contribution, from any member of the classified civil service, for any party or political purpose whatever.

§ 21. NO PERSON TO SOLICIT POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OFFICERS OR EMPLOYES. No person shall solicit, orally or by letter, or be in any manner concerned in soliciting any assessment, contribution or payment for any party or any political purpose whatever, from any officer or employe in the classified service of the State.

§ 22. ASSESSMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS IN PUBLIC OFFICES FORBIDDEN. No person shall, in any room or building occupied for the discharge of official duties by any officer or employe in the State, solicit, orally or by written communication, delivered therein, or in any other manner, or receive, any contribution of money or other thing of value, for any party or political purpose whatever, from any member of the classified service of the State.

No officer, agent, clerk or employe under the government of this State, who may have charge or control of any building, office or room occupied for any purpose of said government, shall permit any person to enter the same for the purpose of therein soliciting or delivering written solicitations for, or receiving from, or giving notice to, any member of the classified service of the State, of any political assessments.

§ 23. ABUSE OF OFFICIAL INFLUENCE PROHIBITED. No officer or employe of the State shall discharge or degrade or promote, or in any manner change the official rank or compensation of, any officer or employe in the classified service of the State, or promise or threaten to do so, for giving or withholding, or neglecting to make any contribution of money, or other valuable thing for any party or political purpose, or for refusal or neglect to render any party or political service.

§ 24. PAYMENT FOR PLACES PROHIBITED. No applicant for appointment in said classified civil service, either directly or indirectly, shall pay or promise to pay, any money or other valuable thing to any person whatever, for or on account of his appointment, or proposed appointment, and no officer or employe in the classified service of the State shall pay or promise to pay, either directly or indirectly, any person any money or other valuable thing whatever, for or on account of his promotion or proposed promotion.

§ 25. RECOMMENDATIONS IN CONSIDERATION OF POLITICAL SERVICE PROHIBITED. No applicant for appointment or promotion in said classified civil service shall ask for or receive a recommendation or assistance from any officer or employe in said service, or from any person, upon the consideration of any political service to be rendered to or for such person, or for the promotion of such person to any office or appointment.

§ 26. ABUSE OF POLITICAL INFLUENCE PROHIBITED. No person, while holding an office or position in the classified service of the State, or in nomination for, or while seeking a nomination for or appointment to any such office, shall corruptly use or promise to use, either directly or indirectly, any official authority or influence (whether then possessed or merely anticipated) in the way of conferring upon any person, or in order to secure or aid any person in securing any office or public employment in the classified service, or any nomination, confirmation, promotion or increase of salary, upon the consideration or condition that the vote or political influence or action of the last named person or any other, shall be given or used in behalf of any candidate, officer or party, or upon any other corrupt condition or consideration.

§ 27. AUDITING OFFICER. The Governor shall not approve any voucher for any claim of any public officer for the services of any person employed in the classified service of the State, in violation of the provisions of this act.

§ 28. APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS TO BE CERTIFIED TO THE STATE AUDITOR. The commission shall certify to the State Auditor, all appointments to offices and places in the classified civil service, and all vacancies occurring therein, whether by dismissal, resignation or death; and all findings made or approved by the commission that a person shall be discharged from the classified civil service under the provisions of section 12 of this act.

§ 29. STATE AUDITOR SHALL APPROVE ONLY OF SALARIES OF LAWFUL EMPLOYEES. No treasurer, paying, fiscal, or auditing officer of the State, shall approve the payment of, or be in any manner concerned in paying, any salary or wages to any person for services, as an officer or employe in the service of the State, unless such person is occupying an office or place of employment according to the provisions of law, and is actually performing the duties thereof, and is entitled to payment therefor.

§ 30. TREASURER TO PAY SALARIES ONLY OF LAWFUL EMPLOYEES. No paymaster, treasurer, or other officer or agent of the State shall wilfully pay, or be in any manner concerned in paying any person any salary or wages for services as an officer or employe of the State, unless such person is occupying an office or place of employment according to the provisions of law, and is actually performing the duties thereof, and is entitled to payment therefor.

§ 31. SALARIES TO BE PAID ONLY AFTER CERTIFICATION. It shall be unlawful for the Auditor or any other fiscal officer of the State to draw, sign or issue, or authorize the drawing, signing or issuing of any warrant on the Treasurer, or any disbursing officer of the State, for the payment of, or for the Treasurer or other disbursing officer of the State, to pay any salary or compensation to any officer, clerk, or other person in the classified service of the State, unless on an estimate, payroll, or account for such salary or compensation, containing the names of the persons to be paid, and a statement of the amount to be paid, and the matter on account of which the same is to be paid shall be filed with him, bearing the certificate of the State Civil Service Commission that the persons named in such estimate, payroll, or account, have been appointed or employed, or promoted, in pursuance of law and of the rules made in pursuance of this Act.

§ 32. COMPELLING TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES—PRODUCTION OF BOOKS AND PAPERS. Any person who shall be served with a subpoena to appear and testify, or to produce books and papers, issued by the commission or by any commissioner, or by any board, or person acting under the orders of the commission, in the course of an investigation, conducted under any of the provisions of this act, and who shall refuse or neglect to appear, or to testify, or to produce books and papers relevant to said investigation, as commanded in such subpoena, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, on conviction, be punished as provided in section 33 of this act.

The fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State.

Any circuit court of this State, or any judge thereof, either in term time or vacation, upon application of any such commissioner, or officer or board, may, in his discretion, compel the attendance of witnesses, the production of books and papers, and giving of testimony before the commission, or before any such commissioner, investigating board or officer, by attachment for contempt or otherwise, in the same manner as production of evidence may be compelled before said court. Every person who, having taken an oath or made affirmation before a commissioner or officer appointed by the commission authorized to administer oaths, shall wilfully swear or affirm falsely, shall be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction shall be punished accordingly.

§ 33. PENALTIES. Any person who shall wilfully, or through culpable negligence, violate any of the provisions of this act, or any rule promulgated in accordance with the provisions thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than \$50, nor more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

§ 34. PENALTIES.—REMOVAL FROM OFFICE. If any person shall be convicted under the last preceding section, any public office or place of public employment which such person may hold shall, by force of such conviction, be rendered vacant.

§ 35. WHAT OFFICERS TO PROSECUTE. Prosecutions for violations of this act may be instituted either by the Attorney General or by the State's attorney for the county in which the offense is alleged to have been committed, and shall be instituted by the Attorney General or by such State's attorney, or by the commission acting through special counsel, as the commission may require. Such suits shall be conducted and controlled by the prosecuting officers who institute them, unless they request the aid of other prosecuting officers.

§ 36. REPEAL. All laws or parts of laws which are inconsistent with this act, or with any of the provisions thereof, are hereby repealed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message from the Governor was ordered referred to the committee on judiciary, when formed.

At 1:06 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

CORRECTED.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. John C. McKenzie president *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The secretary read the following communication which, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

JOLIET, ILL., Jan. 7, 1903.

To the General Assembly of the State of Illinois:

As required by section 31, of article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, I hereby report that during the two years next preceding January 1, 1903, I have held court in the circuit court of Will county 285 days, and in the circuit court of Iroquois county 24 days, and in the circuit court of Grundy county, outside my circuit, one day; and that the rest of my time outside the usual summer vacation has been devoted to the duties required of me as one of the judges of the Appellate court within and for the Second district of Illinois.

Respectfully submitted,

DORRANCE DIBELL,

Judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor.

Mr. President.—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 8, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to submit herewith a report of all moneys expended since October, 1900, and by me since the date of my inauguration as Governor of the State of Illinois, Jan. 14, 1901, including the mansion, office and contingent funds. The vouchers in detail for these expenditures are on file in the Executive Office, for the consideration of your honorable body.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

EXECUTIVE MANSION FUND.

J. Mack Tarnner—	
Amount paid for services caring for mansion and grounds.....	\$ 758 89
Richard Yates, Governor—	
Amount paid for services caring for mansion and grounds.....	645 11
John Oglesby—	
Amount paid for services caring for mansion and grounds.....	2,990 00
Central Union Telephone Co.—	
Telephone services.....	574 60
Springfield Gas Light Co.—	
Gas furnished.....	546 55
Coe Bros.—	
Newspapers, stationery, etc., furnished.....	178 11
John R. Tanner—	
Amount paid D. Leonard, stringing flag pole.....	2 50
Samuel Ray—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 50
Springfield Water Works—	
Water rent.....	152 66
Springfield Coal Association—	
Coal furnished.....	55 45
Ryan & Goodwin—	
Coal furnished.....	464 13
Brown & Canfield—	
Flowers and grass seeds furnished.....	67 50
Lulu Reed—	
Cooking at mansion.....	22 85
C. W. Busher—	
Laying canvas floors.....	17 00
Brinkerhoff & Co.—	
Coal furnished.....	1 20
Van Horn & Link—	
Carpet cleaner, etc., furnished.....	3 50
MacPherson & Edward—	
Candles, lanterns, etc.....	1 34
George Crossman—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 50
C. A. Power—	
Ironing board furnished.....	2 75
A. Dirksen & Sons—	
Chairs, settee, etc., furnished.....	299 35
Myers & Co.—	
Croquet set.....	2 50
Springfield Carpet Co.—	
Matting furnished.....	6 53
Squire Brown—	
Hauling rubbish.....	6 00
J. A. Mussilon & Bro.—	
Repairing locks.....	1 75
W. J. Walsh—	
Flowers, plants, etc., furnished.....	505 90
W. M. Deffenbaugh—	
Repairs.....	10 57
L. E. Wheeler, Postmaster—	
Postage stamps furnished.....	80 00
Wheeler Ice Co.—	
Ice furnished.....	262 51
Schlierbach & Blucke—	
Repairing harness.....	10 60
H. M. Wickham—	
Coal furnished.....	5 00
R. L. Berry—	
Tuning pianos.....	5 50
O. F. Stebbins—	
Hardware.....	6 79
R. N. Dodds—	
Drugs.....	17 40
Louis Lehman—	
Music furnished.....	48 00
R. F. Herndon & Co.—	
Scarfs.....	5 50
Singer Sewing Machine Co.—	
Sewing machine furnished.....	60 00
C. H. Edmands—	
Repairing fountain.....	4 40
R. Haas Electric and Mfg. Co.—	
Repairing electric lights.....	7 95
J. C. Klaholt—	
Care of clock four years and music box.....	200 00
Wabash Railroad Co.—	
Freight on cows.....	9 78
Marshall Field & Co.—	
Aprons, curtains, etc.....	17 20

J. Farmer & Son.—	
Cleaning carpet.....	\$ 25 00
George Crossman—	
Hauling rubbish.....	7 00
Adams Express Co.—	
Expressage	1 00
John Underfanger—	
Draying	2 57
Peter Vredenburg—	
Lath and sash.....	11 84
F. E. Weiss—	
Repairing billiard table.....	7 00
Gerda Standberg—	
Services at mansion.....	18 05
W. A. Pavey—	
Rent for typewriter	10 00
Matilda Wilson—	
Services at mansion.....	13 72
Ed. F. Hartman Co.—	
Scrap books.....	7 50
Springfield Paper Co.—	
Paper furnished.....	50
E. H. Styles—	
Polishing table	10 00
George Crossman—	
Hauling garbage	1 50
Springfield News—	
Newspapers furnished.....	1 00
Springfield Carpet Co.—	
Swiss furnished	5 37
Ryan & Goodwin—	
Coal furnished.....	13 20
J. A. Mussillon & Bro.—	
Repairing locks.....	11 50
G. T. Allen—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 50
Central Union Telephone Co.—	
Telephone services.....	37 40
C. C. Patterson—	
Music furnished.....	9 00
Keefe & Son—	
Feed furnished.....	72 75
B. Brundage—	
Hauling rubbish.....	5 50
E. B. Seward—	
Sodding grounds.....	12 40
Noah Page—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 50
A. E. Odam—	
Blankets, brushes, etc	29 30
R. H. Armbruster—	
Decorating	31 00
J. F. Smith—	
Hauling rubbish.....	4 00
Overaker, Curry & Hoblit—	
Glass and chinaware.....	34 30
John Underfanger—	
Draying	1 00
E. R. Seward—	
Sodding grounds	117 50
McGrue & Powell—	
Kindling wood	1 50
Springfield News—	
Newspapers.....	1 40
Mrs. Richard Yates—	
Amount paid for furniture for mansion.....	475 00
Mandel Bros. —	
Towels and napkins.....	46 45
Geo. H. White—	
Drugs	24 40
Thos. Montgomery—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 00
Ed. F. Hartman Co.—	
Scrap books.....	8 00
Alfred Booth—	
Woodenware.....	11 15
B. M. Singleton—	
Services at mansion.....	28 50
U. S. Express Co.—	
Express charges on furniture.....	40 52
H. Brunk—	
Services at mansion.....	3 50
O. F. Stebbins & Co.—	
Hardware	36 84

Marshall Field & Co.—	
Draperies, etc.....	\$391 32
C. H. Edmands—	
Hardware	27 79
Julius Sappington—	
Services at mansion.....	9 00
T. B. Miller—	
Hauling rubbish.....	1 00
R. N. Dodds—	
Muriatic acid	1 95
B. H. Ferguson—	
Glassware, etc.....	26 60
H. L. Hampton—	
Groceries	10 40
Botanical Decorating Co.—	
Plants, etc.....	16 30
J. L. Hudson & Co.—	
Hooks, etc., furnished	80
Kessberger & George—	
Picture	1 00
Henson, Robinson & Co.—	
Sprinkler.....	2 15
Oscar Ansell—	
Grates, etc.....	6 90
A. Eilson—	
Lumber	40 45
P. E. Taintor—	
Repairing floor in mansion.....	40 55
Sommer & Pierik—	
Silverware	29 00
R. H. Armbruster—	
Mattress.....	3 00
M. F. Dillon—	
Poker	2 00
John Bressmer Co.	
Hooks, etc.....	6 35
Pfohl & Smith—	
Dishes.....	2 43
Henry Schomer—	
Mattress.....	4 25
John V. Farwell & Co.—	
Curtains, etc.....	191 80
John McLelland—	
Dresser, buffet, etc.....	75 25
Wm. R. Schick—	
Tables, pedestal, etc.....	69 00
Marshall Field & Co.—	
Furniture	73 75
Mandel Bros—	
Towels, etc.....	46 45
Mrs. Richard Yates—	
Amount paid for dishes.....	25 11
MacPherson & Edwards—	
Draperies, curtains, etc.....	370 81
Postal Telegraph Cable Co.—	
Telegraph services.....	31 05
S. T. Wolford—	
Hay	14 35
J. E. Rawlins—	
Laying linoleum.....	4 15
Ed Hoffman—	
Sharpening lawn mower.....	4 85
Frank Simmons—	
Periodicals.....	55 55
Farmers' Lumber Co.—	
Lumber	3 10
J. L. Hudson—	
Grass hooks, etc.....	1 50
W. B. Barry—	
Shoeing horses	37 00
George Hodge—	
Shoeing horses.....	3 00
Springfield Wire Screen Co.—	
Screens furnished.....	18 50
American Press Clipping Bureau—	
Clippings furnished.....	10 00
Alexander, Wadsworth & Co.—	
Clocks, etc.....	107 37
Helen Yates—	
Amount paid for flowers, etc.....	2 75
The Hub—	
Uniforms for Governor's coachman.....	134 50
James Dudleson—	
Hauling rubbish.....	50

J. F. Smith—	
Hauling rubbish.....	\$ 7 50
W. B. Miller & Son—	
Rakes furnished.....	1 70
J. F. Smith—	
Hauling rubbish.....	2 50
Clara Correa—	
Money advanced for laundress.....	5 50
J. C. Klaholt—	
Care of clocks.....	12 49
A. W. Barker—	
Disinfecting mansion.....	7 50
R. Haas Electric & Manufacturing Co.—	
Electric light fixtures.....	230 50
Julius Sappington—	
Work at mansion.....	6 00
A. Pottee—	
Work at mansion.....	4 50
C. A. Power—	
Kindling wood.....	1 50
Ryan & Goodwin—	
Coal.....	14 63
T. W. Gant—	
Services as messenger.....	7 00
Ed. F. Hartman Co.—	
Scrap books.....	21 85
Frank Smith—	
Hauling rubbish.....	4 00
Schlierback & Blucke—	
Repairing harness.....	19 95
Helen W. Yates—	
Money advanced for thread, candles, etc.....	24 47
E. R. Marshall—	
Tuning piano.....	4 00
Pillo & Kinneth—	
Shoeing horses.....	10 00
Jordon Marsh & Co—	
Ticking.....	2 40
Overaker, Curry & Hoblit—	
Dishes.....	2 80
Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict—	
Cylinder for typewriter.....	1 70
Peter Vredenburgh Lumber Co.—	
Lumber furnished.....	4 77
W. R. Schick—	
Chairs furnished.....	3 75
The Fair—	
Moulds furnished.....	4 25
Springfield Gas Light Co.—	
Gas furnished.....	22 65
J. A. Mussillon & Bro.—	
Repairing locks.....	6 50
Frank Smith—	
Hauling rubbish.....	10 00
Geo. H. White—	
Benzine.....	20 10
MacPherson & Edwards—	
Curtains.....	20 57
Postal Telegraph Cable Co.—	
Telegraph service.....	20 81
Brand & Goenke—	
Carriage cushion furnished.....	5 50
Adams Express Co.—	
Expressage.....	5 80
P. F. Kimble & Son—	
Painting.....	215 89
Paullin & Patterson—	
Cleaning and painting.....	129 35
Wadsworth Hardware Co.—	
Furniture, fixtures, etc.....	681 15
Culver Construction Co.—	
Repairing.....	430 87
H. B. McVeigh—	
Plumbing.....	212 05
W. S. Robbins—	
Amount paid for services and supplies.....	49 45
Capital Electric Co.—	
Lights furnished.....	55 00
J. Gillett—	
Hauling rubbish.....	28 00
Frank Weidlocker—	
Feed for stock at mansion stables.....	618 25
Cook & McLain—	
Cleaning carpets, etc.....	95 95

Elias Rollins—	
Laying carpets.....	\$ 7 55
Springfield News—	
Newspapers.....	1 30
Edison Decorative and Miniature Lamp Co.—	
Lamps furnished.....	36 00
Central Union Telephone Co.—	
Telephone service.....	23 10
W. B. Barry & Son—	
Shoeing horses.....	16 00
The Hub—	
Suit of livery.....	20 00
A. C. McClurg & Co.—	
Engraving invitations.....	10 00
John Underfanger—	
Draying.....	7 09
Haas Electric Mfg. Co.—	
Lamps and wire furnished.....	4 10
The MacMillan Co.—	
Merchandise furnished.....	1 50
Peter Vredenburg Lumber Co.—	
Lumber furnished.....	24 81
David Odam—	
Pads and harness dressing.....	8 35
Frank Simmons—	
Stationery.....	26 42
Illinois State Register—	
Newspapers.....	6 76
Louis Lehman—	
Music for New Year's day.....	27 00
Dr. A. Barker—	
Professional services.....	4 00
M. K. Weems & Co.—	
Laundry work.....	15 59
Ed. F. Hartmann Co.—	
Cards, memoranda, etc.....	20 70
Culver Construction Co.—	
Repairing mantel.....	5 86
W. B. Miller & Son—	
Nails furnished.....	2 40
Abner Naylor—	
Services at mansion.....	5 00
F. M. E. Sewing Society—	
Making comfort.....	1 60
Elias Rollins—	
Laying carpet.....	2 15
C. F. Kimball & Co.—	
Cocoa matting furnished.....	51 59
U. S. Express Co.—	
Express charges.....	18 50
Henry B. McVeigh—	
Flue brush.....	3 00
Alfred Booth—	
Mop heads furnished.....	4 85
Springfield Paper Co.—	
Paper furnished.....	2 90
Cook & McLain—	
Dyeing carpets.....	17 80
A. H. Abbott & Co.—	
Merchandise.....	3 70
J. M. Rippey—	
Plumbing.....	13 65
Elias Rollins—	
Laying carpets.....	2 50
A. Dirksen & Sons—	
Furniture.....	115 70
Central Union Telephone Co.—	
Telephone services.....	25 40
John Graham—	
Chair furnished.....	11 00
Myers & Van Duyn—	
Carriage supplies furnished.....	27 50
Overaker, Curry & Hoblit—	
Dishes furnished.....	9 45
Cook & McLain—	
Cleaning carpets.....	18 30
A. C. McClurg & Co.—	
Stationery.....	32 40
Maria Johnson—	
Flowers.....	5 00
George H. White—	
Fish food.....	10 95
Culver Construction Co.—	
Repairing doorstep.....	49 19
Peter Vredenburg Lumber Co.—	
Lumber.....	8 50

James H. Rice & Co.—	
Mirrors.....	\$176 25
Alexander & Wadsworth—	
Merchandise.....	67 25
P. F. Kimble & Son—	
Glass furnished.....	13 95
B. H. Ferguson—	
Dishes.....	4 18
W. W. Dunn—	
Electric work at mansion.....	12 00
Johnson & Hatcher—	
Matting furnished.....	5 91
Helen W. Yates—	
Money advanced for supplies for mansion.....	160 57
Adams Express Co.—	
Expressage.....	7 82
Springfield News—	
Newspapers.....	1 30
Illinois State Journal—	
Newspapers.....	2 00
Temp Watts—	
Services at mansion.....	17 85
J. F. Barkley—	
Services at mansion.....	3 00
George H. White—	
Drugs.....	11 95
Springfield Journal—	
Newspapers.....	6 50
J. C. Klaholt—	
Repairing music box.....	16 00
C. H. Edmands—	
Tin work at mansion.....	17 20
J. C. Newman—	
Tin work at mansion.....	7 65
Culver Construction Co.—	
Repairing fireplace.....	28 72
John H. Smith—	
Repairing chair.....	4 00
U. S. Express Co.—	
Expressage.....	2 60
John Underfanger—	
Drayage.....	5 13
Vredenburg Lumber Co.—	
Lumber.....	1 28
James H. Rice Co.—	
Resetting mirrors.....	20 00
S. L. Zimmerman—	
Sodding.....	30 25
Schlierbach & Blucke—	
Harness dressing, etc.....	7 00
O. F. Stebbins & Co.—	
Repairing material.....	14 00
Harrison Clark—	
Services at mansion.....	31 50
J. M. Rippey—	
Plumbing.....	15 75
Ed F. Hartmann Co.—	
Scrap books, etc.....	22 16
John C. Pierik—	
Repairing clock.....	2 90
George H. White—	
Drugs.....	8 20
J. C. Klaholt—	
Disc for music box.....	6 60
Ed F. Hartmann & Co.—	
Basket.....	1 15
John Underfanger—	
Draying.....	7 00
Harrison Clark—	
Work at mansion.....	6 00
Eugene Wilson—	
Work at mansion.....	6 00
R. L. Polk & Co.—	
Springfield directory.....	5 00
Margaret Moneyhan—	
Services at mansion.....	12 50
Henry Wilson—	
Services at mansion.....	5 00
Illinois State Register—	
Newspapers.....	6 76
Pillo & Kinneth—	
Shoeing horses.....	18 00
Wm. Deffenbaugh—	
Carpenter work.....	6 80

S. L. Zimmerman— Labor at mansion.....	\$ 5 00
James H. Rice Co.— Mirrors.....	195 00
W. B. Barry & Son— Shoeing horses.....	28 50
Paulin & Patterson— Painting.....	165 90
John Graham— Repairing furniture.....	40 20
C. A. Powers— Kindling.....	1 50
R. Haas Electric Mfg. Co.— Lamps furnished.....	94 69
George H. White— Drugs.....	7 00
Culver Construction Co.— Sand.....	6 00
Johnston & Hatcher— Rings, poles, etc.....	2 79
Henry Wilson— Services at mansion.....	10 30
Laura Peterson— Services at mansion.....	10 00
Henson Robinson Co.— Oil stove furnished.....	1 35
Simon P. Webster— Services at mansion.....	4 00
J. L. Hudson & Co.— Hardware.....	23 56
Adams Express Co.— Expressage.....	7 98
John Oglesby— Amount paid for services at mansion.....	15 45
Capital Electric Co.— Lamps, etc., furnished.....	29 00
Albert Babb— Veterinary services.....	25 00
Miss Rohrer— Services at mansion.....	6 25
Ed. F. Hartmann Co.— Rubber stamps, etc.....	8 95
Riefler & Perkins— Plumbing.....	12 00
Vredenburg Lumber Co.— Lumber.....	1 65
Overaker, Curry & Hoblitt— Glassware.....	7 45
Eugene Wilson— Services at mansion.....	7 00
Ed. F. Hartmann Co.— Scrap book.....	7 50
Johnson & Hatcher— Filling furnished.....	8 45
Emma Pankey— Services at mansion.....	6 00
J. E. Rollins— Laying carpet.....	6 53
A. C. Brown— Grass seed and plants for lawn.....	82 95
Springfield Waterworks— Water rent.....	41 58
Total.....	<u>\$16,584 23</u>
Balance Oct. 1, 1900.....	\$ 5,054 88
By appropriation of 1901.....	10,000 00
By appropriation for refurbishing.....	3,000 00
By appropriation for repairs.....	2,000 00
Total.....	<u>\$20,054 88</u>
To expenditures.....	\$16,584 23
Balance on hand.....	3,470 15
Total.....	<u>\$20,054 38</u>

OFFICE OF GOVERNOR.

Private secretary, executive clerk and stenographer	\$5,000 00
Porter and messenger.....	600 00
Typewriter.....	50 00
Postage	646 25
Telegraph services.....	554 59
Telephone services.....	229 71
Newspapers.....	108 28
Expressage	12 20
Ice	30 00
Extra stenographer	153 50
Incidental office expenses	118 53
Private secretary, executive clerk and stenographer.....	7,500 00
Porter and messenger.....	900 00
Postage.....	550 00
Telegraph services.....	841 82
Telephone services.....	434 10
Newspapers.....	47 30
Extra janitor services.....	68 05
Refurnishing and repairs.....	1,500 00
Incidental office expenses.....	97 05
Ice	30 00
Total.....	<u>\$19,471 38</u>
Balance October 1, 1900—	
Secretary's fund.....	\$ 5,000 00
Janitor's fund	600 00
Office fund.....	1,903 06
By appropriations of 1901—	
Secretary's fund.....	12,000 00
Janitor's fund.....	1,440 00
Office fund.....	3,000 00
Refurnishing fund.....	1,500 00
Total.....	<u>\$25,443 06</u>
Expenditures.....	\$19,471 38
Balance on hand.....	5,971 68
Total.....	<u>\$25,443 06</u>

CONTINGENT FUND OF THE GOVERNOR.

W. L. Gross—	
Amount paid expenses of preliminary report of the Practice Commission....	\$ 10 01
Paul Hull—	
Services for special investigation of the State institutions under the direction of the Governor.....	620 00
Wm. H. Yates—	
Service six months as special appointment clerk in Governor's office.....	600 00
W. S. Robbins—	
Clerical services in Governor's office, five months.....	1,097 21
Lottie E. Wancker—	
Services as stenographer for the Governor	146 65
F. E. Dresser—	
Clerical services in Governor's office.....	50 00
A. Dirksen & Sons—	
Desks, chairs, etc., for Governor's office.....	140 00
Mercy Jackson—	
Clerical services for the Governor.....	240 00
Western Union Telegraph Co.—	
Telegraph services for Governor's office.....	304 28
Postal Telegraph Cable Co.—	
Telegraph services for Governor's office.....	89 25
A. L. Draper—	
Special work on appointment record for Governor.....	100 00
Nellie M. Rouse—	
Special services as stenographer for Governor.....	204 00
E. J. Hamilton—	
Special services for Governor.....	60 00
R. Haas Electric & Mfg. Co.—	
Electric fixtures for Governor's office.....	49 75
Jno. D. G. Oglesby—	
Special services in Governor's office.....	225 00
L. E. Wheeler, Postmaster—	
Postage on proclamation of Governor.....	55 00
A. L. Draper—	
Special work of appointment record for the Governor	100 00
Mary Lynch—	
Special services as stenographer for the Governor.....	150 00

W. H. Eubanks— Railroad fare and necessary expenses of trip to Washington, D. C., furnishing evidence in civil war claim.....	200 00
Adrian Sizer— Amount paid expenses assisting to adjust civil war claim against U. S. government.....	69 00
M. T. Layman— Amount paid railroad fare and other necessary expenses of trip to Washington, D. C., to prosecute claim of State vs. U. S. Government.....	500 00
M. E. Stewart— Services as stenographer for the Governor.....	6 00
Dick Steele— Services as acting private secretary for Governor.....	25 00
G. L. Jones— Services as stenographer for the Governor.....	20 00
Anna D. Grout— Services as index clerk in Governor's office.....	150 00
Total.....	<u>\$5,211 15</u>
Balance Oct. 1, 1900.....	\$ 7,661 78
By appropriation of 1901.....	10,000 00
	<u>\$17,661 78</u>
Lapsed into treasury.....	3,725 63
	<u>\$13,936 15</u>
Expenditures.....	\$5,211 15
Balance on hand.....	8,725 00
	<u>\$13,936 15</u>

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell presented the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein. That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, Jan. 8, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, Jan. 13, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration, and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 1, for "An act concerning and authorizing the annexation of territory to sanitary districts,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, when formed.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 2, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Revenue, when formed.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 10:30 o'clock a. m.

10:30 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House, by Mr. Barnes, Assistant Clerk.

Mr. President.—I am instructed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives is fully organized with the following list of officers, and is now ready for the transaction of business:

Speaker—John H. Miller.

Clerk—John A. Reeve.

First Assistant Clerk—B. H. McCann.

Second Assistant Clerk—John A. Barnes.

Third Assistant Clerk—J. H. Bassett.

Doorkeeper, Z. K. Landers.

First Assistant Doorkeeper—Joseph Evans.

Second Assistant Doorkeeper—Frank Enriette.

Third Assistant Doorkeeper—Richard Blue.

Postmaster—Mrs. Millie Jackson.

Assistant Postmaster—Mrs. Henrietta Vest.

Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—Charles H. Thatcher.

First Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—J. F. Hall.

Second Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk—E. A. Lyons.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

A message from the House, by Mr. Barnes, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President.—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That on Tuesday, the 20th day of January instant, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., each house shall by itself, and in the manner prescribed by sections 14 and 15 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, name a person for Senator in the Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois, for a term of six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903; and on Wednesday, the 21st day of January instant, at 12:00 o'clock meridian, the members of the two houses shall convene in joint assembly in the hall of the House of Representatives and in the manner prescribed by law declare the person who has received a majority of the votes in each house, if any person has received such majority, duly elected Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States for the term aforesaid; and if no person has received such majority, then proceed as prescribed in said law in joint assembly to choose a person for the purpose aforesaid.

Adopted Jan. 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was taken up for consideration.

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House, by Mr. Barnes, assistant clerk:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the two houses meet in joint session in the hall of the House of Representatives, on Thursday, the eighth (8th) day of January, A. D. 1903, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the election for State officers held on the 4th day of November, 1902, as required by the Constitution of this State.

Adopted Jan. 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was taken up for consideration.

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House, by Mr. Barnes, assistant clerk:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with them in the adoption of the following joint resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, Jan. 8, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, Jan. 13, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted Jan. 8, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

At 11:00 o'clock a. m. the President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced that the House of Representatives was ready to receive the Senate in joint session for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the votes cast for State officers at the election held Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1902.

Whereupon, the Senate, preceded by the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, repaired to the hall of the House of Representatives for the purpose above stated.

JOINT SESSION.

The joint session being convened, the Speaker of the House of Representatives presiding, he announced that the business in order was the canvassing of the returns of votes cast at the election for State officers held on Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1902, in accordance with the Constitution of the State and as directed by the joint resolution adopted by both houses.

By direction of the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Secretary of the Senate called the roll of the Senate, whereupon the following answered to their names: Messrs:

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Helm,	Maher,	Rainey,
Alden,	Evans,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Jandus,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Butler,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,			-32

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced that a quorum of the Senate was present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives directed the clerk of the House of Representatives to call the roll of the members thereof, whereupon the following answered to their names: Messrs:

Allen,	Corigan,	Hughes,	Miller, J. O.,	Schnipper,
Arnold,	Cummings,	Hunt,	Minnis,	Shanahan,
Arrand,	Curtis,	Isermann,	Mitchell,	Sherman,
Austin,	Davis, F. L.,	Johnson,	Montelius,	Shurtleff,
Backus,	Davis, A.,	Jonas,	Montgomery,	Smejkal,
Beitler,	Deady,	Kerrick,	Moran,	Stevenson,
Black,	Desmond,	Kleeman,	Morris,	Stewart,
Blish,	Donoghue,	Knolla,	Mundy,	Struckman,
Boll,	Doyle,	Kopf,	Murray,	Sunderland,
Boulware,	Drew,	Landmesser,	Nagel,	Swigart,
Bowles,	Edwards,	Lawrence,	Nohe,	Taggart,
Breidt,	Elliott,	Leaverton,	Noonan,	Tibbetts,
Browne,	Erickson, F. E.,	Linden,	Norden,	Tice,
Brundage,	Erickson, S. E.,	Lindly,	Noyes,	Tippit,
Bundy,	Eskeu,	Lish,	Oldam,	Trautmann,
Burgett,	Farley,	Luke,	Owen,	Turner, G. T.,
Burke,	Farris,	Lurton,	Parish,	Turner, J. W.,
Burton,	Fligel,	Lyon,	Patterson,	Underwood,
Bush,	Gallagher,	Magill,	Pattison,	Uppendahl,
Busse,	Gaunt,	McClenathan,	Pedersen,	Walker,
Carrillon,	Geshkewich,	McDonough,	Pendarvis,	Wallace,
Castle,	Gillespie,	McElvain,	Petrie,	Weare,
Cavanagh,	Glade,	McGuire,	Pullen,	Webster,
Cermak,	Gordon,	McKinley, M. L.,	Rapp,	Werdell,
Cherry,	Gray,	McKinley, W.,	Rice,	Wetherbee,
Chiperfield,	Greenebaum,	McManaman,	Rinaker,	Wheeler,
Christian,	Groves,	McNulty,	Rodman,	Wilkerson,
Church,	Haines,	McRoberts,	Russell,	Wilson,
Clark,	Hardin,	Meeteren,	Samuelson,	Mr. Speaker.
Clettenberg,	Heffernan,	Miller, D. B.,	Schlagenhauf,	-152.
Cooke,	Hinds,	Miller, I.,		

The Speaker announced that a quorum of the House of Representatives was present.

A majority of each House of the General Assembly being present, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Section four (4) of Article five (5) of the Constitution, proceeded to open the returns of the election held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, 1902, the same being the 4th day of November, for State Treasurer and for Superintendent of Public Instruction, and to publish the same.

The returns having been duly opened and published in the presence of a majority of the members of each House in the General Assembly, the Speaker announced the result of the canvass of the votes cast at the election aforesaid for State Treasurer and Superintendent of Public Instruction, to be as follows:

FOR STATE TREASURER.

Fred A. Busse (Republican) received.....	450,695	votes
George Duddleston (Democrat) received.....	360,925	"
Charles H. Tuesburg (Prohibition) received.....	18,434	"
A. W. Nelson (Socialist) received.....	20,167	"
Gottlieb Renner (Socialist Labor) received.....	8,235	"
Diedrich Balster (People's) received.....	1,518	"
Scattering.....	1	"

And it appearing from the canvass that Fred. A. Busse had received the highest number of votes cast for any one person for the office of State Treasurer, he was duly declared elected to the office of State Treasurer of Illinois for the term of two years, beginning on the 12th day of January, A. D., 1903, being the second Monday thereof, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Alfred Bayliss (Republican) received.....	442,505	votes
Anson L. Bliss, (Democrat) received.....	359,497	"
Charles A. Blanchard (Prohibition) received.....	18,517	"
J. B. Smiley (Socialist) received.....	19,352	"
John R. Pepin (Socialist Labor) received.....	8,030	"
William C. Gullett (People's) received.....	1,410	"

And it appearing from the canvass that Alfred Bayliss had received the highest number of votes cast for any one person for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, he was duly declared elected to the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction for the term of four years beginning on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1903, being the second Monday thereof, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

The business of the joint session being completed, at 11:05 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Shanahan, the joint session dissolved.

Whereupon the Senate repaired to the Senate chamber and at 11:10 o'clock a. m. resumed the transaction of business, and

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Thursday, January 8, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Riley, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint E. H. Kinney, of Table Grove, Fulton county, as trustee of the Western Illinois State Normal School, to succeed B. M. Chipfield, of Canton, Fulton county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES, *Governor*.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint James M. Lee, of Decatur, Macon county, as Commissioner of the Court of Claims, to succeed Douglas W. Helm, of Metropolis, Massac county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES, *Governor*.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Dennis Hogan, of Geneva, Kane county, for minority member of the State Board of Arbitration, to succeed Frederick W. Job, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,
RICHARD YATES, *Governor*.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Berry offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved, That this Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret of the death of Hon. William F. Harris, late Senator from the 28th District, of Ferris, Hancock county, Illinois, and member of the Forty-second General Assembly, who departed this life at his home on the 3rd day of November, 1901, in the midst of his term of office.

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Harris, this Senate lost a useful and earnest member; the State, a patriotic citizen, an able and faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the community in which he lived has lost a law-abiding and honorable citizen, and his family a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate and transmitted to the widow and family of the deceased, and as a further mark of respect for his memory, this Senate do now adjourn.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration, and on his motion, the further consideration of the resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, January 27, 1903, after the regular order of business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 3, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a board of fire and police commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 7,000 nor more than 100,000, and prescribing the powers and duties of such board,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities, when formed.

Mr. Burnett introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 4, for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for the non-compliance with the provisions thereof,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Burnett, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 5, for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities, when formed.

Mr. Albertsen introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 6, for "An act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 7, for "An act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 8, for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the employes of the Forty-third General Assembly,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 9, for "An act entitled, 'An act to repeal an act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions hereof, approved May 11, 1901, and in force January 1, 1902,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 10, for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday was read, and ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Stubblefield presented a petition from the State committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution concerning an appropriation for the preservation of Fort Massac, which,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was ordered spread upon the journal and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

The papers enclosed contain the action of the State committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Fort Massac, indorsed unanimously by the State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution, in session at Springfield Oct. 14, 1902.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of the State of Illinois—Greeting:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned, respectfully represent that we are members of a society organized in recent years for the purpose, among other objects, of restoring the memorials of the American Revolution and the early days of American history. Believing that, as President Lincoln said in his first inaugural address: "The time has come when the mystic chords of memory stretching from every battlefield and patriot grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union when again touched, as surely they will be, by the angels of our better nature."

In the spirit of that historic address we have attempted the work which has been set before us. Our sisters, working in all the states of the Union, south and north, have restored many of the memorials of the great Revolutionary war, and many memorials of the struggles of the American people of later days.

In all ways we have devoted ourselves to the purpose of our declaration.

Among all the states of the Union, none have a much older, and certainly none a more heroic, history than the State of Illinois. The busy spirit of commercialism has obliterated many of the marks of the pioneer. Fort Dearborn is covered by business houses; the remorseless march of time and the elements has left historic Kaskaskia and Cahokia unmarked.

But there is one place, the oldest and most famous of them all, which has been spared to us for now two centuries.

At the edge of the city of Metropolis, the county seat of Massac, are the ruins of a fort, the first foundations of which were established in 1702, and which was then occupied by the French voyagers. It is upon the banks of

the River Ohio, on a high and and slightly bluff, overlooking a wide range of Kentucky and Illinois shore. The French were succeeded in its possession by the Spaniards, and they yielded its control to the Indians.

It was again occupied by the French, and then by the English troops, and finally it was surrendered to the American forces during or about the time of George Rogers Clark's famous Kaskaskia expedition.

It occupied a very considerable place in the attention of Congress and of the President. An expedition was dispatched at one time from Carlisle, Pa., under General Forbes to recover its possession when it was held by the British. Washington, when President of the United States, himself directed its restoration and occupancy.

While the Ohio river was used as the great channel of communication between the further west and the east, it was a conspicuous landmark, but in later years, owing to the building of railroads far distant from it, changing the lines of travel it has ceased to have the prominence it once possessed.

But it is still marked as the frontiersmen and voyagers and the older soldiers marked it—a simple bastion fort, with its magazines and water supply all provided for. The lines of the ramparts, while much reduced, have been, owing to the protection of the grass, fairly well preserved. All in and around this fort are growing forest trees of stately magnitude.

Old Fort Massac is so intimately associated with that which is heroic and great in the early settlement and conquest of the northwest from the savage and from foreign foes, that we believe it is only necessary to present the facts in this case to your honorable body in order that you will take steps to rescue it from decay or the spoilation of private ownership.

We have been in communication with the owner of the land, the Hon. Reed Green, and we believe that that gentleman will ask no extortionate price for his property. Estimates that have been made assure us that for the first two years of the ownership by the State and the restoration of Fort Massac to its former condition and appearance, no greater outlay will be needed than \$10,000 and we earnestly and respectfully request that your honorable body will cause the said fort to become the property of the State of Illinois; will cause it to be set aside and preserved forever as a memorial of the older days of the State and the Republic, and a monument to the greatness and sacrifices of the men who obtained it for our people against all holders under the supervision of the proper trustees.

We append hereto a copy of preamble and bill to which we respectfully invite the attention of your honorable body, and ask that it may receive your favorable consideration with such modification in the text and amount, as may seem best to your wisdom.

WHEREAS, The ancient landmarks of American settlement and developments, and in particular of the struggle of the American colonies for independence are being sought for, restored and preserved by the patriotic men and women of our country as sacred object lessons in patriotism for the education of the youth of America; and

WHEREAS, Beginning 200 years since, the site of old Fort Massac, situated in Massac county, Illinois, was occupied alternately by the French, the Spanish, the English, the Indian people and the pioneers of our own people; and

WHEREAS, The remaining earthworks thereof are associated with the American struggle for independence and especially with the expedition of George Rogers Clark and 151 companions in which Illinois and the great northwest was conquered to the Union and saved to the United States; and

WHEREAS, On this spot, old Fort Massac, the flag of our country was first raised over Illinois soil; and

WHEREAS, Afterward during our threatened trouble with France and Spain, said fort was repaired and garrisoned by order of President George Washington, the father of our country; and

WHEREAS, The said fort was made headquarters of the army under Gen. Anthony Wayne and during the war of 1812 was garrisoned and occupied by the territorial militia of Illinois for the protection of the American borders against the incursions of hostile Indians in league with Great Britain; and

WHEREAS, The vestiges of this historic fort must disappear unless rescued and preserved by patriotic hands; and

WHEREAS, It is the sole remaining original monument in Illinois of all our border struggles and growth; and

WHEREAS, The Daughters of the American Revolution in Illinois and elsewhere have manifested a strong desire to restore and preserve old Fort Massac as an object lesson in patriotism; and

WHEREAS, The city of Metropolis in said Massac county, through its city council, has expressed a willingness to contribute liberally to the expense of caring for and preserving the fort and surrounding grounds as a memorial park for the enjoyment of the citizens of our State and country; and

WHEREAS, The Daughters of the American Revolution in Illinois and elsewhere have petitioned this General Assembly in this behalf.

With sentiments of highest regard,

Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks,
President General Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Charles H. Deere,
State Regent.

Mrs. Adlai E. Stevenson,
Honorary President General.

Mrs. Richard Yates,
Honorary Member of Springfield Chapter.

Mrs. Julius A. Coleman,
Regent of Chicago Chapter.

Mrs. Charles Ridgely,
Ex-Regent of Springfield Chapter.

Mrs. Matthew T. Scott,
Vice President General.

Committee.

A BILL

For an act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the Historic Fort Massac as a state park.

Be it Enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in General Assembly: SECTION 1. That the Governor, Secretary of State, and Auditor of the State of Illinois, and the State Regent of Illinois of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and two Illinois daughters appointed by State Regent, all to serve without remuneration, and their successors in office, shall constitute a board of trustees, and by the name and style of the Fort Massac Trustees shall have power to receive a conveyance from the Hon. Reed Green or other owner or owners thereof, of the property, not less than ten (10) nor more than forty (40) acres in extent, extending from the north-western edge of the Ohio river at low water mark in the county of Massac and State of Illinois, lying as near square in form as possible, containing the site of Old Fort Massac, and to hold the same in perpetuity, but in trust for the State of Illinois; to execute in said name and style and deliver to the said Reed Green or other owner or owners as may be determined by investigation, a contract covenanting with the said Reed Green and his heirs and others aforesaid, if any, and their heirs, that said Old Fort Massac shall be forever kept in good repair and free of access to the public under such regulations as they may deem wise for the proper preservation of the property aforesaid.

§ 2. Said board shall have full authority over and control of said property; shall have power to contract with reference to the proper care and custody thereof, and all such articles of antiquity and curiosity as may there be collected, and with reference to restoration and repair of said Old Fort Massac and proper care of said property; to the employment of a suitable person to care for the same and to exhibit it to the public; and in said name and style may sue or be sued in reference to any matters pertaining to the powers and trusts hereby created.

§ 3. It shall be the duty of said trustees to use the moneys that may from time to time be appropriated by the General Assembly, so far as can be done with such moneys, to keep said premises in good repair; to keep the same open and free of access to the public at all seasonable hours; to authorize the erection on said premises by the Illinois organizations of the Daughters of the American Revolution and their associates in the nation at large, a monument commemorative of the history of Old Fort Massac and of their connection with the restoration and care of the same; and to authorize the inscription upon said monument of such reasonable and proper inscription as will fully set forth the facts referred to in the preamble to this act.

§ 4. There is hereby appropriated the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars to defray the expenses of purchasing said premises, and employing a custodian and carrying out the purposes of this act, for the period of two years after the approval of this act, and to be paid out of any moneys of the treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated, on warrants of the Auditor upon the Treasurer, approved by the Governor, on the direction of a majority of said board, from time to time, as the same may be required for the purposes of this act.

§ 5. Said board shall report to each General Assembly before the twentieth (20th) day of each regular session a detailed account of all their transactions and of all expenditures made by them, and also such recommendations as they may deem proper for the consideration of the General Assembly.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Watson offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

WHEREAS, A large majority of the voters at the late election in this State expressed their desire that Senators in Congress of the United States be elected by direct vote of the people; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring herein, That each candidate for the office of United States Senator before the 43d General Assembly be required to pledge his unqualified support of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

Mr. Dawson offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the universe has called to Himself the spirit of ex-Governor John P. Altgeld, a distinguished citizen of Illinois and the nation, a man who by the very genius of his nature rose from an humble beginning to the highest office of a great commonwealth, and

WHEREAS, The life work of the Hon. John P. Altgeld, has been such as to endear him to every lover of liberty and sympathizer of struggling humanity. He was noted for his integrity, sturdy independence of character, devotion to friends and his recognition of the equality of all men who are honest and upright without regard to color or nationality. He hated and despised slavery

and oppression in every form. He believed in the preservation of this great Union with the flag waving over it is a shield of our protection. His heart and hand were ever for the good of all mankind, and

WHEREAS, We hold in high esteem his many virtues, his undaunted bravery as a leader, his fearless public utterances and his humane interest in every department of human endeavor. His many sacrifices for the good of mankind, the relief of the oppressed at home and abroad, and his spotless private life has endeared him to the lovers of humanity; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, hereby express our profound sorrow at his death, which occurred March 12, 1902, and we recognize that the cause of free government has lost one of its brilliant advocates, and the State of Illinois a distinguished citizen, a brave soldier, an eminent jurist, a forceful writer and great statesman. He was a strong and forcible debater, a man thoroughly master of the subjects he discussed, and an intense believer in the policy and principles he advocated, which has placed his name high upon the pinnacle of fame.

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved widow our sincere and heartfelt sympathy, and that a copy of these resolutions be engrossed and forwarded to Mrs. Altgeld, and that the same be spread upon the journal of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dawson, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 11, for "An Act making appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 12, for "An Act relating to the operation of railroads,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Railroads, when formed.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 13, for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 14, for "An Act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (9,000) dollars in purchasing a life sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and

ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting the same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 15, for "An Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled 'An Act to revise the law in relation to dower' approved March 4, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 16, for "An Act providing for regulating the primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions, and candidates and committeemen of political parties or organizations, in counties having a population of 50,000 or more, and the cities, villages or incorporated towns therein,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker was referred to the Committee on Elections, when formed.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 17, for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 18, for "An Act to repeal an act entitled, 'An Act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization, and in townships in counties under township organization, outside of the corporate limits of incorporate cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers, and provide for enforcing the same,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 19, for "An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections and the nomination of candidates for offices by political parties or organizations, and for the placing of the names of such nominees upon the official ballot at elections to be hereafter held in this State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Elections, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 20, for "An Act making appropriations for the maintenance of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal, Illinois, for the two years beginning July 1, 1903,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 21, for "An Act to provide for the erection of a monument and for markers to memorize the participation in and the positions occupied by Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, and making appropriations therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 7, a bill for "An Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 8, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the employes of the Forty-third General Assembly,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive messages, received January 13, 1903, were taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint E. H. Kinney of Table Grove, Fulton County, as Trustee of the Western Illinois State Normal school, to succeed B. M. Chipfield, of Canton, Fulton county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint James M. Lee of Decatur, Macon county, as Commissioner of the Court of Claims, to succeed Douglas W. Helm of Metropolis, Massac county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 13, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Dennis Hogan of Geneva, Kane county, for minority member of the State Board of Arbitration, to succeed Frederick W. Job, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

And the question being "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made," it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Yeas, 48.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg.	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton.	McCabe,	Small,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Coleman,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rainey,	

Yeas—48.

At 10:14 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

At 10:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, Jan. 14, 1903, was being read, when,

On motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President, I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 15, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Joseph F. Shreve of Jacksonville, Morgan county, as member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to succeed G. H. Sohrbeck of Moline, Rock Island county, term expired.

This gentleman is nominated in compliance with the law providing that the Governor may appoint from a list of nominations presented by the Illinois Pharmaceutical association.

I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

The Secretary of the Senate reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 7.

A bill for an act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State house and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for.

SENATE BILL NO. 8.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the payment of the employés of the Forty-third General Assembly.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr Farrelly presented a petition from Carrollton Post No. 442, Department of Illinois G. A. R., asking that an appropriation be made for the purpose of erecting a suitable memorial to commemorate the campaign and siege of the battle of Vicksburg, which,

On motion of Mr. Farrelly, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 22, for "An Act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 23, for "An Act to amend an act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following, to be known as section 81½,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Walter introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 24, for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, and acts amendatory thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on Insurance, when formed.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 7, for "An act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40; nays, 0.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Alden,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Burnett,
Butler,
Campbell,
Clark,
Coleman,

Dawson,
Dixon,
Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fowler,
Fuller,

Gardner,
Hall,
Hamilton,
Helm,
Hughes,
Jandus,
Koch,
Lundberg,

Maher,
Meehan,
Mueller,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Putnam,
Rainey,
Rees,

Riley,
Small,
Stringer,
Templeton,
Townsend,
Walter,
Watson.
Yeas—40.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 8, for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the employés of the Forty-third General Assembly,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40; nays, 0.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Gardner.	Maher.	Riley.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Meehan.	Small.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Evans.	Helm.	Parker.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Putnam.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Koch.	Rainey.	Watson.
Clark.	Fuller.	Lundberg.	Rees.	Yeas—40.
Coleman.				

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House, by Mr. John A. Reeve, clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn today they adjourn to meet on Tuesday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted by the House Thursday, Jan. 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration, and the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was adopted in the affirmative.

A message from the House, by John A. Reeve, clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

WHEREAS, A large majority of the voters of the State of Illinois, at the recent general election, have expressed their decided preference for the election of Senators in the Congress of the United States by a direct vote of the

people; therefore, bowing to the sovereign will of the people of this great commonwealth, be it

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring herein, That each candidate for the office of the United States Senator before the Forty-third General Assembly be required to pledge his unqualified support to any amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of United States Senator by direct vote of the people.

Adopted by the House, Jan. 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Dunlap moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Stringer moved to lay the motion to refer on the table.

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—13.
Coleman,	Powder,	Meehan,	Stringer,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hem,	Pemberton,	Walter.
Campbell,	Fort,	Hughes,	Putnam,	Nays—28.
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Riley,	

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Watson, Jan. 14, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

WHEREAS, A large majority of the voters at the late election in this State expressed their desire that Senators in Congress of the United States be elected by direct vote of the people; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring herein, That each candidate for the office of United States Senator before the Forty-third General Assembly be required to pledge his unqualified support of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

Mr. Dunlap moved to refer the foregoing resolution to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 13.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Walter.
Campbell,	Fort,	Hughes,	Putnam,	Yeas—28.
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Riley,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	Nays—13.
Coleman,	Fowler,	Meehan,	Stringer,	

At 10:20 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the chaplain.

The journal of Thursday, Jan. 15, 1903, was being read, when,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State, as follows:

Resolved, That Article IV of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34, and reading as follows, to-wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained, to pass any law (local, special or general) providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago. The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the county, city, board of education, township, park, sanitary, district and other local governments and authorities having jurisdiction over said territory, or any part thereof, and may also provide for the creation and government of not more than two counties out of that portion of the county of Cook lying outside of the present or future limits of the city of Chicago, and in the event of the division of the county of Cook, shall provide for a just apportionment of the debts and property of the county of Cook (which apportionment shall include and provide for the apportioning and annexation to said city of Chicago of that part of the town of Norwood Park which is owned of record by the county of Cook and known as the "County farm"); and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago, and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations in said Cook county to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and said city's proportionate share of the indebtedness of said county and sanitary district, and of any

other municipal corporation, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding 5 per centum of the full value of the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment either for State or municipal purposes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness, (but no new bonded indebtedness, other than for refunding purposes, shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special); and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes in accordance with the principles of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall be otherwise provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago, from or to any adjoining county, by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special, both of the said city and of the county from or to which said territory is to go; but no territory shall be so transferred without the consent of a majority of the voters of such territory, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special); and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago it may abolish the offices of justices of the peace, police magistrates and constables in and for the territory within said city and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe, and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local municipal government in and for the city of Chicago. In case of the division, as aforesaid, of said county of Cook, the provisions of Article VI of this Constitution respecting the county of Cook, or the courts of record thereof, shall apply to the city of Chicago as if the city of Chicago were therein named in place of said county of Cook, except as herein otherwise provided.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and no law providing for the consolidation of city and county government within said city, or for dividing Cook county, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters (voting upon the question at any election, general, municipal or special), both of the county and of that portion of said county without said city. And no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect Section 4 of Article XI of the Constitution of this State.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution, which under the rules was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17.

WHEREAS, It is well known that the matter of Civil Service reform is certain to occupy a considerable part of the time of this session of the Senate; and,

WHEREAS, It is understood that sundry proposals relating to the Constitution and amendments thereof are likely to be brought before this assembly; and,

WHEREAS, The municipal corporations of Cook county are desirous of having certain important additional legislation; and,

WHEREAS, It is generally conceded that such legislation as relates especially to the municipal corporations of Cook county, if agreed to by the Cook county members, will be satisfactory to the Senate; and,

WHEREAS, The accounting systems of the various State institutions are lacking in uniformity and in centralized control; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That to the list of committees provided for by rule 38 of the temporary rules there be added the following committees:

Civil Service—Fifteen members.

Constitution and Constitutional Amendments—Fifteen members.

Metropolitan Municipal Corporations—All of the Cook county Senators.

Public and Institutional Accounts—Fifteen members.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 18.

WHEREAS, By Rule 61 the presentation of resolutions is placed as item No. 5 in the daily order of business; and,

WHEREAS, By Rule 39 all such resolutions as are so presented lie one day on the table; and,

WHEREAS, By Rule 61 the last item of business of the general order following the daily order is the consideration of such resolutions; and,

WHEREAS, Under these rules certain important resolutions which ought to receive more prompt attention are sometimes in danger of being overlooked and neglected; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Rule 61 be amended by adding to item No. 5, under the Daily Order of Business, the following:

“And consideration of resolutions which relate to any bill, resolution, petition, or motion which may have been referred to any committee nine days or more prior to the presentation of the resolution under consideration, or which call for any action on the part of, or information from, any officer or officers of the State of Illinois for the information or assistance of the Senate and which have been lying on the table for one day or longer.”

Mr. Berry offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 19.

Resolved, That the Illinois Association of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies be permitted to use Senate Committee Room No. 1 on February 10th and 11th, in which to hold their annual meeting.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 25, for “An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named,”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 26, for "An act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 27, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 28, for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Water-ways and Drainage, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 29, for "An act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid, and providing a penalty therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 30, for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Civil Service, when formed.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 31, for "An act to authorize villages in this State to purchase or rent fire apparatus and appliances for protection from fire, and issue negotiable certificates of indebtedness therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Insurance, when formed.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 32, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act requiring corporations to make an-

nual report to the Secretary of State, and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 33, for "An act to regulate the practice of professional nursing of the sick in the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

At 10:12 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 11:00 o'clock a. m.

11:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate reconvened.

11:00 O'CLOCK A. M.—SPECIAL ORDER.

In pursuance of the joint resolution adopted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and the requirements of the statutes of the United States, the President announced that the time had arrived for the consideration of the special order, being the naming by the Senate, by a *viva voce* vote, of a person for Senator in the Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois, for the term of six years from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903, as provided by sections 14 and 15 of title 2, chapter 1, Revised Statutes of the United States for 1873 and 1874.

The President of the Senate announced that nominations for United States Senator were in order.

Mr. McKenzie placed in nomination Hon. Albert J. Hopkins, of Kane county.

Mr. Fowler placed in nomination Hon. James R. Williams, of White county.

Mr. Riley of Cook county seconded the nomination of Hon. Albert J. Hopkins.

Mr. Dawson of Cook county seconded the nomination of Hon. James R. Williams.

No other nominations being made, the Secretary called the roll of the Senate and the Senate proceeded by a *viva voce* vote to name a person for United States Senator in Congress to represent the State of Illinois for the term of six years from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903, with the following result:

Total number of votes cast, 48; necessary to choice, 25.

For Hon. Albert J. Hopkins, 35.

For Hon. James R. Williams, 13.

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter—35.

Those voting for James R. Williams are: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Stringer,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	Watson—13.
Coleman,	Fowler,	Meehan,		

When the name of Senator Powers was called Senator Stringer arose to a question of privilege and read a telegram from Senator Powers saying that he was unavoidably detained by the death of a relative, and if he were present he would vote for Hon. James R. Williams for United States Senator.

The President of the Senate announced that Senators Dunlap and Kunz were unavoidably detained from attending the session of the Senate today, and that if they were present Senator Dunlap would vote for Hon. Albert J. Hopkins and Senator Kunz would vote for Hon. James R. Williams.

PROCLAMATION.

And it appearing that Hon. Albert J. Hopkins had received a majority of all the votes cast the President of the Senate declared Hon. Albert J. Hopkins to be the choice of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois for Senator in Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois for the term of six years from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903.

At 11:45 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive message, received Jan. 15, 1903, was taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 15, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Joseph F. Shreve, of Jacksonville, Morgan county, as member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to succeed G. H. Sohrbeck, of Moline, Rock Island county, term expired.

This gentleman is nominated in compliance with the law providing that the Governor may appoint from a list of nominations presented by the Illinois Pharmaceutical Association. I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

The question then being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nomination just made?" the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 46.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Ralney,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—46.
Coleman,	Haas,			

At 11:49 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

At 11:50 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Juul the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, Jan. 27, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 34, for "An act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton was referred to the Committee on Appropriations when formed.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 35, for "An act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton was referred to the Committee on Appropriations when formed.

Mr. Hamilton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 36, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to the probating of wills,' approved June 3, 1897; in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hamilton was referred to the Committee on Judiciary when formed.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 37, for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small was referred to the Committee on Civil Service when formed.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 38, for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend was referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions when formed.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 39, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed, and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Corporations, when formed.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 40, for "An act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to own and operate street railways,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Municipalities when formed.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 41, for "An act to provide for the creation of anti-saloon territory,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany when formed.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 42, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and sal-

aries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872. The title as amended by act approved March 28, 1864.

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries when formed.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Parker, Jan. 20, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 17.

WHEREAS, It is well known that the matter of civil service reform is certain to occupy a considerable part of the time of this session of the Senate; and

WHEREAS, It is understood that sundry proposals relating to the Constitution and amendments thereof are likely to be brought before this assembly; and

WHEREAS, The municipal corporations of Cook county are desirous of having certain important additional legislation; and

WHEREAS, It is generally conceded that such legislation as relates especially to the municipal corporations of Cook county, if agreed to by the Cook county members, will be satisfactory to the Senate; and

WHEREAS, The accounting systems of the various State institutions are lacking in uniformity and in centralized control, now therefore be it

Resolved, That to the list of committees provided for by rule 38 of the temporary rules there be added the following committees:

Civil Service—Fifteen members.

Constitution and Constitutional Amendments—Fifteen members.

Metropolitan Municipal Corporations—All of the Cook county senators.

Public and Institutional Accounts—Fifteen members.

After debate, on motion of Mr. Berry the foregoing resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules, when formed.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Parker January 20, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 18.

WHEREAS, By Rule 61 the presentation of resolutions is placed as item No. 5 in the Daily Order of Business; and,

WHEREAS, By Rule 39 all such resolutions as are so presented lie one day on the table; and,

WHEREAS, By Rule 61 the last item of business of the General Order following the Daily Order is the consideration of such resolutions; and,

WHEREAS, Under these rules certain important resolutions which ought to receive more prompt attention are some times in danger of being overlooked and neglected,

Now, therefore, be it resolved, That Rule 61 be amended by adding to item No. 5, under the Daily Order of Business, the following:

"And consideration of resolutions which relate to any bill, resolution, petition, or motion which may have been referred to any committee nine days or more prior to the presentation of the resolution under consideration, or which call for any action on the part of, or information from, any officer or officers of the State of Illinois for the information or assistance of the Senate and which have been lying on the table for one day or longer."

On motion of Mr. Parker the foregoing resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules when formed.

At 10:25 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

At 11:55 o'clock a. m. the Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, assistant clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, Jan. 27, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Concurred in by the House Jan. 21, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

12:00 O'CLOCK M., SPECIAL ORDER.

At 12:00 M., in pursuance of sections 14 and 15 of title 2, chapter 1, Revised Statutes of the United States for 1873 and 1874, and of the joint resolution adopted by both houses of this, the 43d General Assembly, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, proceeded to the House of Representatives for the purpose of electing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois for the term of six years from the fourth day of March, A. D., 1903.

JOINT SESSION.

The two houses being convened in joint session, the Speaker of the House of Representatives presiding, the President of the Senate ordered the Secretary thereof to call the roll; whereupon the following senators answered to their names:

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fort,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Present—50.
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Haas,			

The President of the Senate announced a quorum of the Senate to be present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives directed the clerk thereof to call the roll of the House, whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Allen,	Corigan,	Hughes,	Miller, J. O.,	Shanahan,
Arnold,	Cummings,	Hunt,	Minnis,	Sherman,
Arrand,	Curtis,	Isermann,	Mitchell,	Shurtleff,
Austin,	Davies, F. L.,	Johnson,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Backus,	Davis, A.,	Jonas,	Montgomery,	Stevenson,
Beitler,	Deady,	Kerrick,	Moran,	Stewart,
Black,	Desmond,	Kleeman,	Morris,	Struckman,
Blish,	Donoghue,	Knolla,	Mundy,	Sunderland,
Boll,	Doyle,	Kopf,	Murray,	Swigart,
Boulware,	Drew,	Landmesser,	Nagel,	Taggart,
Bowles,	Elliott,	Lawrence,	Nohe,	Tibbets,
Breidt,	Erickson, F. E.,	Leaverton,	Noonan,	Tice,
Browne,	Erickson, S. E.,	Linden,	Norden,	Tippit,
Brundage,	Eskeu,	Lindly,	Noyes,	Trautmann,
Bundy,	Farley,	Lish,	Oldam,	Turner, G. T.,
Burgett,	Farris,	Luke,	Owen,	Turner, J. W.,
Burke,	Fligel,	Lurton,	Parish,	Underwood,
Burton,	Gallagher,	Lyon,	Pattison,	Uppendahl,
Bush,	Gaunt,	Magill,	Pedersen,	Walker,
Carrillon,	Geskeuich,	McClenathan,	Pendarvis,	Wallace,
Castle,	Gillespie,	McDonough,	Petrie,	Weare,
Cavanagh,	Glade,	McElvain,	Pullen,	Webster,
Cermak,	Gordon,	McGuire,	Rapp,	Werdell,
Cherry,	Gray,	McKinley, M. L.,	Rinaker,	Wetherbee,
Chiperfield,	Greenebaum,	McKinley, W.,	Rodman,	Wheeler,
Christian,	Groves,	McNulty,	Russell,	Wilkerson,
Church,	Haines,	McRoberts,	Samuelson,	Wilson,
Clark,	Hardin,	Meeteren,	Schlagenhaut,	Mr. Speaker.
Clettenberg,	Heffernan,	Miller, D. B.,	Schnipper,	Present—147.
Cooke,	Hinds,	Miller, I.,		

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the joint assembly, announced that the roll calls showed a quorum of each house to be present.

By the direction of the President of the Senate the Secretary of the Senate read that portion of the Senate journal of January 20, A. D. 1903, which set forth the action of the Senate in regard to the naming by the Senate of a person as Senator in the Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois for the term of six years from the fourth day of March, A. D., 1903, which journal showed Albert J. Hopkins to be the choice of the Senate for said office.

By direction of the Speaker of the House of Representatives the clerk of that body read that portion of the journal of the House of Representatives of January 20, A. D. 1903, which set forth the action of the House of Representatives in regard to the naming by the House of Representatives of a person as Senator in the Congress of the United States from the State of Illinois for the term of six years from the fourth day of March, A. D. 1903, which journal showed Albert J. Hopkins to be the choice of the House of Representatives for said office.

PROCLAMATION.

Thereupon the Speaker, as presiding officer of the joint assembly, made the announcement that, it appearing from the reading of the journals of the House of Representatives and of the Senate of yesterday, January 20, A. D. 1903, that the Honorable Albert J. Hopkins

had received a majority of all the votes in both the Senate and the House of Representatives, he therefore declared the Honorable Albert J. Hopkins to be duly elected as Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States for the term of six years commencing March 4, 1903.

Mr. Wilkerson, of the House, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"Resolved, By the joint session of the General Assembly that a joint committee of six, three from the House and three from the Senate, be appointed to notify the Hon. Albert J. Hopkins of his election to the Senate of the United States as Senator from Illinois."

The president of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Evans, Townsend and Butler. The Speaker of the House of Representatives appointed as such committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Wilkerson, Backus and Corigan.

The committee retired and returned with the Hon. Albert J. Hopkins, Senator-elect, who addressed the joint assembly as follows:

Mr. Speaker, Senators and Representatives of the Forty-third General Assembly:

"I wish to express to you my grateful acknowledgments for the high honor you have conferred upon me in electing me a Senator of the United States from the grand State of Illinois.

"I am deeply sensible of the honor, and I appreciate fully too, I think, the responsibilities accompanying it. In the 85 years of statehood which Illinois has enjoyed as a member of the Federal Republic, I find a list of distinguished men who have represented her in the Senate of the United States, whose names not only enrich the pages of the history of this State, but that of the nation as well. No legislation has been enacted by the Congress of the United States since 1818 in which the senators from Illinois have not played a conspicuous part.

"Ninian Edwards and Jesse B. Thomas, the two men who first represented Illinois in the Senate of the United States, were not only accomplished politicians, in the better sense of that term, but men who were distinguished for their broad views and enlightened judgment on all public questions. They set a high standard in that great legislative body for their successors. Edwards especially, was an accomplished man in many ways, and his name has been so interwoven in the history of our State that the story of his life would give a fair history of Illinois during the period of his activities.

"I cannot in the brief time that I am to address you, speak at any length of the great services rendered by the various senators who have been honored by a seat in the Senate of the United States. Much less can I speak of the living senators and the ex-senator, who have honored the State by their services. Douglas, Breese, Trumbull, Yates, Logan, Oglesby and Palmer, are names that arouse the patriotic pride of every Illinoisan. They not only placed the name of Illinois in the front rank of all the states which form this Republic, but by their conspicuous ability, became great national characters. Their deeds are imperishable and their words serve as an inspiration not only to this, but to all the coming generations. They form a part of that splendid galaxy of statesmen who have made this Republic the mightiest nation that has existed in the tide of times and who have set an example of loyalty and patriotic devotion to duty that will last as long as time itself.

A State which has been honored by such men in the Senate of the United States naturally and rightfully demands of their successors a devotion to duty and a consecration to the best interests of the State and nation that know no wavering or variableness whatever.

As far as my abilities warrant, I can assure you, gentlemen, that it will be my highest ambition to profit by the example of these distinguished men and to so discharge my duties as Senator as to meet the unqualified approval not only of you, who honor me with this great office, but of the people of the State, who have clothed you with authority to exercise this great trust.

The wisdom that marks the enactment of legislation in the Congress of the United States is indicated in the prosperity enjoyed by the people in the several states in the Union, and the growing greatness and glory of the republic. No State has profited more from being a member of this great republic of modern times than Illinois. Within the memory of many present the fertile fields and richly cultivated farms that are now the pride of the State were unoccupied prairie. The villages and cities that had sprung up in different sections of the State were without commercial importance or industrial interests. As late as 1850 we were the 15th State in manufacturing industries, and our agricultural and commercial interests were unrecognized. Illinois today stands third as a manufacturing State and second as an agricultural State. In trade and commerce we have developed so rapidly that the wildest dreams of the men of a generation ago do not reach a tithe of the facts of today.

In population Illinois has distanced all of her sister states in the west, has passed all New England, and stands next to Pennsylvania and the empire state of New York. No Senator in the Senate of the United States will have a more intelligent or progressive constituency than that I shall have the honor in part to represent. Situated as Illinois is, in the heart of this great Mississippi Valley, her interests extend south to the Gulf of Mexico, and east through the great lakes to the Atlantic Ocean. Sixteen states are tributary to our great commercial metropolis, Chicago. Holding, as she does, such a commanding position in the sisterhood of states that form our great nation, she requires of her Senators in the Senate of the United States a high degree of vigilance and untiring endeavor on all great questions that affect the well-being of the nation.

Appreciating, as I do, the importance of our State and the commercial and industrial greatness of Chicago, it will be my highest ambition to advance her every interest and further all measures that will work to the greatness and glory of our common country.

As a Republican, I believe that this can be accomplished best by standing loyally by all great party measures and supporting unfalteringly the administration of our distinguished President, Theodore Roosevelt. During the term of service to which you have elected me in the Senate of the United States, I shall unhesitatingly give my allegiance to all measures to which our party has committed the country, both as respects the domestic affairs of the government and our recently acquired territorial possessions.

This is an epoch-making period in the history of the United States. The great problems that have come to our government as a result of the Spanish-American war are only half solved. Fortunate we are, however, in having as the chief executive of this nation a man whose well-cultivated mind and broad statesmanlike views enable him to fully appreciate the great future of the republic, and whose patriotic devotion to duty will enable him, during his administration, to lead this country through all international complications to a safe and assured future, where our citizens will enjoy the greatest degree of prosperity and the country will attain a still higher position among the civilized nations of the world.

I have no time nor inclination to go into any detail as to legislation that will affect the interests of the people of Illinois or of the city of Chicago. My 18 years in the House of Representatives of the United States is the best evidence that I can furnish to the people of Chicago and the State of what my course will be in the future in the Senate of the United States. With the enlarged opportunities that will come to me as Senator, I hope to increase my usefulness to the people of this great State.

Democrats, as well as Republicans, are interested in the development of Illinois and in any legislation that will improve the condition of our people and advance the interests of the State. I can assure my Democratic friends that during my term of service in the Senate of the United States, I shall be quick to respond to any call from any citizen, Democratic or Republican, on any matter that affects the well-being of the individual citizen or the interests of this great commonwealth.

At the conclusion of the address, at 12:30 o'clock p. m., the joint assembly, on motion of Senator Templeton, dissolved, whereupon the Senate returned to their chamber, and, at 12:35 o'clock p. m., resumed the transaction of business, and, on motion of Mr. Campbell, adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, January 21, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Riley, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 43, for "An act to authorize judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population not less than seventy thousand,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Barr introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 44, for "An act to provide for vacation sessions of the circuit court and to fix the power of the court at such sessions,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary when formed.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 45, for "An act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections, for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes. Also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker was referred to the Committee on Elections, when formed.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 46, for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 47, for "An Act to establish trial by jury in cases of contempt of court, and regulating the power of courts in contempt proceedings,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 48, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insureds of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Insurance, when formed.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, assistant clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 7.

A bill for "An act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for."

SENATE BILL NO. 8.

A bill for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the employés of the Forty-third General Assembly."

Passed by the House Jan. 27, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 49, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Revenue, when formed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Berry, Jan. 13, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved, That this Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret of the death of Hon. William F. Harris, late Senator from the Twenty-eighth district, of Ferris, Hancock county, Ill., and member of the Forty-second General Assembly, who departed this life at his home on the 3d day of November, 1901, in the midst of his term of office.

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Harris this Senate lost a useful and earnest member; the State, a patriotic citizen, an able and faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the community in which he lived has lost a law abiding and honorable citizen, and his family a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate and transmitted to the widow and family of the deceased. And as a further mark of respect for his memory, this Senate do now adjourn.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, Jan. 28, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

At 10:05 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Juul, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Watson presented a petition from Town Hill Post No. 768, G. A. R., concerning the erection of a monument to commemorate the services of the Illinois troops who took part in the campaign and and siege of Vicksburg, which,

On motion of Mr. Watson was referred to the committee on Appropriations, when formed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 50, for "An act to amend Section nineteen (19), paragraph f, of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner was referred to the committee on Mines and Mining, when formed.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill, No. 51, for "An act to amend Section ten (10) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining, when formed.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 52, for "An act to amend Section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State, and providing

for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so and to repeal a certain act therein named.' Approved May 10, 1901, by relieving the Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic in Illinois from the provisions and penalties thereof."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Corporations, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 53, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 54, for "An act to amend Section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 55, for "An Act to amend Section eight (8) of an act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 56, for "An act concerning convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of this State, providing for their employment and instruction, and the disposition of their products, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions, when formed.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 57, for "An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled 'An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated populations, and to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the same, and to prevent private imitations of the name of the same, and regulating private employment agencies,' approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Labor and Manufactures, when formed.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 58, for "An act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees, and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain lands,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, when formed.

Mr. Andrus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 59, for "An act to amend sections 14 and 23 of 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Andrus, was referred to the Committee on Elections, when formed.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 60, for "An act to make appropriation and appoint commissioners to erect a monument upon the State House grounds to the memory of the War Governor of the State of Illinois, Honorable Richard Yates,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 61, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities, when formed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced special order of this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Berry, Jan. 13, 1903.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Resolved, That this Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret of the death of Hon. William F. Harris, late Senator from the Twenty-eighth district, of Ferris, Hancock county, Ill., and member of the Forty-second General Assembly, who departed this life at his home on the 3d day of November, 1901, in the midst of his term of office.

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Harris this Senate lost a useful and earnest member; the State, a patriotic citizen, an able and faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the community in which he lived has lost a law-abiding and honorable citizen, and his family a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate and transmitted to the widow and family of the deceased. And as a further mark of respect for his memory, this Senate do now adjourn.

On motion of Mr. Watson the further consideration of the above resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

The Secretary of the Senate reported that Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 27th day of January, 1903, were laid before the Governor, for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 7.

A bill for "An act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois and for the care and custody of the State house and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for."

SENATE BILL NO. 8.

A bill for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the employes of the Forty-third General Assembly."

The President of the Senate presented a communication from the Illinois Republican association of the District of Columbia, requesting an amendment to the present election laws so that legal voters of any election precinct in the city of Chicago or East St. Louis employed by the United States can be permitted to register by affidavit, which was referred to the Committee on Elections when formed.

The President of the Senate announced the following as floor janitors provided for by Senate resolution No. 5, adopted by the Senate January 7, 1903: A. Connors, M. McGowan, J. Robinson, W. C. Sublett, J. Knox, J. Gormley.

By unanimous consent Mr. Gardner offered the following resolution, which under the rules was laid on the table one day:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

WHEREAS, By direct vote of the people of the State of Illinois at the general election held in said State on the 4th day of November, A. D., 1902, it was voted that this General Assembly should take the necessary steps under Article V. of the Constitution of the United States to bring about the election of United States Senator by direct vote of the people; and,

WHEREAS, Article V. of the Constitution of the United States provides that on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, the Congress of the United States shall call a convention for proposing amendments; now, therefore, in obedience to the expressed will of the people as expressed at said election, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives Concurring Herein, That application be, and is hereby made to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States, as provided for in said Article V. And be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State do furnish to the President of the Senate of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, to each, one copy of this resolution, properly certified under the great seal of State.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, Jan. 28, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Walter presented a petition from Colby Post 301, G. A. R., Greenville, Ill., asking for the passage of a bill providing for the erection of suitable memorials to commemorate the siege and campaign of Vicksburg, which on motion of Mr. Walter was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 6.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That there shall be submitted to be voted upon at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend Article IV of the Constitution, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 34, to read as follows:

Section 34. The General Assembly may, by general law, provide for the abolishment within cities, (with the consent of a majority of the legal voters of the city voting upon the question) of township government, park and school boards, and any or all other local municipal corporations, within the city and devolve the functions thereof upon the city authorities, and may authorize such city to assume the indebtedness of the local corporation so abolished and may, in like manner, provide for the abolishment of the offices of the justice of the peace and police magistrates, in cities of 150,000 population and upwards, with like consent of the legal voters thereof, and establish one or more district courts therein, with such original civil and criminal jurisdiction as may also be prescribed by general law; and may also, by general law, allow any city with the consent of a majority of the legal voters voting upon the question, to become indebted in any amount including all existing indebtedness, except the indebtedness assumed as aforesaid, not exceeding 7 per centum, on the value of taxable property within such city, to be ascertained by the last assessment for State and county taxes prior to the incurring of such indebtedness.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Humphrey the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration, and on his motion was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 62, for "An act to amend Section 70 of an act entitled an act in regard to 'the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 63, for "An act to amend Section 7, of an act entitled 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 64, for "An act to amend Section 4, of an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and States Attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 65, for "An act in relation to the 'State Commissioners of Public Charities,' "

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 66, for "An act to amend Section 3, of Division X., of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 67, for "An act to amend Division XI. of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 68, for "An act to amend section 5 of division III, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,'" approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 69, for "An act to amend section 10 of division VII, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,'" approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 70, for "An act to amend section 2 of division XIII, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,'" approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 71, for "An act concerning appeals in criminal cases,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 72, for "An act to amend section 211 of division I, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,'" approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 73, for "An act to amend sections 1 and 4 of division XV, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,'" approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 74, for "An act to amend Section 2, of Division XIII., of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 75, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 6a,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 76, for "An act to amend Section 2, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to *habeas corpus*,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 77, for "An act to amend Section 21, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to *habeas corpus*,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 78, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to *habeas corpus*,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 37,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 79, for "An act to amend Section 15, of Division XIII., of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 80, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the punishment of persons violating any of the ordinances of the several cities and villages in this State,'" approved and in force April 12, 1879,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when formed.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 81, for "An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,'" approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, and to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,'" approved March 26, 1874; approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Albertsen introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 82, for "An act declaring Spring Lake in the county of Tazewell and the canal connecting the Illinois river therewith, navigable, and providing for the keeping of the same free from obstruction and in repair,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Canals and Rivers, when formed.

Mr. Albertsen introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 83, for "An act for the protection of Chautauqua Associations,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when formed.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 84, for "An act further defining unjust discrimination by railroad companies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Railroads, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 85, for "An act to make an appropriation for the relief of Charles Hatfield, injured while in the discharge of his duties as a member of Troop B, First Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, the same having been allowed by the Commission of Claims of the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when formed.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 86, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,'" approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c, and section 3d respectively,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, when formed.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Gardner, January 28, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

WHEREAS, By direct vote of the people of the State of Illinois at the general election held in said State on the 4th day of November, A. D., 1902, it was voted that this General Assembly should take the necessary steps under Article V. of the Constitution of the United States to bring about the election of United States Senator by direct vote of the people; and,

WHEREAS, Article V. of the Constitution of the United States provides that on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, the Congress of the United States shall call a convention for proposing amendments; now, therefore, in obedience to the expressed will of the people as expressed at said election, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That application be, and is hereby made to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States, as provided for in said Article V. And be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State do furnish to the President of the Senate of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, to each, one copy of this resolution, properly certified under the great seal of State.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, February 10, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess for five minutes.

At 10:15 o'clock a. m. the Senate re-convened.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, January 29, 1903, they stand adjourned to meet at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., Tuesday, February 3, 1903.

Adopted by the House January 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 20.

Resolved, That the following be and are hereby constituted the standing committees of the Senate, viz.:

Agriculture and Horticulture—Hughes, chairman; Koch, Andrus, Dunlap, Helm, McCabe, Putnam, Stubblefield, Fort, Pemberton, Small, Alden, Meehan, Farrelly, Coleman, Rees.

Appropriations—Gardner, chairman; Campbell, Townsend, Albertsen, Pemberton, Andrus, Hughes, Juul, McKenzie, Small, Templeton, Mueller, Watson, Fowler, Meehan, Butler, Dawson, Farrelly.

Banks and Banking—Small, chairman; Andrus, Burnett, Dixon, Helm, McCabe, Riley, Townsend, Berry, Bailey, Evans, Hughes, Dunlap, Meehan, Fowler, Dawson, Butler, Kunz.

Building and Loan Associations—Putnam, chairman; Juul, Dunlap, Hughes, Hamilton, Walter, Bailey, Campbell, Coleman, Kunz, Maher, Jandus.

Canals and Rivers—Fuller, chairman; Albertsen, Barr, Clark, McCabe, Townsend, Fort, Templeton, Farrelly, Jandus, Coleman, Kunz.

Civil Service—Riley, chairman; Burnett, Dixon, Gardner, Barr, Parker, Albertsen, Stringer, Watson, Rees.

Contingent Expenses of the Senate—Campbell, chairman, Albertsen, Jandus.

Corporations—Hall, chairman; Andrus, Templeton, Dunlap, Fuller, Albertsen, Barr, Burnett, Clark, Dixon, Haas, Lundberg, McCabe, Parker, Putnam, Stubblefield, Koch, Townsend, Walter, Mueller, Butler, Coleman, Alden, Maher, Powers, Jandus, Rainey.

County and Township Organization—Andrus, chairman; Parker, Humphrey, Gardner, Berry, Fuller, Fort, Farrelly, Meehan, Coleman.

Education and Educational Institutions—Barr, chairman; Evans, Burnett, Fuller, Haas, Hamilton, Helm, Parker, Putnam, Riley, Hall, Humphrey, Berry, Hughes, Koch, Stringer, Fowler, Farrelly, Rainey, Powers, Maher, Rees.

Elections—Burnett, chairman; Helm, Pemberton, Parker, Dunlap, Juul, Small, Evans, Campbell, Stringer, Powers, Maher, Rees.

Enrolled and Engrossed Bills—Pemberton, chairman; Haas, Fort, Watson, Meehan.

Fees and Salaries—Dixon, chairman; Andrus, Parker, Walter, Farnham, McKenzie, Campbell, Kunz, Powers, Farrelly, Jandus.

Finance—Evans, chairman; Small, Gardner, Pemberton, Hughes, Mueller, Campbell, Meehan, Kunz, Rainey.

Fish and Game—Templeton, chairman; Albertsen, Putnam, Townsend, Berry, Dunlap, Bailey, Pemberton, McKenzie, Koch, Fort, Watson, Coleman, Farrelly, Alden, Meehan.

Insurance—Berry, chairman; Albertsen, Bailey, Barr, Burnett, Dixon, Clark, Farnum, Fuller, Haas, Hall, Small, Lundberg, Mueller, Riley, Stubblefield, Townsend, Walter, Koch, Watson, Fowler, Meehan, Dawson, Alden, Powers, Rees, Rainey.

Judiciary—Humphrey, chairman; Berry, Bailey, Barr, Burnett, Dixon, Dunlap, Hamilton, Helm, Juul, McKenzie, Parker, Putnam, Riley, Lundberg, Stringer, Fowler, Dawson, Alden, Jandus, Maher.

Judicial Apportionment—Helm, chairman; Hamilton, Putnam, Berry, Barr, Koch, McKenzie, Pemberton, Fowler, Alden, Coleman.

Judicial Department and Practice—Juul, chairman; Berry, Burnett, Helm, Hamilton, Riley, Dixon, Stubblefield, McKenzie, Templeton, Stringer, Fowler, Dawson, Maher, Jandus.

Labor and Manufactures—Walter, chairman; Andrus, Hamilton, Putnam, Stubblefield, Clark, Bailey, McKenzie, Butler, Kunz, Rainey, Jandus.

License and Miscellany—Haas, chairman; Gardner, Clark, Townsend, Hall, Evans, Humphrey, Koch, Watson, Dawson, Alden, Powers.

Live Stock and Dairying—Koch, chairman; Hughes, Andrus, Barr, Lundberg, Dixon, Farnum, Gardner, Haas, Hall, Stubblefield, Pemberton, Evans, Fort, Butler, Dawson, Meehan, Rainey, Powers, Jandus, Alden.

Military—Fort, chairman; Stubblefield, Dixon, Putnam, McCabe, Templeton, Butler, Maher, Rainey, Kunz.

Mines and Mining.—Stubblefield, chairman; Hamilton, Helm, Putnam, Walter, Fuller, Stringer, Fowler, Jandus.

Municipalities.—Albertsen, chairman; Evans, Bailey, Barr, Burnett, Farnum, Fuller, Gardner, Haas, Hall, Parker, Stubblefield, Townsend, Koch, Humphrey, Berry, Small, Fowler, Watson, Butler, Dawson, Coleman, Powers, Maher, Rainey.

Parks and Boulevards.—Lundberg, chairman; Mueller, Haas, Hall, Juul, Dixon, Farnum, Clark, Riley, Parker, Campbell, Butler, Dawson, Jandus, Kunz, Maher, Powers, Rainey.

Penal and Reformatory Institutions.—Dunlap, chairman; Juul, Clark, Fort, Walter, Lundberg, McCabe, Jandus, Coleman, Alden, Kunz.

Public Accounts.—Parker, chairman; Templeton, McKenzie, Juul, Fuller, Stringer, Watson, Rees.

Public Buildings and Grounds.—Bailey, chairman; Dixon, Small, Campbell, Rees, Rainey.

Railroads.—Townsend, chairman; Pemberton, Dixon, Albertsen, Andrus, Burnett, Clark, Farnum, Fuller, Gardner, Haas, Hall, Helm, Hughes, Barr, Humphrey, Koch, Lundberg, McCabe, Juul, Berry, Stubblefield, Walter, Hamilton, Riley, Templeton, Small, Fort, Mueller, Watson, Alden, Stringer, Dawson, Butler, Coleman, Powers, Rainey, Kunz, Rees, Maher, Fowler.

Revenue.—Mueller, chairman; Albertsen, Andrus, Burnett, Clark, Farnum, Gardner, Lundberg, Riley, Hughes, McKenzie, Pemberton, Koch, Dunlap, Stringer, Dawson, Butler, Fowler, Coleman, Alden, Powers.

Roads, Highways and Bridges.—McCabe, chairman; Fuller, Pemberton, Templeton, Walter, Campbell, Farrelly, Meehan, Coleman, Rees, Watson.

Rules.—McKenzie, chairman; Humphrey, Berry, Stringer, Fowler.

State Charitable Institutions.—Hamilton, chairman; Burnett, McCabe, Parker, Small, Hughes, Berry, Farrelly, Kunz, Rees.

To Visit Educational Institutions.—Hamilton, chairman; Parker, Fowler.

To Visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions.—Bailey, chairman; Small, Dawson.

To visit State Charitable Institutions—Andrus, chairman; Lundberg, Farrelly.

Warehouses.—Farnum, chairman; Koch, Evans, Haas, Humphrey, Clark, Mueller, Dunlap, Alden, Butler, Kunz, Maher.

Waterways and Drainage.—Clark, chairman; Riley, Barr, Bailey, Evans, Mueller, Hall, Farnum, Haas, Burnett, Gardner, Humphrey, Townsend, Helm, Dawson, Butler, Farrelly, Maher, Powers, Rainey.

Resolved, further, First—That the following be and they are hereby appointed clerks of committees for the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, with pay to date from Jan. 7, 1903, at the rate of \$3 per day, viz.:

Ed. Vinson, E. P. Becker, W. Banning, L. A. Weaver, A. L. Hall, F. L. Hunt, C. A. Caton, D. C. Wuersch, George Mogdelin, Harry Edwards, E. Van Horebeke, G. Frederickson, A. E. Nelson, G. W. Raymond, L. P. Lewis, A. Corcoran, L. B. Bratton, jr., K. L. Devere, James Kinney, Ed. A. Allen, George T. Ashley, C. Kaplan, E. W. Woodbury, J. Porter, J. E. Harvey, E. D. Northam, A. N. Abbott.

Second—That T. B. Scouten be appointed Messenger for the Senate at a compensation of \$4 per day, to date from January 7, 1903.

Third—That M. E. Johnson be appointed Senate Librarian at a compensation of \$3 per day, to date from January 7, 1903.

Fourth—That W. D. Rose be appointed Proofreader at a compensation of \$4 per day, to date from January 7, 1903.

Fifth—That the following are hereby appointed janitors of Senate committees, subject to the direction and assignment of the sergeant-at-arms, with pay to date from January 7, 1903, at the rate of \$2 per day, viz:

J. Fisher, W. Mofield, W. R. Cain, S. Cobb, N. Nathan, W. F. Romasen, J. Schwartz, H. B. Chetlain, George Duty, Rufus Ray, H. Lambert, W. Colvin, P. Matheny, Abner Naylor, J. S. Mullen, J. Latham, J. Dustin, Frank L. Ferguson, A. Curry, J. Venomen.

Sixth—That the following be, and they are hereby appointed policemen to take charge of and care for the Senate chamber and rooms, subject to the direction and assignment of the sergeant-at-arms, at a compensation of \$3 per day, to date from January 7, 1903, viz:

John Taylor, C. J. Saleen, W. L. Runyon, G. Schumaker, T. J. Neese, F. Slater, S. Rowbottom, A. Parks, C. E. Van Ossenbruggen, George H. Woodson, William Cleveland, A. W. Mitchell, John Fair, L. Morrissey, H. Reckinger, F. Haas, Wm. Weinard, A. Gundermann, S. Baird, George Schaffer, William Robbs, H. Doebler, C. Harris, David Smith, S. Ford, M. Weber, V. Baraglia, J. Kohl, Munroe Taylor, A. G. Parker, J. Young, A. E. Barker, W. D. Mack, B. Stahl.

Seventh—That the committee clerks be assigned to the different committees as follows, viz:

Committees.	Clerks.
Judiciary	E. D. Northam
Finance	A. L. Hall
Judicial Apportionment	George Mogdelin
Railroads	Ed. A. Allen
Corporations	
Insurance	E. P. Becker
Education and Educational Institutions	J. E. Harvey
Judicial Department and Practice	G. W. Raymond
Revenue	
Municipalities	L. B. Bratton, Jr.
Banks and Banking	
Parks and Boulevards	G. Frederickson
Appropriations	C. A. Caton
Contingent Expenses of the Senate	W. Banning
Enrolled and Engrossed Bills	C. Kaplan
Live Stock and Dairying	E. VanHorebeke
License and Miscellany	
Warehouses	D. G. Wuersch
Waterways and Drainage	
State Charitable Institutions	J. Adams
County and Township Organization	
Agriculture and Horticulture	E. W. Woodbury
Mines and Mining	
Fees and Salaries	

Committees.	Clerks.
Public Buildings and Grounds	Ed. Vinson.....
Civil Service	A. Corcoran
Building and Loan Associations.....	L. A. Weaver
Penal and Reformatory Institutions	
Roads, Highways and Bridges.....	A. E. Nelson
Canals and Rivers	F. L. Hunt.....
Public Accounts	L. P. Lewis.....
Elections	James Kinney
Fish and Game.....	
Labor and Manufactures	
Military.....	

Eighth—That the standing committees heretofore named be grouped and assigned to rooms as follows, viz:

Committees.	Rooms.
Judiciary	Room 1, west wing.....
Finance.....	
Judicial Apportionment.....	
Railroads	Room 18, north wing
Corporations	
Insurance	
Education and Educational Institutions.....	Room 16, north wing
Judicial Department and Practice.....	
Revenue	
Municipalities.....	Room 9, east wing
Banks and Banking	
Parks and Boulevards.....	
Appropriations	Room 11, west wing, fourth floor ...
Contingent Expenses of the Senate.....	
Enrolled and Engrossed Bills	
Live Stock and Dairying	Room 14, east wing, fourth floor....
License and Miscellany	
Warehouses	
Waterways and Drainage	Room 17, east wing, fourth floor....
State Charitable Institutions	
County and Township Organization	
Agriculture and Horticulture.....	Room 12, west wing, fourth floor...
Mines and Mining	
Fees and Salaries.....	
Public Buildings and Grounds	Room 16, east wing, fourth floor....
Civil Service	
Building and Loan Associations	
Penal and Reformatory Institutions	
Roads, Highways and Bridges.....	
Canals and Rivers	
Public Accounts	
Elections	
Fish and Game.....	
Military.....	
Labor and Manufactures.....	

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Rules, made the following report:

The Committee on Rules recommend the adoption of the following Joint Rules and Rules of the Senate:

JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
FORTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. When a message shall be sent from the Senate to the House of Representatives, it shall be announced at the door of the House by the Doorkeeper, and shall be respectfully communicated to the Chair by the person by whom it may be sent.

2. The same ceremony shall be observed when messages shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate.

3. Messages shall be sent by such persons as a sense of propriety in each house may determine to be proper.

4. In every case of disagreement between the two houses, if either house request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other house shall appoint a committee to confer therewith upon the subject of their disagreement. Said committee shall meet at a convenient time to be agreed upon by their chairman, and, having conferred freely, each shall report to its respective house the result of their conference. In case of an agreement, the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the disagreeing house, and there acted upon; and such action shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other house, the papers referred accompanying the message. In case of disagreement the papers shall remain with the house which referred them. The agreeing report of a conference committee shall be made, read and signed in duplicate by all members of the committee, or by a majority of those of each house, one of the duplicates being retained by the committee of each house. Should either house disagree to the report of the committee, such house shall appoint a second committee and request a second conference, which shall be acceded to by the other house before adhering. The motion for a committee of conference, and the report of such committee, shall be in order at any time. When both houses shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolution is lost.

5. While bills are on their passage between the two houses they shall be accompanied by a message signed by the Secretary or Clerk (as the case may be) respectively.

6. After a bill has passed both houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

7. When bills are enrolled, they shall be examined by a joint committee, which shall consist of five members, two from the Senate and three from the House, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, respectively. The clerk of the committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills of the respective houses shall act as clerk of the committee whenever their services are required. Said committee shall carefully compare the enrolled bills with the engrossed bills so passed by both houses, correct any errors which may be discovered in the enrolled bills, and make their report forthwith to their respective houses; the Secretary or Clerk having previously certified on the margin of the roll in which house it originated.

8. After examination and report, each bill shall be signed in the respective houses, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and then by the President of the Senate.

9. After a bill shall have been signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, it shall be presented by said Joint Committee to the Governor for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor to each house, which time shall be carefully entered on the journals of each house.

10. All resolutions and memorials which are to be presented to the Governor shall be previously enrolled, examined, signed and presented by the Joint Committee, reported, and entry thereof made, as provided in case of bills.

11. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one house is rejected in the other, information thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed.

12. When the consideration of any bill, memorial or resolution which has originated in one house shall be postponed in the other to a day so distant that it shall not be taken up again by the present session, the house in which such bill, memorial or resolution shall have originated shall be forthwith informed of such postponement.

13. When a bill, memorial or resolution which has passed one house is rejected in the other, it shall not again be introduced during the same session, except in the house so rejecting, and after three days' notice and leave of that house.

14. Each house shall transmit to the other all papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

15. While the two houses are acting together upon elections, or on any other matter, the Speaker shall preside, and all questions of order shall be decided by him, subject to an appeal to both houses, as though but one body was in session. A call of members of either house may be had in joint meeting by order of the house in which the call is desired, and to constitute a quorum of the joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both houses shall be present and voting.

16. Motions to postpone or adjourn shall be decided by a joint vote of both houses, and yeas and nays upon such motions, if required, shall be entered upon the journals of both houses.

17. Upon questions arising requiring the separate decision of either house, the Senate shall withdraw until the decision is made: *Provided*, That questions upon motions for a call of either house shall not come within the provisions of this rule.

18. Each house shall have the liberty of ordering the printing of bills, messages and reports without the consent of the other.

19. Whenever any message, bill, report or document shall be ordered to be printed by the Senate or House, for the use of both houses, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate or Clerk of the House (as the case may be) immediately to report the fact of the passage of such order to the other branch of the General Assembly, together with the number so ordered to be printed, in case the same shall exceed 300.

RULES OF THE SENATE, FORTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. A majority of the Senate shall constitute a quorum, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, or for less time than one day, and compel the attendance of absent Senators.

2. The Senate shall keep a journal of its proceedings, which shall be published. At the request of two Senators the yeas and nays shall be taken on any question, and entered on the journal.

3. Any two Senators shall have the right to dissent and protest in respectful language, against any act or resolution which they may think injurious to the public or to any individual, and have the reason of their dissent entered upon the journal: *Provided*, That when objection is made that the language of a protest is not respectful, the Senate may refer the same back to the Senators protesting.

4. The Senate may punish its members for disorderly behavior, and, with the concurrence of two-thirds of all the Senators elected, expel a Senator, but not a second time for the same cause, and the reason for such expulsion shall be entered upon the journal, with the names of the Senators voting on the question.

5. The Senate, during its session, may punish by imprisonment any person, not a Senator, who shall be guilty of disrespect to the same, by any disorderly or contemptuous behavior in their presence; but such imprisonment shall not at any time exceed 24 hours, unless the person shall persist in such disorderly or contemptuous behavior.

6. The doors of the Senate shall be kept open, except in such cases as, in the opinion of the Senate, requires secrecy.

7. The Senate shall not adjourn, without the consent of the House of Representatives, for more than two days, nor to any other place than that in which the two houses shall be sitting.

8. On the final passage of all bills, the vote shall be by yeas and nays, upon each bill separately, and shall be entered upon the journal; and no bill shall become a law without the concurrence of a majority of all the Senators elected.

9. Every bill shall be read at large on three different days, and the bill and all amendments shall be printed before the vote is taken on its final passage.

10. The Lieutenant Governor shall be President of the Senate, and shall vote only when the Senate is equally divided.

DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT.

11. The Lieutenant Governor, or, in his absence, the President *pro tempore*, or in the absence of both, any senator called to the chair by the Senate, shall take the chair every day precisely at the hour to which the Senate shall have adjourned; shall immediately call the Senators to order, and, on the appearance of a quorum, shall cause the journal of the preceding day to be read.

12. The presiding officer shall preserve decorum and order; may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Senate by any two Senators—on which appeal no Senator shall speak more than once, unless by leave of the Senate.

13. He shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting.

14. Questions shall be put in this form, viz.: "As many as are of the opinion that—as the case may be)—say 'Aye,'" and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "As many as are of the contrary opinion, say 'No.'" If the president doubt the result of the vote, or a division be called for, the Senate shall divide; those in the affirmative shall first rise from their seats, and afterwards those in the negative.

15. The President shall examine and correct the journal before it is read; he shall have the general direction of the Senate chamber; he shall have the right to name any Senator to perform the duties of the chair, and such substitute shall be vested with all the powers of the President during the time he shall act as such, and not lose the right of voting on any question while so presiding; but such substitution shall not exceed beyond one day.

16. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the lobby or gallery, the President shall have power to order the same to be cleared.

17. The President shall assign to the Sergeant-at-Arms and his assistants, and policemen and janitors, their respective duties and stations, and he may discharge any policeman, mail carrier, janitor or page for misconduct or neglect of duty.

DECORUM AND DEBATE.

18. When any Senator is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the Senate, he shall rise from his seat and address himself to "Mr. President," and shall confine himself to the question on debate, and avoid personalities.

19. If any Senator in speaking (or otherwise) transgress the rule of the Senate, the President shall or any Senator may, call him to order, in which case the Senator so called to order shall sit down, unless permitted to explain.

and the Senate, if appealed to, shall decide on the case without debate. If the decision be in favor of the Senator called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise, and the case require it he shall be liable to the censure of the Senate.

20. If any Senator be called to order for words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall repeat the words excepted to, and they shall be taken down by the Secretary; but no Senator shall be held to answer or be subject to the censure of the Senate for words spoken in debate, if any Senator has spoken in debate or other business has intervened after the words spoken and before exceptions to them shall have been taken.

21. If two or more Senators rise at once, the President shall name the Senator who is first to speak.

22. No Senator shall speak more than twice on the same question, not more than once until every Senator choosing to speak shall have spoken, nor longer than 15 minutes at any one time, without the consent of the Senate.

23. While the President is putting a question or addressing the Senate, no Senator shall walk out of or across the room, nor in such case, or when a Senator is speaking, shall entertain private discourse, nor when a Senator is speaking, shall pass between him and the Chair.

24. No Senator shall be permitted to vote on any question unless within the bar before the vote is announced. The bar of the Senate shall not be considered as including the space immediately under the center gallery of the Senate Chamber.

25. No second shall be required to any motion presented to the Senate.

26. When a motion is made it shall be stated by the President, or, being in writing, shall be handed to the Secretary and read aloud before debate.

27. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any Senator desire it.

28. When the yeas and nays shall be taken on any question, no Senator shall be permitted to vote, or to change his vote, after a decision is announced from the Chair, unless by the unanimous consent of the Senate.

29. After a motion is stated by the President or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in the possession of the Senate, but may be withdrawn at any time by the unanimous consent of the Senate before decision.

30. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but

To adjourn,
To call the House,
To lay on the table,
The previous question,
To postpone indefinitely,
To postpone to a day certain,
To commit,
To close debate on pending questions, or,
To amend.

Which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged.

31. A motion for adjournment shall always be in order, except when the roll is being called, and be decided, as well as the motion to lay on the table, without debate.

32. No motion

To postpone to a day certain,
Or indefinitely,
Or to commit,

Being decided in the negative, shall again be allowed on the same day, and at the same stage of the bill or proposition.

33. A motion to strike out the enacting words of a bill shall have precedence over a motion to amend, and, if carried, shall be deemed equivalent to its rejection.

34. When a blank is to be filled, and different sums or times are proposed, the question shall be first put on the largest sum and the longest time.

35. No person shall be permitted to smoke in the Senate Chamber, or to give any signs of approbation or disapprobation while the Senate is in session.

OFFICERS' DUTIES.

36. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep a journal in which he shall seasonably record the motions, resolutions, rules and decisions of the Senate, and to do and perform all such other acts appertaining to his office as may be required of him by the Senate or its presiding officer.

37. It shall be the duty of the sergeant-at-arms to attend the Senate during its sittings, to execute the commands of the Senate from time to time, together with all such process issued by authority thereof as shall be directed to him by the President, and all process issued by order of the Senate, or any committee thereof, shall be signed by the President.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

38. The following standing committees shall be appointed by the Senate, with leave to report by bill or otherwise:

Agriculture and Horticulture—Sixteen Senators.

Appropriations—Eighteen Senators.

Banks and Banking—Eighteen Senators.

Building and Loan Associations—Twelve Senators.

Canals and Rivers—Twelve Senators.

Civil Service—Ten Senators.

Contingent Expenses of the Senate—Three Senators.

Corporations—Twenty-seven Senators.

County and Township Organization—Ten Senators.

Education and Educational Institutions—Twenty-two Senators.

Elections—Thirteen Senators.

Enrolled and Engrossed Bills—Five Senators.

Fees and Salaries—Eleven Senators.

Finance—Ten Senators.

Fish and Game—Sixteen Senators.

Insurance—Twenty-seven Senators.

Judiciary—Twenty-one Senators.

Judicial Apportionment—Eleven Senators.

Judicial Department and Practice—Fifteen Senators.

Labor and Manufactures—Twelve Senators.

License and Miscellany—Twelve Senators.

Live Stock and Dairying—Twenty-one Senators.

Military—Ten Senators.

Mines and Mining—Nine Senators.

Municipalities—Twenty-five Senators.

Parks and Boulevards—Eighteen Senators.

Penal and Reformatory Institutions—Eleven Senators.

Public Accounts—Eight Senators.

Public Buildings and Grounds—Six Senators.

Railroads—Forty-one Senators.

Revenue—Twenty-one Senators.

Roads, Highways and Bridges—Eleven Senators.

Rules—Five Senators.

State Charitable Institutions—Ten Senators.

To Visit Educational Institutions—Three Senators.

To Visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions—Three Senators.

To Visit State Charitable Institutions—Three Senators.

Warehouses—Twelve Senators.

Waterways and Drainage—Twenty Senators.

PRACTICE.

39. All resolutions presented to the Senate shall lie one day on the table.
40. If the question in debate contain several points, any Senator may have the same divided; but on a motion to strike out and insert, it shall not be in order to move for a division of the question; but the rejection of a motion to strike out and insert one proposition shall not prevent a motion to strike out and insert a different proposition.
41. When a question has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for a member of the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof, or give notice that he will make such motion within the time prescribed by the rule; for which time he shall have control of the motion. But no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be in order after a bill, resolution, message, report, amendment, or motion upon which the vote was taken shall have gone out of the possession of the Senate; nor shall any motion for reconsideration be in order unless within the next day of actual session of the Senate: *Provided*, That should the Senator giving notice of a motion to reconsider not make such motion within the time prescribed by the rule, any other Senator voting with the majority may make such motion within the next succeeding legislative day, but no notice of a "motion to reconsider," shall be received within three legislative days of the time fixed for the final adjournment of the General Assembly. Such motion shall take precedence of all other questions, except a motion to adjourn.
42. A bill may be referred to a committee without reading, but shall be read before being amended, and may be amended in every particular on second reading. A bill read once and referred shall be read a second time before being amended.
43. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills to examine the same, correct any mistakes therein, and report the bills to the Senate. Said committee may report at any time.
44. A motion to lay any particular proposition on the table shall apply to that proposition only.
45. When a committee reports a substitute for an original bill, with the recommendation that the substitute pass, it shall be in order to read the substitute a first time at once.
46. No amendment shall be in order at the third reading of a bill, resolution, or motion requiring three readings, unless by unanimous consent of the Senators present; but it shall be at all times in order before the final passage of such bill, resolution or motion, to move its commitment.
47. When a bill is introduced it shall be read at once for the first time, ordered printed and referred to a committee; and a bill so referred to a committee may be recalled only by a suspension of the rules. It is hereby made the duty of any member introducing a bill proposing an amendment to any statute law of this State, to underscore said amendment, and no bill shall be printed until such amendments are underscored. If any words which are not proposed amendments are underscored, knowingly, for the purpose of misleading, said bill shall go to the foot of the calendar. All parts of bills which are underscored shall be printed in italics.
48. When a bill is reported from the House, it shall be read a first time, ordered printed, and referred to the proper committee for consideration.
49. The Secretary of the Senate shall, as soon as any bill is printed, place a copy of the same in the postoffice boxes of the Senators, and shall furnish to the chairman of the committee to which said bill is referred two copies for each member of said committee.
50. When motions are made for reference of the same subject to a select committee and to a standing committee, the question of reference to a standing committee shall be first put.

51. Upon the call of the Senate, the names of Senators shall be called by the Secretary, and the absentees noted, after which the names of such absentees shall again be called; the doors shall then be closed, and those for whom no excuse, or insufficient excuses, are made may, by order of those present, be taken into custody as they appear or may be sent for, and taken into custody wherever found, by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate.

52. No amendment, by way of rider, shall be received to any bill on its third reading.

53. When an emergency is expressed in the preamble or body of an act as a reason why such act should take effect prior to the first day of July next after its passage, and when such act contains a clause or proviso fixing such time prior to the first day of July, the question shall be, "Shall the bill pass?" and if decided affirmatively by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators elected to the Senate, then the bill shall be deemed passed; but if, upon such vote, a majority of less than two-thirds of all said Senators-elect vote affirmatively on said question, then the vote on said bill shall be deemed reconsidered, and the bill subject to amendment by striking out such part thereof as expresses an emergency and the time of taking effect, and then said bill shall be under consideration, upon its third reading, with the emergency clause and time of taking effect stricken out.

54. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Cushing's Parliamentary Law shall govern the Senate in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules and orders of the Senate.

55. A motion to commit, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate on the main question; and a motion to postpone indefinitely, or to a day certain, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments on the main question.

56. Upon a motion to reconsider the vote on the final passage of any bill, a majority of all the Senators-elect shall be required to reconsider the same.

57. If a bill shall fail to pass on account of not having received the constitutional majority, any Senator having voted in the negative shall have a right to move a reconsideration.

58. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment.

59. No rule of the Senate shall be altered, suspended or rescinded without the vote of two-thirds of the Senators present.

60. No person, except members of the House of Representatives and their officers, heads of executive departments of this State, chaplains, judges of the United States courts, and supreme and circuit judges of this State, former governors and lieutenant governors, and ex-members of the Senate of this State not acting as attorney for any person, persons, firm or corporation interested in pending legislation, and reporters of the press, shall be admitted to the floors of the Senate, unless by leave of the President of the Senate.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

61. The daily order of business shall be as follows:

1. The reading of the journal.
2. Presentation of petitions.
3. Reports from standing committees.
4. Reports from select committees.
5. Presentation of resolutions.
6. Introduction of bills.

After the daily order of business shall have passed, the following general order of business shall be observed:

1. Messages from the House of Representatives.
2. Reading bills of the Senate the third time.
3. Reading bills of the Senate the second time.
4. Reading bills from the House of Representatives the third time.
5. Reading bills from the House of Representatives the second time.
6. Reading bills from the House of Representatives the first time.
7. Consideration of resolutions.

The items of unfinished business in which the Senate was engaged at the last preceding adjournment shall have the preference in the general order of business. And when the Senate shall have passed from one order to another no action shall be had upon the orders passed except by leave of the Senate; and to give this leave, two-thirds of the Senators present must concur.

PREVIOUS QUESTION.

62. The previous question shall be stated in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" and, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments or debate. When it is decided that the main question shall not now be put, the main question shall be considered as still remaining under debate.

63. The effect of the main question being ordered shall be to put an end to all debate and bring the Senate to a direct vote; first, upon all amendments reported or pending, in the inverse order in which they are offered. After the motion for the previous question has prevailed, it shall not be in order to move a call of the Senate, unless it shall appear by the yeas and nays as taken on the main question that no quorum is present, or to move to adjourn, prior to a decision on the main question.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS AND NOMINATIONS.

64. Messages from the Governor and communications from State officers may be received at any time, except when the President is putting a question or the yeas and noes are being called, and upon motion, may be considered at any time, except, that messages from the Governor making nominations of officers shall lay over one day. The consideration of the executive business shall take place with closed doors, unless otherwise ordered by a majority of Senators present.

65. Nominations may be referred to a standing or select committee. On considering nominations, the President shall put the following question: "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nomination just made?" While any nomination remains with the Senate, it shall be in order to reconsider any vote taken thereon.

66. All members of conference committees of the Senate shall be named and appointed by resolution.

HOOR OF MEETING.

67. Unless otherwise ordered, the regular hour of meeting of the Senate shall be 10:00 o'clock, a. m. daily (Sundays excepted) except on Fridays, when the hour of meeting shall be 9:00 o'clock, a. m.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment to the rules:

Amend rule 61 by adding after item No. 5 under the Daily Order of Business, the following:

"And consideration of resolutions which relate to any bill, resolution, petition or motion which may have been referred to any committee nine days or more prior to the presentation of the resolution under consideration, or which call for any action on the part of, or information from, any officer or officers of the State of Illinois for the information or assistance of the Senate and which have been lying on the table for one day or longer."

After debate Mr Humphrey moved to lay the amendment on the table.

And the yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 23; nays, 8.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Lundberg,	
Butler,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Yeas—23.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dunlap,	Parker,	Riley,	Templeton,	Walter,
Fort,	Putnam,			Nays—8.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the rules:

Amend by striking out rule 66.

And the question being, "Shall the amendment be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 8; nays, 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Putnam,	Riley,
Burnett,	Fort,	Parker,		Yeas—8.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Kunz,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,	
Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,	Nays—23.

The question then being, "Shall the report of the committee be concurred in and the rules adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 21.

WHEREAS, The accounting systems and business methods of the several State institutions, commissions, boards and the like are lacking in uniformity and the means of effective comparison, though it is believed that uniform accounting systems and business methods of a nature to permit such comparison could be devised and adopted with advantage to the State and the people; and,

WHEREAS, In order to make out a plan for so systematizing and unifying these several accounting systems and business methods and bringing them to a point where each shall be satisfactory and all shall be similar, full information is required; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Accounts be and it is hereby authorized to inspect the several State institutions, commissions and boards and their accounting systems and business methods, and to call upon them for all such information and copies of books, blanks, papers and the like as may be deemed necessary; and be it further

Resolved, That the officers and representatives of said State institutions, commissions, boards and the like be and they are hereby required to furnish all such information, copies, books, blanks, papers and the like as shall be required of them in accordance with this resolution.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

At 11:00 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Thursday, Jan. 29, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Farrelly presented a petition from citizens of the Thirty-eighth Senatorial district, concerning the local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Farrelly, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, the vote whereby the Rules of the Senate were adopted on Thursday, Jan. 29, 1903, was reconsidered.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the Rules; which was adopted:

Strike out Rule 66 and insert the following in place thereof; "Rule 66. All members of conference committees of the Senate shall be named and appointed by the President of the Senate."

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment to the Rules; which was adopted:

Amend Rule 47 by striking out the words, "and a bill so referred to a committee may be recalled only by a suspension of the Rules."

And the question then being, "Shall the Rules, as amended, be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Watson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 87, for "An act to amend certain sections of an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and recording the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for

non-compliance with the provisions thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force January 1, 1902, and to add two additional sections thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 88, for "An act providing for the admission to the presence of any injured employé of any mercantile institution, store, office, laundry, manufacturing establishment, factory or workshop, and to the building, room or premises where such person or persons were injured, of any relative of such injured person, and his or her guardian or legal representative, and to provide a penalty for failure to comply with, or for violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Resolved, That this Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret of the death of Hon. William F. Harris, late Senator from the Twenty-eighth district, of Ferris, Hancock county, Illinois, and member of the 42nd General Assembly, who departed this life at his home on the 3rd day of November, 1901, in the midst of his term of office.

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Harris, this Senate lost a useful and earnest member; the State a patriotic citizen, an able and faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the community in which he lived has lost a law abiding and honorable citizen, and his family a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate and transmitted to the family of the deceased. And as a further mark of respect for his memory, this Senate do now adjourn.

On motion of Mr. Watson, the further consideration of the resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

At 10:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 62, for "An act to amend section 70 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 63, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22.

Resolved, That G. E. Birkett, M. Beach, G. Picknell and F. Stephan be, and they are hereby, appointed clerks of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, at a compensation of \$3 per day.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7.

WHEREAS, The government of the United States is committed irrevocably to the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine, which declares against foreign aggressions upon American soil and the forcible acquisition of territory on this continent by European or other trans-marine powers, and

WHEREAS, The present Venezuelan imbroglio emphasizes the necessity of having a United States marine power great enough to preserve that doctrine inviolable and to protect our own domain and that of the sister republics from foreign invasion and domination; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Senators and Representatives from this commonwealth in the National Congress be and they are hereby requested and urged to give their hearty support to the resolution of Representative Dayton of West Virginia, calling upon the Secretary of the Navy to lay before Congress at once the views and recommendations of the general board and the reports of the naval war college on a well defined program for naval increase, to the end that prompt steps may be taken for such enlargement of the nation's marine power as will enable it to preserve its principles under any and all circumstances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 89, for "An act to amend Sections 32 and 33 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of the State with reference thereto,'" approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; and all amendments thereto,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 90, for "An act to amend Section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,'" approved May 23, 1877; in force July 1, 1877,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 91, for "An act to amend an act, entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,'" approved Feb. 25, 1898, and in force Feb. 25, 1898,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 92, for "An act relating to the carriage of freight and the furnishing of freight cars by railroad companies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 93, for "An act for the relief of the blind,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 94, for "An act to authorize school districts to consolidate and unite, and organize new school districts,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Andrus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 95, for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,'" approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Andrus, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

Mr. Andrus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 96, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site, and building an armory for the Illinois National Guard at Rockford, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Andrus, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 97, for "An act entitled, 'An act to compel fire insurance companies to pay the assured, in case of loss, the full amount for which such company has issued its policy, and to make agents procuring insurance for companies the agents thereof, as to matters expressed in policy,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 98, for "An act to prevent frauds between attorneys, clients and defendants; making agreements between attorney and client a lien upon the cause of action,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 99, for "An act to amend Section 1b of an act entitled. 'An act for the relief of disabled members of the police and fire departments in cities and

villages,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; as amended by act approved May 10, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 100, for "An act to amend Section 8 (eight) of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act to amend Section 3 and said Section eight of said act entitled as aforesaid, approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 101, for "An act to amend Section two (sec. 2) of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 102, for "An act to amend Section two (2) of Article one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, February 4, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Parker by request introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 103, for "An act to regulate the civil service in counties containing one hundred and fifty thousand or more inhabitants,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker was referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

Mr. Parker by request introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 104, for "An act concerning patented and proprietary medicines,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pemberton by request of Senator Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 105, for "An act providing for the examination, registration, and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulation of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violation of its provisions,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 106, for "An act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 107, for "An act making appropriations for St. Charles' Home for Boys."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 108, for "An act to amend section one of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint short-hand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 62, a bill for "An act to amend section 70 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 63, a bill for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS. ■

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Dunlap, Feb. 4, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

WHEREAS, The government of the United States is committed irrecoverably to the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine, which declares against foreign aggressions upon American soil and the forcible acquisition of territory on this continent by European or other trans-marine powers; and

WHEREAS, The present Venezuelan imbroglio emphasizes the necessity of having a United States marine power great enough to preserve that doctrine inviolable and to protect our own domain and that of the sister republics from foreign invasion and domination; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Senators and Representatives from this commonwealth in the National Congress be and they are hereby requested and urged to give their hearty

support to the resolution of Representative Dayton of West Virginia, calling upon the Secretary of the Navy to lay before Congress at once the views and recommendations of the general board and the reports of the Naval War College on a well-defined program for naval increase, to the end that prompt steps may be taken for such enlargement of the nation's marine power as will enable it to preserve its principles under any and all circumstances.

And the question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President--I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 5, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Rollo H. Woods of Rock Falls, Whiteside county, Trustee State Training School for Girls, to succeed James P. Fletcher, deceased.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules were suspended and the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering the foregoing message from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

And the question then being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nomination just made?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Maher.	Rees.
Alden.	Dixon.	Helm.	McCabe.	Riley.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Townsend.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Parker.	Walter.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Powers.	Yeas—38.
Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	

At 10:14 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

At 10:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1903.—9:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when,

On motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 9:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Rees, the Senate adjourned until Monday, February 9, 1903, at 5 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9. 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, February 6, 1903, was being read, when,

On motion of Mr. Rees, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Stringer, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 62.

A bill for an act to amend section 70 of an act, entitled An Act in regard to the administration of estates, approved April 1st, 1872, and in force July 1st, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5th, 1889, and in force July 1st, 1889.

SENATE BILL NO. 63.

A bill for an act to amend section seven of an act, entitled An Act in regard to wills, approved March 20th, 1872, and in force July 1st, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11th, 1895, and in force July 1st, 1895.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8.

WHEREAS, Thursday, February 12th, is the [anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln; therefore,

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Wednesday, February 11, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 17, 1903.

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23.

Resolved, That the Auditor shall issue warrants in payment of committee expenses of the Senate upon the filing in his office of a satisfactory statement of said expenses, the same to be approved by the Chairman of the Committee making said expense, and by the Chairman of the Committee on Contingent Expenses of the Senate, and by the President or President pro tempore of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 24.

Resolved, That all requisitions for stationery and supplies for members of the Senate, and for Senate Committees, shall be approved, first by the Committee on Contingent Expenses of the Senate, and thereafter by the presiding officer of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 109, for "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for additional judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Watson, by request of Senator Alden, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 110, for "An act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Watson, by request of Senator Alden, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 111, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 112, for "An act to amend section four (4) of article IV of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 17, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 113, for "An act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for a penalty for violation of this act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 114, for "An act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part for business purposes,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 115, for "An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 116, for "An act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns, and townships, to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 117, for "An act providing for a tax upon gross premium receipts of insurance companies and associations other than life,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, .

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 118, for "An act to amend section 11 of an act to revise the law in relation to dower,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 119, for "An act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate

the services and mark the position of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Miss., and making appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 120, for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations other than fraternal societies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 121, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 122, for "An Act in regard to the creation of mechanics' liens, repealing all conflicting laws, providing that the same shall not interfere with existing liens or pending litigation and declaring an emergency,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 123, for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Stringer introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 124, for "An act making appropriations for the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children at Lincoln, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stringer, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 125, for "An act to amend sections sixty and seventy of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 126, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to repeal sections 8 to 109 of said act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 127, for "An act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 128, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney, for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer, while serving as a private in Company A, Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guards,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 129, for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 62, for "An act to amend section 70 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Campbell,
Clark,
Dawson,
Dixon,

Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fuller,
Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,

Hamilton,
Helm,
Hughes,
Humphrey,
Juil,
Koch,
Kunz,
Lundberg,

McKenzie,
Meehan,
Mueller,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Rees,
Riley,

Small,
Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Watson.

Yeas—38.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 63, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Dixon.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Stringer.
Barr.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fort.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Fuller.	Koch.	Powers.	
Coleman.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Rees.	Yeas—37.
Dawson.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Small.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution, offered by Mr. Gardner Jan. 28, 1903:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

WHEREAS, By direct vote of the people of the State of Illinois at the general election held in this State on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1902, it was voted that this General Assembly should take the necessary steps, under article V of the Constitution of the United States, to bring about the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people; and,

WHEREAS, Article V of the Constitution of the United States provides that on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States, the Congress of the United States shall call a convention for proposing amendments; now, therefore, in obedience to the expressed will of the people as expressed at said election, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That application be and is hereby made to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States, as provided for in said article V; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State do furnish to the President of the Senate of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, to each, one copy of this resolution, properly certified under the great seal of State.

After debate, the question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton
Butler,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson.
Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas—43.
Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Riley,

Nays—1.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 25.

Resolved, That William Bentley and George W. Cowan be appointed clerks of the Senate at a compensation of \$3 per day, pay to date from January 7, 1903; be it further

Resolved, That Thomas Davis be allowed ten days' pay as janitor at a compensation of \$2 per day.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill (Senate Bill No. 100), for "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act to amend section three and said section 8 of said act entitled as aforesaid, approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill (Senate Bill No. 101), for "An act to amend section two (Sec. 2) of an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10,

1898,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Senator Rees requested leave of absence on account of business, for next week, which was granted.

Senator Watson requested leave of absence for Senator Alden, on account of death in his family, which was granted.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Senator Berry, January 13, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Resolved, That this Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret of the death of Hon. William F. Harris, late Senator from the 28th District, of Ferris, Hancock county, Illinois, and member of the 42d General Assembly, who departed this life at his home on the third day of November, 1901, in the midst of his term of office.

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Harris, this Senate lost a useful and earnest member, the State a patriotic citizen, an able and faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the community in which he lived has lost a law abiding and honorable citizen, and his family a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate and transmitted to the widow and family of the deceased; and as a further mark of respect for his memory, this Senate do now adjourn.

After remarks by Senators Berry and Stringer, the foregoing resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and at 11:10 o'clock a. m., the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 15, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to dower,' approved March 4, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 44, for "An act to provide for vacation sessions of the circuit court, and to fix the power of the court at such sessions," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 81, for "An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, and to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874; approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 6), for "An act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 23) for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following, to be known as section 81½," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 29, for "An act entitled, 'An act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid, and providing a penalty therefor,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 54, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burnett introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 130, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Burnett, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Dunlap introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 131, for "An act making appropriations for the University of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Dunlap introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 132, for "An act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress, approved Aug. 30, 1890, entitled 'An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862,' "

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 133, for "An act to amend section 133 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 134, for "An act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 135, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Charles Balsley, corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 136, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 137, for "An act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McCabe introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 138, for "An act providing for a geological survey of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McCabe was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 139, for "An act to enable cities, villages and incorporated towns, of a population of 10,000 or under to purchase or lease, maintain and operate electric lighting plants and sell electricity to consumers,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 140, for "An act to amend Section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 141, for "An act to establish a uniform system of book-keeping, auditing and accounting by municipal corporations, and for the inspection and supervision of public offices, and to provide means for the enforcement of the same,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. Haas, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 142, for "An act to amend sections 202 and 210 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' "

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 143, for "An act to amend section 96, division 1, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 144, for "An act to provide against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors through agents,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 145, for "An act making appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop 'A' 1st Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, A. D. 1902,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Military,

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 146, for "An act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac for the two years beginning July 1903, and ending July, 1905,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 147, for "An act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulations of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violation of its provisions,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 148, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' in force May 21, 1889, and as the same is amended by an act approved June 22, 1891, and an act approved April 22, 1899, by repealing sections 17 to 28, both inclusive, of article VI of said act, and by adding to said article VI 17 new sections, to be numbered respectively from 30 to 47,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 149, for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 16, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 150, for "An act entitled 'An act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer, and for penalties for doing same,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 151, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to State contracts,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 152, for "An act to promote the safety of employes upon railroads by compelling persons, firms, companies and corporations operating railroads to equip their cars and locomotives with automatic couplers, continuous brakes and grab irons; their locomotives with driving wheel brakes; to provide a standard height for drawbars for freight cars and engines, and to adjust, fill or block all frogs, switches, guard rails and all other constructions which are a part of or are near their tracks, so as to prevent the feet of employes from being caught therein,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 153, for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements, and for beautifying the State fair grounds at Springfield, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 154, for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 155, for "An act to increase the efficiency of the State educational institutions, to create a board of control for their management and direction, and to define the powers and duties thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. McKenzie introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 156, for "An act concerning investments by trustees,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stringer (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 157, for "An act to regulate the procedure in divorce cases,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stringer, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 100, a bill for "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act to amend section 3 and said section 8 of said act entitled as aforesaid, approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Elections Feb. 10, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 100 by inserting in line 33, after the word "record," the words: "To be voted for by the electors of any county containing a population of 125,000 or more."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 101, a bill for "An act to amend section two (section 2) of an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof," approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, approved May 11, 1901; in force July 1, 1901," was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Elections Feb. 10, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 101 by striking out the word and figure "section 2" in line 1, page 3, of printed bill.

Amend Senate Bill No. 101 by inserting after the word "day" in line 35 of the printed bill the following:

Provided, That at any time hereafter when only a judge, or judges, of a court record, or courts of record, is or are to be nominated, the central or managing committee, or the executive committee, of any political party authorized by law to make nominations of, in or for any judicial district, judicial circuit or county, may itself make any and all nominations for judge or judges of any court of record without holding any primary election or convention; *therefore*, any nomination when so made shall have the same force and effect of a nomination by a party convention called and held under law.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 109, a bill for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to provide for additional judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook,'" approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 10:20 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess for twenty minutes.

At 10:40 o'clock a. m. the Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. B. H. McCann, first assistant clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 8.

WHEREAS, Thursday, Feb. 12th, is the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, therefore,

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1903, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1903.

Concurred in by the House Feb. 11, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

At 10:41 o'clock a. m. on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Hall, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 17, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to submit the appended list of notaries public appointed and commissioned by me since the adjournment of the last General Assembly, and up to and including the 16th day of February, 1903.

And I respectfully ask that said appointments be confirmed by your honorable body.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES, *Governor.*

JANUARY 10, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Nettie V. Wright	Carthage	Hancock
Joseph H. Samson	Jonesboro	Union
Charles W. Elliott	Williamsfield	Knox
Winifred S. Wikoff	Chicago	Cook
Mate B. Brewster	do	do
John Lace	do	do
A. Henry Frank	do	do
John D. Rowe	do	do

JANUARY 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Alex Crader.....	Mozier.....	Calhoun.....
J. R. Wilkinson.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
Louis Zerweck.....	Lebanon.....	St. Clair.....
Charles E. Gueltig.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.....
Walter V. Arbuckle.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
Frederick B. Townsend.....	Sycamore.....	DeKalb.....
Robert R. Jackson.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
U. V. Kannally.....	do.....	do.....
Harry Foot.....	do.....	do.....
August Wicklund.....	do.....	do.....
George F. Talty.....	do.....	do.....
Martin Howard.....	do.....	do.....
D. A. Stevens.....	do.....	do.....
Luther M. Dearborn.....	do.....	do.....
Emma Bennett.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 12, 1901.

Homer M. Dodds.....	Pearl City.....	Stephenson.....
A. W. Wallace.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas.....
R. L. Wray.....	Media.....	Henderson.....
John A. Barekman.....	Sumner.....	Lawrence.....
Charles E. VanVorhis.....	Evanston.....	Cook.....
James B. Arnold.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Thomas J. Quigley.....	do.....	do.....
Robert G. Roberts.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph D. Rosen.....	do.....	do.....
Charles T. Rucker.....	do.....	do.....
Isaac B. Lipson.....	do.....	do.....
John V. Norcrass.....	do.....	do.....
John C. Culbertson.....	Piper City.....	Ford.....
E. G. Garrett.....	Athens.....	Menard.....

JANUARY 15, 1901.

Percy E. Barry.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Oscar W. Brecher.....	do.....	do.....
Frederick H. Deknatel.....	do.....	do.....
John M. A. Drzymiski.....	do.....	do.....
George M. Groves.....	do.....	do.....
Edward F. Keebler.....	do.....	do.....
Charles C. Landt.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. W. Morris.....	do.....	do.....
Richard McConnell.....	do.....	do.....
John C. McDonald.....	do.....	do.....
John H. Nichols.....	do.....	do.....
Charles V. Peterson.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas S. Stevenson.....	do.....	do.....
John Schoke.....	do.....	do.....
Eugene Tail.....	do.....	do.....
Frederick W. Thomas.....	do.....	do.....
W. R. Tothill.....	do.....	do.....
Charles M. Tronerud.....	do.....	do.....
Charles A. Winston.....	do.....	do.....
Dugald S. Hutchison.....	do.....	do.....
J. P. Holland.....	Cottonwood.....	Gallatin.....
Robert C. Morse.....	Kewanee.....	Henry.....
O. R. Morgan.....	Vienna.....	Johnson.....
Josiah Tilden.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Henry C. Hamilton.....	Girard.....	Maccupin.....
O. R. Rohrer.....	Virden.....	do.....
Chas. H. Roe.....	Pinckneyville.....	Perry.....
Wm. R. Borders.....	Sparta.....	Randolph.....
Wm. L. Haynes.....	Claremont.....	Richland.....
Henry Richart.....	Cedarville.....	Stephenson.....
R. U. Heimberger.....	Fayetteville.....	St. Clair.....
Horace R. Daugherty.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Wm. S. Summers.....	El Dorado.....	Saline.....

January 15, 1901—Concluded.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	Postoffice Address.
James F. Gaylord	Harrisburg.....	Saline
W. P. Martindale	Quincy	Adams
W. C. Howard	do	do
Arlington Taylor	Ursa	do
Fred Wildf.	Highland	Madison
O. W. Hathaway	Sheldon	Iroquois
John Hartmann	Springfield	Sangamon

JANUARY 16, 1901.

William B. Wood	Waggoner	Montgomery
Ferdinand J. Schrader	Belleville	St. Clair
Eli G. Edwards	Louisville	Clay
John C. Paddock	Peoria	Peoria
F. S. Bartlett	Galesburg	Knox
C. T. Hanshaw	Palmyra	Macoupin
F. S. Greene	Emington	Livingston
S. T. Fisher	Fisher	Champaign
Robert A. Jennings	Piper City	Ford
J. J. Bundy	Thompsonville	Franklin
D. P. Hughes	Danville	Vermilion
H. H. Howell	Paris	Edgar
Hugh E. Curtis	Rock Island	Rock Island
Fred W. Cooper	Chicago	Cook
Jacob H. Hopkins	do	do
Charles W. Taylor	do	do
John T. O'Connell	do	do
Emma H. Willard	do	do
G. E. Hawkyard	Kenney	DeWitt
C. B. Chapman	Ottawa	LaSalle

JANUARY 17, 1901.

Bonifazio Chelini	Chicago	Cook
John C. Edwards	do	do
Frank E. Daily	do	do
William M. Brinkman	do	do
William Monahan	do	do
Simeon Straus	do	do
Fred W. H. Sundmacher	do	do
I. S. Blumenthal	do	do
Geo. C. Utley	Harvey	do
Isaac B. Adams	DuQuoin	Perry
George T. Saunders	Beardstown	Cass
William F. Thome	East Peoria	Tazewell
J. F. Lawrence	Danville	Vermilion

JANUARY 18, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edgar D. Mohan.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John H. Denny.....	Stone Fort.....	Saline.....
Edward J. Heydecker.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....
Charles S. McCoy.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
David M. Hillis.....	do.....	do.....
L. A. Plagge.....	do.....	do.....
W. L. Wesemann.....	LaGrange.....	do.....
Edward Bornemann.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
William F. Zibell.....	Chicago.....	do.....
James F. Nathan.....	do.....	do.....
James E. Sparlin.....	do.....	do.....
B. B. Williams.....	East Dubuque.....	Jo Daviess.....
Jeanette M. Evans.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
R. S. Faris.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas.....
Robert Thompson.....	Bradford.....	Stark.....
Lester Harris.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
John S. Carson.....	Belleville.....	do.....
William R. Fiddler.....	Mason City.....	Mason.....
John A. Cathcart.....	Sidell.....	Vermilion.....
Theodore H. Patterson, Jr.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Fred H. Brown.....	do.....	do.....
Max Schweizer.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 19, 1901.

R. M. Pritchett.....	Dana.....	LaSalle.....
W. B. Jones.....	Baders.....	Schuyler.....
J. B. Logan.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson.....
William Harrold.....	Edinburg.....	Christian.....
W. E. Davis.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
John P. Higgins.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
John M. Glassco.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Joseph T. Fortin.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Ila B. Mahaffey.....	do.....	do.....
A. E. Park.....	do.....	do.....
Edmund P. McInerney.....	do.....	do.....
John W. Atkinson.....	do.....	do.....
Henry C. Murch.....	do.....	do.....
R. Elmer Hamilton.....	do.....	do.....
Olive A. Mertz.....	do.....	do.....
Edward Dickinson.....	do.....	do.....
Edith J. Gray.....	do.....	do.....
Jonathan G. Latimer.....	do.....	do.....
Henry Waterman.....	do.....	do.....
Louis C. Krueger.....	do.....	do.....
Jay W. Skinkle.....	do.....	do.....
Roderick B. Frary.....	LaMoille.....	Bureau.....
Bessie M. Lyons.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Wm. Fielder.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
F. J. Stransky.....	Savanna.....	Carroll.....
Henry Phillips.....	Virginia.....	Cass.....

JANUARY 21, 1901.

Alfred C. Baker.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles V. McErlean.....	do.....	do.....
Theodore A. Hartman.....	do.....	do.....
Charles R. Moore.....	do.....	do.....
Fulton H. Sears.....	do.....	do.....
Carl Franz Wood.....	do.....	do.....
John Vennema.....	do.....	do.....
Argyll J. McMahan.....	Carthage.....	Hancock.....
W. L. Johnston.....	Canton.....	Fulton.....
Harry Allen.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
W. H. Kibler.....	Newton.....	Jasper.....
Catherine McCracken.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.....
L. A. Young.....	Coal City.....	Grundy.....
Joel B. Bertolet.....	Leaf River.....	Ogle.....
M. F. Dunlap.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....

January 21 1901—Concluded

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
H. G. Hall	Equality	Saline
Henry Sands	La Grange	Cook
F. D. Miner	Chicago	do
Adolph J. Sabath	do	do
G. M. Fletcher	do	do
Otto Knap	do	do
Samuel S. Parks	do	do

JANUARY 22, 1901.

Joseph Herman	Chicago	Cook
Wm. B. Cunningham, Jr.	do	do
C. S. Gurney	do	do
Charles Dockery	do	do
John Swanson	do	do
A. P. Clark Matson	do	do
Leo Hirsch	do	do
James Boyd	do	do
Thomas Zinn	Farina	Fayette
Edward G. Hill	Edwardsville	Madison
James K. Pierce	Martins Store	Hamilton
H. L. Watts	Peoria	Peoria
Mac. C. Wallace	Hoopeston	Vermilion
Eli C. Frank	Ramsey	Fayette

JANUARY 23, 1901.

J. H. Marshall	Charleston	Coles
R. D. Melton	Cornerville	Saline
Edward Apfeld	East Dubuque	Jo Daviess
Joseph Stephens	Paris	Edgar
Charles Webb	Belleville	St. Clair
Frank W. Reed	Peoria	Peoria
W. B. Eagan	Kinnundy	Marion
Thomas Bensing	Springerton	White
John H. Camlin	Rockford	Winnebago
H. D. Bottum	Chicago	Cook
Oscar M. Kaufman	do	do
Jesse Lowenhaupt	do	do
Chas. C. Bombaugh	do	do
Frank Alden	do	do
Edwin C. Hertig	do	do
Charles H. Day	do	do
F. W. Gresham	do	do
Herbert Haase	do	do
Richard N. Glasbrock	do	do
Arthur C. Hutchinson	do	do

JANUARY 24, 1901.

James W. Cliffe	Sycamore	DeKalb
Thos. S. McClanahan	Monmouth	Warren
Chas. A. Miller	St. Charles	Kane
F. E. Tyson	Rock Island	Rock Island
George A. Dolton	Dolton Station	Cook
John H. Hood	Chicago Heights	do
Patrick I. Creedon	Chicago	do
Gustave W. Herzberg	do	do
Christian F. Wiebe	do	do
Charles H. Merrill	do	do
T. O. Bunch	do	do
A. S. Coady	do	do
Frances M. Sidall	do	do
Henry B. Davis	do	do
H. B. Busing	do	do
Louis F. Hopkins	do	do

JANUARY 25, 1901.

Name	Postoffice Address.	County.
William J. Parks.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle.....
Charles Koche.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
George F. Selring.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
James A. Riely.....	Minonk.....	Woodford.....
Frank R. Webb.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Ira W. Lewis.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
E. B. Taylor.....	Cambridge.....	Henry.....
W. R. Jewell, Jr.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Walter C. Headen.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
C. H. Keith.....	Rinard.....	Wayne.....
A. A. Rice.....	Aledo.....	Mercer.....
Joseph Vavrik.....	Coal City.....	Grundy.....
E. L. Cramer.....	Morris.....	do.....
Marion J. Madsen.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Henry Daly.....	do.....	do.....
William C. Dresen.....	do.....	do.....
Henry E. Strassheim.....	do.....	do.....
James V. Carson.....	do.....	do.....
W. L. Weeks.....	do.....	do.....
Heedie I. Holmes.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 26, 1901.

R. P. A. Hamilton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Julia F. Deane.....	do.....	do.....
Fred H. Atwood.....	do.....	do.....
Sigmund Einstein.....	do.....	do.....
Alexander J. Innes.....	do.....	do.....
Frank J. C. Krahn.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
W. A. Stollar.....	Herrin.....	Williamson.....
Cyrus W. Leverett.....	Upper Alton.....	Madison.....
Fannie Barrett.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
Albert H. Addison.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Frank Langlois, Jr.....	Sycamore.....	De Kalb.....
Albert J. Jackson.....	Morrison.....	Whiteside.....
George W. Wolf.....	West Point.....	Hancock.....
E. W. Sutherland.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
E. Burt Raymond.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....

JANUARY 28, 1901.

Bryan H. Tivnen.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
F. Wm. Heckenkamp.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
James N. Snyder.....	Fairview.....	Fulton.....
Edwin P. Greenwood.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.....
Bazel D. Meek.....	Eureka.....	Woodford.....
Geo. W. Boyden.....	Sheffield.....	Bureau.....
Daniel T. Hahn.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
John M. Nisley.....	Knoxville.....	Knox.....
Sidney S. Breese.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Geo. W. Lackey.....	Lawrenceville.....	Lawrence.....
Swan O. Widell.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
J. A. Riordon.....	Morrison.....	Whiteside.....
A. B. Carrithers.....	Weston.....	McLean.....
Wm. Cummings.....	Lemont.....	Cook.....
Walter Willis.....	South Chicago.....	do.....
Geo. W. Slone.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Everett A. Aborn.....	do.....	do.....
Olof G. Myren.....	do.....	do.....
Perkins B. Bass.....	do.....	do.....
John E. Nicholas.....	Austin.....	do.....
Herman Wedesweiler.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Gut J. Kraemer.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 29, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Francis E. Matthews.....	Chicago	Cook
J. A. Breen	do	do
Mae A. Sheffield.....	do	do
Myrtle M. Molthrop	do	do
Frances Sabin	Aurora.....	Kane
R. B. Scott	do	do
R. J. Wing	do	do
F. G. Hanchett.....	do	do
De Goy B. Ellis	Elgin	do
J. F. Cummins.....	Rose Hill.....	Jasper
Alfred A. Moses.....	Highland Park.....	Lake
D. M. Gurnea	Wheaton	Du Page.....

JANUARY 30, 1901.

H. N. Ryan.....	Streator	La Salle
John F. Menough.....	Oakland	Coles.....
J. F. Brinkerhoff	Springfield	Sangamon.....
Geo. H. Scott	Macomb	McDonough
Anton Spaeth.....	Decatur.....	Macon
Al. Timke	Chicago	Cook
Emmett F. Knight	do	do
Robert D. Melick	do	do
Bertrand Golder.....	do	do
G. A. Hoff	Flora	Clay
Joseph M. Baker	Hillsboro	Montgomery
H. Clayton Dowell	Sheldon	Christian
D. S. Lord	Genoa.....	De Kalb
A. F. Gooch	Bellflower	McLean.....
John W. Clinton.....	Ina	Jefferson
Henry Leist.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 31, 1901.

T. B. Hall	Chicago	Cook
W. C. Lawson.....	do	do
Samuel Grodinsky	do	do
Frederick Duffy	do	do
Abraham A. Rolf.....	do	do
Rosa A. E. Guenther.....	do	do
J. William Helm.....	do	do
H. J. Merceret	do	do
Wm. Bernard Funk	do	do
Henry Lock.....	do	do
Anton A. Jankowski	do	do
Adolph Beck	do	do
Eugene Saunders	Harvard	McHenry
R. M. Funkhouser.....	Burnt Prairie	White
James M. Rice.....	Peoria	Peoria
A. J. Murray	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Mabel W. Coe.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward K. Cherrill	Carthage	Hancock.....

FEBRUARY 1, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Lee H. Inskip.....	Chicago	Cook
Lelia Hines.....	..do	..do
Robert Fulton.....	..do	..do
Louis J. Brunk.....	..do	..do
Henry M. Rae.....	..do	..do
J. Fred Sheehy.....	..do	..do
A. M. Davis.....	Rossville	Vermillion
Ralph Metcalf.....	Greenfield	Greene
Lawrence C. Johnson.....	Galva	Henry
J. W. Boren.....	Milton	Pike
Harry M. Bayne.....	Warren	JoDavieess
Eugene M. Peavler.....	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
James N. Sterling.....	Dixon	Lee
Clark Aby.....	Galva	Henry
D. A. Danielson.....	Chicago	Cook
A. J. Davis.....	Tremont	Tazewell

FEBRUARY 2, 1901.

Oscar H. Sloan.....	Tuscola	Douglas
F. P. Bacon.....	Carlyle	Clinton
A. H. Corzine.....	Assumption	Christian
Thomas R. Hull.....	Wheaton	DuPage
T. C. Orr.....	New Liberty	Jasper
Henry C. Withers.....	Carrollton	Greene
Levi E. Barnes.....	Rockwood	Randolph
Frederick Kohl.....	Danforth	Iroquois
Lulu G. Jones.....	Madison	Madison
Ralph W. Colver.....	Seatonville	Bureau
E. Everett Olds.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Owsley Brown.....	..do	..do
Isabella B. Albert.....	Chicago	Cook
Alexander S. Houston.....	..do	..do
Michael J. O'Brien.....	..do	..do
Maurice B. Zuckerman.....	..do	..do
Jacob C. Turnes.....	..do	..do
Walter K. McIntosh.....	..do	..do
Joseph J. Ward.....	..do	..do
B. L. Martin.....	..do	..do

FEBRUARY 4, 1901.

Edward Bobe.....	Chicago	Cook
John A. Bauer.....	..do	..do
James S. Jackson.....	..do	..do
J. B. Sheil.....	..do	..do
Horace K. Napheys.....	..do	..do
Carl Keith.....	..do	..do
Hal R. Morley.....	Kenilworth	..do
M. W. Naney.....	Rinard	Wayne
Samuel J. Dickson.....	Lenzburg	St. Clair
Fred G. Trenary.....	LaSalle	LaSalle
Lyman McCarl.....	Quincy	Adams
Samuel Ritchie.....	Warrensburg	Macon
George H. Ester.....	Naperville	DuPage
Joseph R. Duclos.....	Prairie du Rocher	Randolph
Adam C. Cliffe.....	Sycamore	DeKalb
James E. Gibbs.....	Clay City	Clay

FEBRUARY 5, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Elizabeth C. Layton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Luce D. Bond.....	do.....	do.....
Aubrey B. Snow.....	do.....	do.....
L. W. Judy.....	Fisher.....	Champaign.....
Jno. L. King.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
J. B. Babcock.....	Marengo.....	McHenry.....
R. Cliff Rice.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Thad. Proctor.....	Buncombe.....	Johnson.....
Willis H. Post.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
E. A. K. Sargent.....	Chana.....	Ogle.....
Theo. H. Koch.....	Mount Olive.....	Macoupin.....
C. S. Hamilton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Edward Marshall.....	do.....	do.....
A. B. Perrigo.....	do.....	do.....
Julius W. Williams.....	do.....	do.....
L. Mathieu Cier.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 6, 1901.

Beatrice Phelps.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
William A. Rowland.....	do.....	do.....
Edith Horan.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur L. Schwartz.....	do.....	do.....
Edward E. Jordan.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Mach.....	do.....	do.....
Maurice Berkson.....	do.....	do.....
Frank McG. Fraser.....	do.....	do.....
L. J. Wiley.....	do.....	do.....
James O. Briggs.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown.....
Dora L. Jacobson.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
John E. Schleicher.....	do.....	do.....
R. H. Dodge.....	Ancona.....	Livingston.....
William B. Sexton.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Hiram Lycan.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
O. A. McFarland.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Thomas J. Kennedy.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Cornelia Mason.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle.....
W. H. Dieterich.....	Rushville.....	Schuyler.....

FEBRUARY 7, 1901.

Samuel H. Rosenthal.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
William L. Hall.....	do.....	do.....
Otto H. Foege.....	do.....	do.....
Charles M. Rau.....	do.....	do.....
Allard Smith.....	do.....	do.....
James J. Leahy.....	do.....	do.....
F. B. Dickinson.....	do.....	do.....
Ada F. Carpenter.....	do.....	do.....
John E. Cross.....	McLeansboro.....	Hamilton.....
William S. Price.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....
Frederick M. Westphal.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Morton G. Smith.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Richard J. Fennessy.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 8, 1901.

M. E. Leigh.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Edward C. Hoyer.....	do.....	do.....
Martin Weick.....	do.....	do.....
Wallace S. Warnock.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. T. Eddy.....	do.....	do.....
E. Sheridan Fry.....	do.....	do.....
Harry R. Luther.....	do.....	do.....
John H. McElroy.....	do.....	do.....
Lillie M. Roll.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur P. Rankin.....	do.....	do.....
Norman H. Moss.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson.....

FEBRUARY 9, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Lawrence Crook.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Charles H. Goodykoontz.....	Cicero.....	do.....
Frank R. Lindop.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Walter S. Baldwin.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. M. Thomson.....	do.....	do.....
Adolph Naumann.....	do.....	do.....
Mark W. Shaw.....	do.....	do.....
Harvey G. Bogert.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur E. Havens.....	do.....	do.....
F. A. Cobleigh.....	Canton.....	Fulton.....
Eugene Brown.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
B. F. Wright.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

FEBRUARY 11, 1901.

F. W. Merchant	Chicago	Cook
Nettie Hall	do.....	do.....
William C. Hill	do.....	do.....
Alberta Adamick.....	do.....	do.....
Frank W. Hall.....	do.....	do.....
Emily Schlesinger.....	do.....	do.....
Andrew P. Humburg.....	do.....	do.....
George A. Keller.....	Decatur	Macon.....
E. Clare Segner.....	Danville.....	Vermillion.....
William M. Hoppe.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
James M. Best.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
James H. Stearns.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Noah Webster.....	Bible Grove.....	Clay.....
John F. Armstrong.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Otho L. Caldwell.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 13, 1901.

Geo. S. Hummer.....	Sheldon.....	Iroquois.....
John E. Hogan.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
Alfred E. Augerson.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
William R. Cone.....	do.....	do.....
G. Van Hoorebeke.....	Carlyle.....	Clinton.....
Geo. Rupp.....	Mt. Pulaski.....	Logan.....
M. J. Dougherty.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Leeman R. Norton.....	Victoria.....	do.....
N. V. Woleben.....	Marengo.....	McHenry.....
U. S. Parish.....	Carmi.....	White.....
Francis M. Smith.....	Payson.....	Adams.....
Jno. A. Walter.....	Lockport.....	Will.....
Hugh S. Wallace.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Leo Koretz.....	do.....	do.....
John P. Moran.....	do.....	do.....
Aaron John.....	do.....	do.....
Harry R. Goldman.....	do.....	do.....
Martin B. Madden.....	do.....	do.....
Harley D. Minnick.....	do.....	do.....
Florence Wicklin.....	do.....	do.....
Henry R. Christophers.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Tiffany.....	do.....	do.....
John G. Campbell.....	do.....	do.....
Jeannette Van Ostran.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 14, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Carl J. Appell.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Andrew J. Wallace.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Harry Boon.....	Hume.....	Edgar.....
C. S. Annour.....	Kinderhook.....	Pike.....
John F. Cole.....	Roodhouse.....	Greene.....
Frank W. Shepherd.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Edwin R. Wright.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
Richard W. Morrison.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
T. M. Silkwood.....	Tyrone.....	Franklin.....
G. D. Hiltabrand.....	Eden.....	LaSalle.....
Clark B. Shipp.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

FEBRUARY 15, 1901.

Gustav Nyquist.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Arthur Irvin.....	..do.....	..do.....
John B. Pallasch.....	..do.....	..do.....
Henry L. Morehouse.....	..do.....	..do.....
Lee J. Dudley.....	..do.....	..do.....
Haldor C. Peterson.....	..do.....	..do.....
Joseph Hurt.....	..do.....	..do.....
John C. Hanchett.....	Evanston.....	..do.....
Henry Green.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside.....
Fred P. Maus.....	Pekin.....	Tazewell.....
L. W. Jackman.....	St. Francisville.....	Lawrence.....
Robert Thompson.....	Bradford.....	Stark.....
Henry J. M. Luedde.....	Warsaw.....	Hancock.....
Joseph E. Christy.....	Ringwood.....	McHenry.....
Owen H. Fuller.....	Mazon.....	Grundy.....
Thomas E. Madden.....	Georgetown.....	Vermilion.....
J. C. O'Neill.....	Galena.....	Jo Daviess.....
Owen T. Smith.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Reeve Burton.....	..do.....	..do.....

FEBRUARY 16, 1901.

Melvin C. McIntosh.....	Barrington.....	Cook.....
Robert F. Milne.....	Evanston.....	..do.....
C. Nissen.....	Chicago.....	..do.....
Oscar W. Ware.....	..do.....	..do.....
Frank P. Schmitt, Jr.....	..do.....	..do.....
W. G. Rankin.....	..do.....	..do.....
Charles M. Conrad.....	..do.....	..do.....
Alfred Muelhoefer.....	..do.....	..do.....
E. S. Maddock.....	..do.....	..do.....
Philip G. Lust.....	..do.....	..do.....
P. J. Dargan.....	..do.....	..do.....
E. H. Miner.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
W. E. McReynolds.....	Anchor.....	..do.....
George P. Kessberger.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Henry Winter.....	Hanover.....	Jo Daviess.....
John Fuelbier.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
George E. Ricker.....	..do.....	..do.....
Allen P. Miller.....	Toulon.....	Stark.....
Ralph Ayars.....	Moweaqua.....	Shelby.....
Jas. Kleisner.....	Collinsville.....	Madison.....
Randall Alexander.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
John K. Judy.....	Goodwine.....	Iroquois.....
John Goedtner.....	Mendota.....	LaSalle.....
Clarence Griggs.....	Ottawa.....	..do.....
Alphonse Monsch.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

FEBRUARY 18, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Earl Parcels	Chicago	Cook
William Henry	do	do
G. B. Smith	do	do
A. H. Kinkaid	do	do
Allan A. Murray	do	do
Walter S. Carr	do	do
Henry F. Lindner	Thornton	do
Wm. R. Baldwin	Delavan	Tazewell
Martin V. Ussery	Anna	Union
Joseph Gossman	Winterrowd	Effingham
Samuel Richolsen	Ottawa	LaSalle
Fred B. Merrills	Belleville	St. Clair
B. Galligan	Springfield	Sangamon
Hattie E. Colyer	Paris	Edgar
Edward G. Payne	Rockefeller	Lake

FEBRUARY 19, 1901.

E. C. Lueck	Chicago	Cook
Knud B. Knudson	do	do
Clarence B. Hale	do	do
Arthur J. Rose	do	do
Albert W. King	do	do
Henry W. Buschmeyer	do	do
Francis J. Houlihan	do	do
L. A. Brown	do	do
M. S. Somerville	do	do
Hagbert Miller	do	do
Wm. Kelsey Reed	do	do
Glenn Craddock	Tampico	Whiteside
B. G. Lee	Manteno	Kankakee
A. W. Frogge	Papineau	Iroquois
Geo. E. Ayres	Springfield	Sangamon

FEBRUARY 20, 1901.

Charles I. Ross	Chicago	Cook
Eugenia E. Poley	do	do
Luther R. Catlin	do	do
I. T. Greenacre	do	do
Harry H. Phillips	do	do
Florence King	do	do
Herman A. Pretzel	do	do
W. I. Harris	Ottawa	LaSalle
H. A. Eidson	Willow Hill	Jasper
Frank L. Tomlinson	Mt. Pulaski	Logan
W. H. Hodge	Rushville	Schuyler
J. E. Wyand	do	do
Thos. W. Gaw	Mattoon	Coles

FEBRUARY 21, 1901.

Maurice S. Kuhns	Chicago	Cook
W. Garnett Hegan	do	do
John R. Thompson	do	do
Harry R. Hurlbut	do	do
Rudolph Matz	do	do
Byron M. Hopkins	do	do
Adam L. Fulton	Le Motte	Crawford
Louis L. Dapron	Springfield	Sangamon
Kathryn Hawkins	Litchfield	Montgomery
C. G. Heard	Thompsonville	Franklin
E. A. Eggleston	Canton	Fulton
I. E. Merritt	Buckley	Iroquois

FEBRUARY 23, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William H. Ebbert	Chicago	Cook
W. A. Ruff	do	do
Minnie G. Young	do	do
George C. Hield	do	do
Frank Moynan	do	do
Ida M. Briggs	do	do
Wm. O. Korten	do	do
Ferdinand A. Lemke	do	do
Otto G. Jacobson	do	do
Christian Florup	do	do
Robert M. Mitchell	do	do
Manly P. Thornton	do	do
John M. Young	do	do
G. C. Sumerfield	do	do
Edward R. McArthur	do	do
Erminie Miller	do	do
Gust Anderson	do	do
John C. Andres	Tinley Park	do
Iva G. Wooden	Chicago	do
Henry K. Hostetter	Sterling	Whiteside
Alfred Tanner	Paris	Edgar
James F. Van Voorhees	Chrisman	do
E. C. Vanderpoorten	Watseka	Iroquois
Mark R. Koplin	Buckley	do
Henry B. Witte	Freeport	Stephenson
E. S. Kingsbury	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
John Camp	Berryville	Richland
L. E. Rockwood	Gibson	Ford
Arthur Keithley	Richwoods	Peoria
C. E. Munday	Altamont	Effingham
Chas. E. Holloway	Pleasant Ridge	Livingston
Truman E. Grandy	Pontiac	do
David S. Crum	Belle Prairie	do
J. W. Kitzmiller	Medora	Macoupin
Robert C. Allen	Quincy	Adams
C. E. Chipperfield	Canton	Fulton
Isaac D. Vedder	White Hall	Greene
Wm. E. Siefert	Belleville	St. Clair
Edward W. West, Jr.	do	do
W. E. Coffman	Galesburg	Knox
Henry S. Buntin	Bushnell	McDonough
Edgar Eldredge	Ottawa	La Salle
David R. Fish	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
Wilber C. Scanland	Kane	Greene
Charles W. Mitchell	Lake City	Moultrie

FEBRUARY 25, 1901.

Charles P. Clifford	Chicago	Cook
Wm. Gruber	do	do
James Rosenthal	do	do
Sidney Misener	do	do
A. L. Hathaway	do	do
Fred E. Trotter	do	do
A. B. White	Hanover	Jo Daviess
Alex. Vaughney	Seneca	La Salle
John Fitzgerald	Pekin	Tazewell
S. M. Hunt	De Kalb	do
Levi Bennyhoff	Loogootee	Fayette
Chas. E. Johnson	Alexis	Warren
O. Z. Housley	Stonington	Christian
C. A. Hoxie	Dundee	Kane
Eugene W. Welch	Galesburg	Knox
John H. Anderson	Oneida	do
A. B. Carver	Petty	Lawrence

FEBRUARY 26, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank W. Welch.....	Lemont.....	Cook.....
Paul I. Forwerz.....	Chicago.....	do.....
I. R. Hazen.....	do.....	do.....
Charles Jarchow.....	do.....	do.....
Frederick C. Harbour.....	do.....	do.....
Benjamin F. Langworthy.....	do.....	do.....
Fred S. Potter.....	Henry.....	Marshall.....
H. C. Schumacher.....	Elmhurst.....	Du Page.....
Frank P. Stillman.....	Galena.....	Jo Daviess.....
Henry E. Engelmann.....	Hamel.....	Madison.....
Augustus G. Hammond.....	Wyoming.....	Stark.....
George Hunter.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Henry M. Ludden.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
John A. Holder.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
R. H. Lawless.....	Hollowayville.....	Bureau.....
Wilber W. Gilbert.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
Daniel McNabb.....	Tonica.....	La Salle.....
T. J. Campbell.....	Galena.....	Jo Daviess.....
Henry H. Gaede.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

FEBRUARY 27, 1901.

Annie Thornton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Forest A. Otis.....	do.....	do.....
George R. Martin.....	do.....	do.....
S. W. Clute.....	do.....	do.....
Bruno H. Goll.....	do.....	do.....
W. D. Holly.....	Bellair.....	Crawford.....
William W. North.....	Lockport.....	Will.....
Frank J. Knight.....	Wheaton.....	Du Page.....
R. S. Hamilton.....	Marrissa.....	St. Clair.....
M. S. Campbell.....	Collison.....	Vermilion.....
James A. Briggs.....	Eureka.....	Woodford.....
H. C. Simons.....	Virden.....	Macoupin.....
Kneut Kneutson.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
J. M. Brayfield.....	Brayfield.....	Franklin.....
G. J. George.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Abalino C. Bardwell.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
Frank J. Brignadello.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Carl J. Deiber.....	do.....	do.....
Wm. A. Zimmerman.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 28, 1901.

Margaret G. Dalton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Francis A. Harper.....	do.....	do.....
Newton H. Bates.....	do.....	do.....
Marguerite Warren Springer.....	do.....	do.....
Charlton H. Catlin.....	do.....	do.....
William Slack.....	do.....	do.....
C. N. Harrington.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
Wm. C. McClure.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....

MARCH 1, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles H. Baldwin.....	Chicago	Cook
Jesse E. Hildreth.....	do	do
Laura T. Bryant.....	do	do
Wm. H. Reid.....	do	do
Rufus S. Campbell.....	do	do
Richard F. Locke.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Jesse J. Fry.....	Pulley's Mill.....	Williamson.....
Jacob Ray.....	Eureka.....	Woodford.....
Julia Embry.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
W. O. Wallace.....	do	do
J. D. Pound.....	Odel.....	Livingston.....
W. J. Aurelius.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Arthur A. Pickrell.....	Buffalo.....	do
F. L. Freshwater.....	Fairfield.....	Wayne.....

MARCH 2, 1901.

J. Addison Tomlinson.....	Chicago	Cook
Max Baird.....	do	do
Henry R. Platt.....	do	do
Abraham A. Ettelson.....	do	do
John B. Weidgenant.....	do	do
Carl M. Mohr.....	do	do
Arthur R. Garrett.....	do	do
George K. Owsley.....	do	do
Charles Stempel.....	Long Grove.....	Lake.....
J. W. Barth.....	Enterprise.....	Wayne.....
Geo. C. Rebhan.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
J. W. Teeter.....	Oakland.....	Coles.....
Joseph M. Myers.....	Forreston.....	Ogle.....
T. T. Hinde.....	Madison.....	Madison.....
J. W. Keesiar.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Fred Bennitt.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
M. E. Ezell.....	Keyesport.....	Clinton.....

MARCH 4, 1901.

John F. Iorn.....	Chicago	Cook
John E. Zeltner.....	do	do
Joseph H. Howard.....	do	do
Samuel W. Arrand.....	do	do
M. L. Stone.....	do	do
Ulysses G. Hayden.....	do	do
Eva B. Judd.....	do	do
H. B. Lyford.....	do	do
John M. Duffy.....	do	do
George V. McIntyre.....	do	do
S. A. Harris.....	Harvey.....	do
Samuel F. Phillips.....	Centralia.....	Marion.....
August Semmelroth.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
S. J. Simmonds.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Eliot Callender.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Robert V. Ulrich.....	do	do
John E. McDermott.....	do	do
John L. Cooper.....	Fairfield.....	Wayne.....
F. H. Wemple.....	Waverly.....	Morgan.....
Harrison Black.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
O'Bannon Smith.....	New Berlin.....	do
Henry Gill.....	Newbern.....	Jersey.....
G. A. Bruegger.....	Nauvoo.....	Hancock.....

MARCH 5, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Joseph Kostner.....	Chicago	Cook
Ira J. Geer.....	do	do
Jacob Weber.....	do	do
Charles H. Waddell.....	do	do
Henry C. Palmer.....	do	do
Herbert J. Friedman.....	do	do
Chas. M. Fowler.....	do	do
George L. Cragg.....	do	do
Proctor P. Cooley.....	do	do
John R. Burgess.....	do	do
T. M. Hubbard.....	Evanston	do
Chas. B. McDougal.....	Peoria	Peoria.....
Christian C. Magenheimer.....	do	do
Henry C. Fuller.....	do	do
Henry Buheler.....	do	do
Thomas R. Tye.....	West Chicago.....	DuPage.....
J. C. Hinde.....	Madison	Madison
D. D. Haynie.....	Salem	Marion
Fred'k. Herscher.....	Herscher	Kankakee
David Vase.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Guy P. Lewis.....	Decatur	Macon.....
Elihu B. Dyer.....	Saybrook.....	McLean.....
W. S. Garlough.....	Stanford.....	do
T. D. Sullivan.....	Industry.....	McDonough.....

MARCH 6, 1901.

Joseph F. Helminiak.....	Chicago	Cook
A. D. Langworthy.....	do	do
Harry L. Pelkus.....	do	do
Charles W. Kellogg.....	do	do
C. H. Grund.....	do	do
Oscar L. Dudley.....	do	do
S. D. Arnstein.....	do	do
Anna R. Hemingway.....	Oak Park.....	do
J. C. Carr.....	Morris	Grundy.....
C. E. Ballou.....	Blandinsville.....	McDonough
John H. Savage.....	Joliet	Will
R. J. Rallsback.....	Hopedale.....	Tazewell
Joseph E. Henry.....	West Brooklyn.....	Lee
Caleb J. Parry.....	Astoria	Fulton
James M. Sherwood.....	Cuba	do

MARCH 7, 1901.

Daniel J. Schuyler, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook
Samuel Zitenfield.....	do	do
August Tessmann.....	do	do
Jesse E. Roberts.....	do	do
Hjalmar D. Pierson.....	do	do
Simon H. Levy.....	do	do
Wm. Legner.....	do	do
Thos. B. Lantry.....	do	do
James Hood.....	do	do
Meyer S. Davis.....	do	do
Edward P. Croakin.....	do	do
Ira T. Aldrich.....	do	do
Henry J. Aaron.....	do	do
Charles E. Kinsey.....	Maywood.....	do
David R. Joslyn.....	Woodstock	McHenry
E. M. Smith.....	Batavia	Kane
James M. Brock.....	Aledo.....	Mercer.....

MARCH 8, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank M. Pray.....	Chicago	Cook
Valdemar T. Lund	do	do
Windel L. Coats.....	do	do
W. F. Horn.....	do	do
Frank Collins.....	do	do
Daniel E. Hewes.....	Crete	Will
Stephen D. Canady.....	Hillsboro	Montgomery.....
George M. Hill.....	Nortonville	Morgan.....
Wm. E. Riggins.....	Springfield	Sangamon.....
C. A. Bull.....	do	do
E. E. McDowell	Fairbury.....	Livingston
Frank R. Ludwig.....	Pesotum.....	Champaign.....
Decatur Morgan.....	Watseka.....	Iroquois.....
A. Clay Williams.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike.....
Marshall Wiseheart.....	Shawneetown	Gallatin

MARCH 9, 1901.

Alfred Holley.....	Chicago	Cook
William Hoagland.....	do	do
Samuel J. Hallock.....	do	do
William J. Fortune.....	do	do
C. F. Loesch.....	do	do
H. C. Hunsberger	do	do
Charles Fribolin.....	do	do
Gustav Freund.....	do	do
C. C. Bowersock.....	do	do
Seymour A. Young.....	Thornton.....	do
Fred G. White.....	Pontiac.....	Livingston
Thos. J. Roth.....	Rantoul.....	Champaign.....
A. K. Cory.....	Lima.....	Adams.....
H. Frank J. Ricker, Jr.....	Quincy.....	do
Frank W. Brooks.....	Blandinsville	McDonough.....
W. D. Hoover.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
Walter H. Mills.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Harold R. Woodcock.....	Macon.....	do
William H. Allen.....	Erie.....	Whiteside
John D. Fenton.....	do	do
W. H. Mix.....	Cisne.....	Wayne.....
S. W. Arnold.....	Six Mile.....	do
John A. Baker.....	Landes.....	Crawford
Thomas S. Price.....	Robinson.....	do
Wm. H. Casson.....	Hennepin	Putnam.....
H. A. McKeene.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Hamilton Barr.....	Sparland.....	Marshall.....
Joseph H. Barry.....	Galena.....	JoDaviess.....
Charles M. Upchurch.....	Ewing.....	Franklin.....
Benedict Miller.....	Shumway	Effingham.....
Frank R. Bulman.....	Mound.....	Brown.....

MARCH 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward S. Rogers.....	Chicago	Cook
Leopold J. Zindt.....	do	do
Grace K. Winters.....	do	do
Frank Steiskal.....	do	do
William T. Sanford.....	do	do
James L. Purcell.....	do	do
J. V. O'Donnell.....	do	do
William J. Moore.....	do	do
Dudley W. Lester.....	do	do
J. Warner Beckstrom.....	do	do
J. J. Swarthout.....	Plainville.....	Adams
D. A. McKenzie.....	Elgin.....	Kane
Philip E. Elting.....	Macomb.....	McDonough.....
W. Lee Blodgett.....	Fulton.....	Whiteside
G. A. Bolender.....	Rock Grove.....	Stephenson
F. M. Richardson.....	Wyoming.....	Stark
Edward E. Foster.....	Beardstown.....	Cass.....
Lorenzo Leland.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
H. B. Stevenson.....	Capron.....	Boone
A. W. Cowan.....	Pontiac.....	Livingston
S. P. Drake.....	Lovington.....	Moultrie
Michael Baumert, Sr.....	Nauvoo.....	Hancock.....
F. S. Vandersloot.....	Farmington.....	Fulton

MARCH 12, 1901.

T. Everett Brown.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles K. Nichols.....	do	do
Patrick J. Shearin.....	do	do
Arthur G. Murlless.....	do	do
Louis Henry.....	do	do
Albert J. Eaton.....	do	do
William F. Carroll.....	do	do
Jonas O. Hoover.....	Evanston.....	do
Orville B. Gorin.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Lewis E. Palmer.....	St. Augustine.....	Knox
J. Everett Davis.....	Pesotum.....	Champaign.....
Perry C. Allen.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike.....
George E. Read.....	Polo.....	Ogle.....
David W. Logal.....	Warsaw.....	Hancock.....

MARCH 13, 1901.

John S. Woollacott.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward J. Stucke.....	do	do
Charles E. Scott.....	do	do
Belle Scollay.....	do	do
Frederick J. Miller.....	do	do
Carl Mendius.....	do	do
G. Liffrieri.....	do	do
Lloyd S. Bailey.....	do	do
Azariah G. McCray.....	Kellerville.....	Adams
George W. Keithley.....	Macomb.....	McDonough.....
W. M. Bridgett.....	Danville.....	Vermilion
J. S. Eaton.....	Owaneco.....	Christian
Cornelius E. Sweeney.....	Chicago.....	Cook

MARCH 14, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Isadore A. Mossler.....	Chicago	Cook
Albert Goetz.....	do	do
Chas. C. Larsen.....	do	do
Wm. H. Horstmann.....	do	do
Ralph J. Sherman.....	do	do
Peter J. Schreiner.....	do	do
Anthony J. Sigmund.....	do	do
Charles H. Roach.....	do	do
John J. Rea.....	Urbana	Champaign
Ralph W. Gibson.....	Newton	Jasper
Arthur J. Vinson.....	Plainfield	Will
A. J. Hemenway.....	Rock Island	Rock Island
Edgar E. Crabtree.....	Jacksonville	Morgan
A. W. Howard.....	Cairo	Alexander

MARCH 15, 1901.

Byron C. Thorpe.....	Chicago	Cook
Robert P. Parker.....	do	do
Charles E. Phelps.....	do	do
Geo. W. Fitz Gerald.....	do	do
Richard A. Foster.....	do	do
Elmer E. Black.....	do	do
George R. Hemingway.....	Oak Park	do
Judd B. Light.....	Chicago	do
Fred R. Sargent.....	do	do
Alexander E. Guild, Jr.....	do	do
Joseph L. Voborsky.....	do	do
Mortimer C. Watters.....	do	do
K. W. Kempf.....	do	do
Robert L. Taylor.....	do	do
Henry L. Strock.....	do	do
R. L. Cates.....	Sixmile	Wayne
Thomas W. Bassett.....	Aledo	Mercer
W. H. Elwood.....	Decatur	Macon
O. A. Ross.....	Walnut	Bureau
George R. Trenchard.....	DeLand	Platt
Edgar H. Hayes.....	Bunker Hill	Macoupin
John A. Lamberton.....	Mendota	LaSalle
Thomas J. Show.....	Rosedale	Jersey

MARCH 16, 1901.

Peter McDonald.....	Clyde	Cook
Wirt E. Humphrey.....	Chicago	do
Adolf E. Brunner.....	do	do
Louis K. Boysen.....	do	do
Charles Berg.....	do	do
Paul J. Alwart.....	do	do
Loring N. Van Pelt.....	do	do
Charles B. Elder.....	do	do
Charles F. Lohrentz.....	do	do
John W. Zacharewicz.....	do	do
Wm. O. Tegtmeyer.....	do	do
Fred U. Smith.....	do	do
Frank P. Reynolds.....	do	do
Frank A. Moore.....	do	do
Michael F. Girten.....	do	do
Edward C. Jenkins.....	Waukegan	Lake
Miles A. Mattox.....	Sullivan	Moultrie
W. N. Reveal.....	Hoopeston	Vermilion
James H. Dyer.....	do	do
C. D. Knowlton.....	Freeport	Stephenson
J. F. Sarver.....	Herrick	Shelby
E. B. Smith.....	Ridgefield	McHenry
A. C. Norton.....	Pontiac	Livingston
Daniel Abbott.....	Canton	Fulton

MARCH 18, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles D. Rugen	Glenview	Cook
R. S. Thompson	Chicago	do
B. F. Chase	do	do
Marion H. Drake	do	do
Elsie Nemett	do	do
Jos. Sidlo	do	do
Jas. A. Van Doorn	Quincy	Adams
William D. Holmes	Alta	Peoria
Warren J. Durfee	Decatur	Macon
R. H. Chrisman	Rock	Pope
Geo. H. Wike	Barry	Pike
E. S. Robinson	Springfield	Sangamon
T. N. Holden	Aurora	Kane
Joseph K. Montelius	Piper City	Ford
Jerome Buresh	Chicago	Cook
Chas. H. Fleischer	do	do

MARCH 19, 1901.

Robt. S. Hill	Springfield	Sangamon
Joseph F. Palmer	Dixon	Lee
Moses Cookson	do	do
A. C. Gilmour	Troy Grove	La Salle
William H. Moore	Belvidere	Boone
B. F. Oakford	Walnut	Bureau
Charles Emmerson	Albion	Edwards
Matt. B. Pittman	Chicago	Cook
Quido Petru	do	do
M. Eorlich	do	do
Charles B. Cone	do	do
Joseph Cummins	do	do
Joseph Demling	do	do
Reuben P. Layton	do	do
Humboldt Van Horn	do	do
William Cohen	do	do
Charles E. Anderson	Park Ridge	do
William Hahne	Matteson	do
George Martin	Harlem	do
Guy M. McDowell	Danville	Vermilion

MARCH 20, 1901.

Camille J. Weil	Chicago	Cook
Alfred E. Walsh	do	do
James K. Taylor	do	do
Rose Rupard	do	do
Leonard H. Roach	do	do
Charles K. Reid	do	do
Joseph O'Donohue	do	do
Ada Northop	do	do
H. H. Motley	do	do
Edward E. Jones	do	do
A. Grant Castor	do	do
John C. Behrer	do	do
Charles A. Wheldon	Edison Park	do
James C. Pearce	Carmi	White
Robert H. Black	Marshall	Clark
Theo. Saxenmeyer	Red Bud	Randolph
L. K. Byers	Altona	Knox
John F. Stauffer	Chicago	Cook

MARCH 21, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Pardon C. Rickey	Chicago	Cook
Peter C. Kendall	do	do
John Zelezny	do	do
Edward A. Bremner	do	do
James Eagleson	Meyer	Adams
Christian May	Morton	Tazewell
Robt. Brown	Gillespie	Macoupin
R. D. Burnham	Champaign	Champaign
H. A. Volkers	Dennison	Clark
Arthur F. Struckmann	Elmhurst	Du Page
Merton A. Hassendu	Lacon	Marshall
Jens J. Meldahl	Chicago	Cook

MARCH 22, 1901.

Jas. R. Putnam	Chicago	Cook
Wiley W. Mills	do	do
J. Whittier Buffum	do	do
Henry Biehl	do	do
Thomas M. Meldrum	do	do
Emanuel Friedlander	do	do
N. Flansburg	do	do
C. H. Birr	do	do
C. G. Bergstedt	do	do
Arthur F. Evans	Decatur	Macon
Samuel L. Payne	do	do
Samuel M. Stewart	do	do
Asa Potter	Brighton	Macoupin
Lewis David	Ipava	Fulton
Harvey Lee	Orchardville	Wayne
John Neathery	Hurricane	Montgomery
Fredolin Bross	Cairo	Alexander
Joseph Bauer	Chicago	Cook

MARCH 23, 1901.

James I. Ennis	Chicago	Cook
Albert E. Ebert	do	do
Oscar Kuehre	do	do
Edmund Bailey	do	do
E. W. Austin	do	do
C. E. Kremer	do	do
Edward P. White	do	do
Franklin J. Scherrer	do	do
Edward Landsberg	do	do
Jos. E. Callender	do	do
Lewis H. Cox	Glencoe	do
W. R. S. Hunter	Elburn	Kane
J. W. Neal	Willow Hill	Jasper
Jno. F. McGinnis	Alton	Madison
Darius Kingsbury	Carlyle	Clinton
Jno. J. Burke	Antioch	Lake
F. M. Smith	Homer	Champaign
Carlos H. Smith	Elgin	Kane
Oscar A. Shaw	Bloomington	McLean
John A. Stull	Diona	Coles
M. A. Stiver	Walnut	Bureau
J. S. Gillmore	Moline	Rock Island
Wm. Schenmetzler	Okawville	Washington
Robert Lapan	Nekoma	Henry
Mrs. W. R. Prater	Bingham	Fayette
Wm. H. McDonald	Greenup	Cumberland

MARCH 25, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
A. C. Schroeder	Chicago	Cook
William R. Walleck	do	do
William W. Thacher	do	do
E. W. Stansbury	do	do
Bertram E. Safford	do	do
Hugo Pam	do	do
Orin Stanford	do	do
Clara P. Seippel	do	do
Edward A. Pratt	do	do
Henry G. Mohr	do	do
Charles T. Gilbert	Morgan Park	do
Henry A. Farnum	Norwood Park	do
Wm. K. Elliott	Payson	Adams
G. L. Dunlap	Dunlap	Peoria
P. K. Bourke	Peoria	do
B. F. Clark	Byars	Jefferson
C. L. Miller	Monmouth	Warren
J. W. Gregory	Moweaqua	Shelby
B. F. Wilson	Shelbyville	do
Thomas C. Edwards	Coffeen	Montgomery
Wm. H. Derry	Astoria	Fulton
J. C. Brinkerhoff	Canton	do
Geo. E. Keys	Springfield	Sangamon

MARCH 26, 1901.

Ida E. Wink	Chicago	Cook
Julia Smith	do	do
Frank P. Secor	do	do
Fred Roesner	do	do
Frank L. Morton	do	do
T. F. Monahan	do	do
Frank B. Forsyth	do	do
J. Merritt Cox	do	do
H. Erskine Campbell	do	do
Francis E. Thornton	do	do
Clement J. Mueller	do	do
James J. Kelly	do	do
Carl E. Faye	do	do
Joseph V. Crane	do	do
Frank Barbour	do	do
Charles W. Lehmann	Elgin	Kane
Jacob P. Lindley	Bloomington	McLean
Wm. B. Fleager	Sheldon	Iroquois
W. O. Potter	Lake Creek	Williamson
M. F. Johnson	Plum River	Jo Daviess
F. H. Tichenor	Peoria	Peoria
Francis D. Musgove	do	do
C. R. Torrence	Cowden	Shelby
Hamilton C. Kibbie	Oblong	Crawford
W. Woodward	Chapin	Morgan
John Schauf	Quincy	Adams
Edwin B. Sjogren	Chicago	Cook
John F. Sinnott	do	do
Louis Schultheis	do	do

MARCH 27, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Jos. A. Varty.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
L. A. Varty.....	do.....	do.....
Bane Rosenthal.....	do.....	do.....
Seymour Morris.....	do.....	do.....
Mildred Miller.....	do.....	do.....
Sam R. Jenkins.....	do.....	do.....
Frank C. Hageman.....	do.....	do.....
M. Allena Farr.....	do.....	do.....
George W. Eulette.....	do.....	do.....
Matthew J. Cronin.....	do.....	do.....
Robert S. Carroll.....	do.....	do.....
Frank D. Callen.....	do.....	do.....
Fred G. Atwood.....	do.....	do.....
Orrell E. Smith.....	do.....	do.....
Robert Zimmerman.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. A. DeLong.....	Foosland.....	Champaign.....
C. H. Ball.....	Harvel.....	Montgomery.....
W. H. Holzinger.....	Annawan.....	Henry.....
John C. Oxford.....	Elizabethtown.....	Hardin.....
Alonzo P. Wright.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
Joseph C. Becker.....	Freeburg.....	St. Clair.....
Daniel J. Phenix.....	Bradford.....	Stark.....
Ada Good.....	Hamletsburch.....	Pope.....
L. A. McNulty.....	Ellis Grove.....	Randolph.....

MARCH 28, 1901.

Edgar L. Shank.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Daniel W. Manchester.....	do.....	do.....
Harry F. Lee.....	do.....	do.....
Louis P. Kalist.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. Gillette.....	do.....	do.....
Fred H. Andrus.....	do.....	do.....
Byron Mintonye.....	do.....	do.....
David Gillespie.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
George C. Sullivan.....	Abingdon.....	Knox.....
LaRue B. Freeland.....	Hillsboro.....	Montgomery.....
Almar Michelson.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George A. Falder.....	Colchester.....	McDonough.....
D. W. Gooch.....	Atwater.....	Macoupin.....
William P. Damron.....	Basco.....	Hancock.....

MARCH 29, 1901.

Patrick W. Snowhook.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Frank S. Atherton.....	do.....	do.....
Alexander C. Slack.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Schaedler.....	do.....	do.....
Jackson F. Randolph.....	do.....	do.....
James W. Newburn.....	do.....	do.....
Frank O. Meyer.....	Winnetka.....	do.....
P. H. Lannan.....	Saunemin.....	Livingston.....
Frank D. Emerson.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Al. Michael.....	Parkersburg.....	Richland.....
Calvin E. Oakes.....	Holcomb.....	Ogle.....
Frank Sewell.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.....
John S. Neighbors.....	Cornerville.....	Hamilton.....
Meritt A. Gifford.....	McLean.....	McLean.....
Doit Young.....	Casey.....	Clark.....
J. A. Allen.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
E. H. Buck.....	Grant Park.....	Kankakee.....

MARCH 30, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Philip H. Treacy.....	Chicago	Cook
William Seafort	do	do
Joseph H. Long.....	do	do
Ansley Hitz.....	do	do
Dennis A. Hanagan	do	do
John Philpot Curran.....	do	do
Wm. O. Belt	do	do
Paul Brown.....	do	do
C. H. Strawbridge.....	do	do
Madison R. Harris.....	do	do
Will C. Braun.....	do	do
C. M. C. Elder.....	Homer	Champaign
Walter E. Price.....	Champaign	do
Charles A. Kendall.....	Fairweather	Adams
Helene Fox.....	Aurora	Kane
T. J. Sparks.....	Bushnell	McDonough
Simon A. McCartney.....	Weston	McLean
David K. Coler.....	State Line	Clark
L. W. Harms.....	Roanoke	Woodford
Jacob W. Barth.....	Decatur	Macon
Martin H. Shippey.....	Browning	Schuyler
Andrew B. Gurnea.....	Magnolia	Putnam
Samuel G. Copple.....	Omega	Marion
William V. States.....	Buckingham	Kankakee
O. C. Welch.....	Keyesport	Bond
John Ost.....	Fosterburg	Madison
A. A. Brown.....	Sparta	Randolph
Seldan O. Swain.....	Creston	Ogle

APRIL 1, 1901.

Henry Browne.....	Chicago	Cook
Bertha E. Weber.....	do	do
Anna I. Shinn.....	do	do
John P. Reed.....	do	do
Wm. G. Outerbridge.....	do	do
J. Edward Newberger.....	do	do
Louis Lowenthal.....	do	do
John Lhotka.....	do	do
Max Katzmann.....	do	do
George D. Dreiske.....	do	do
Thomas Arnold.....	Cooksville	McLean
F. Applegath.....	Herrin	Williamson
George W. Banson.....	Amboy	Lee
Jas. K. Blish.....	Kewanee	Henry
Benjamin W. Tinker.....	Shobonier	Fayette
Cortez Holman.....	Ramsey	do
Ralph E. Reid.....	Versailles	Brown
Samuel E. Hewes.....	Quincy	Adams
E. N. Peterson.....	St. Jacobs	Madison
Wiley N. Green.....	Norris City	White

APRIL 2, 1901.

F. L. Feighner.....	Peoria	Peoria
James A. Hoover.....	Pontiac	Livingston
G. W. Reid.....	Paris	Edgar
R. F. McLaren.....	Astoria	Fulton
Bruce B. Powell.....	Gilman	Iroquois
H. C. Scott.....	Rockford	Winnebago
Leroy C. Towlel.....	Chicago	Cook
C. A. Sawyer.....	do	do
E. A. Eulass.....	do	do
John D. Hibbard.....	do	do
Ferdinand L. Barnett.....	do	do
Henry Meissner.....	do	do
Fred Irving Gillick.....	Park Ridge	do
William Doonan.....	Chicago	do
Clarence R. Gittings.....	Terre Haute	Henderson
Harry R. Moore.....	Colchester	McDonough

APRIL 3, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
George A. Penrose	Chicago	Cook
Emory F. Marshall	do	do
Evans Holbrook	do	do
Maxwell E. Dickson	do	do
Allen G. Mills	do	do
Henry J. Zimmer	do	do
Joseph J. Peacock	do	do
Henry P. Keller	do	do
Charles A. Wightman	Evanston	do
Charles Dorrance Dibell	Joliet	Will
Joseph A. Turgron	Assumption	Christian
H. E. Stuckler	Iroquois	Iroquois
S. S. Palfreeman	Sims	Wayne
A. C. Edie	Monticello	Platt
John Brown	Cutler	Perry
C. H. Patton	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
H. M. Kasserman	Newton	Jasper
S. M. Stokely	Omega	Marion
John A. Bates	Wilcox	Clay
James M. Young	Marion	Williamson
Lee Woods	Albion	Edwards

APRIL 4, 1901.

James C. Whitman	Chicago	Cook
Percy G. Ullman	do	do
C. A. Storer	do	do
C. Middleton Smith	do	do
Lorene Sheetz	do	do
Joseph F. Mommoser	do	do
Samuel J. Christley	do	do
Frederic P. Vose	Evanston	do
Rudolph Frey	Peoria	Peoria
A. J. Harwood	Crescent City	Iroquois
William D. Sperry	Allentown	Tazewell
Lyman F. Joy	Chapin	Morgan
J. F. Conner	Gilson	Knox
Mabel Anderson	Tuscola	Douglas
Charles P. Mahoney	Galena	Jo Daviess
George M. Haynes	Chicago	Cook
J. D. Roper	Springfield	Sangamon

APRIL 5, 1901.

James Stillwell	Chicago	Cook
Alexis D. Michand	do	do
Geo. A. Gray	do	do
Charles C. Spencer	do	do
Ralph E. Gray	do	do
Philip Graltz	do	do
Chas. B. Dorr	Berwyn	do
Ralph W. Patrick	Oak Park	do
Ben O. Jones	Metropolis	Massac
J. T. Westbrook	Pignon	Jefferson
James Muirhead	Plato Center	Kane
John W. Miller	Aurora	do
D. P. Pennywitt	do	do
Ralph Tilton	Jacksonville	Morgan
Thos. Nelson	Lee	Lee
C. W. Merrill	Wataga	Knox
O. P. Reynolds	Carrollton	Greene
Richard V. Carpenter	Belvidere	Boone
Charles C. Schumacher	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 6, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward Menkin.....	Chicago	Cook.....
John A. Irrmann	do	do
D. W. Frey	do	do
Francis V. Fitzsimmons.....	do	do
Wm Henry Chadwick.....	do	do
Joseph Weigselbaum	do	do
Emma Manning	do	do
H. C. Kline	do	do
Lewis E. Crews	do	do
John W. Brown	Niles Center.....	do
George C. Bartells.....	Camp Point.....	Adams
B. A. Turner.....	Edinburg	Christian.....
E. L. Pegram.....	Decatur	Macon.....
J. Crocker.....	Maroa	do
Thomas J. Vernor	Nashville	Washington
S. B. Randall	Cambridge	Henry.....
Oscar H. Wylie	Paxton	Ford
Willis Evans.....	Peoria	Peoria.....
Robert S. McIntyre.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Monroe Pugh.....	Humrick.....	Vermilion
George D. McCarty.....	Robinson.....	Crawford
Joseph A. McHatton.....	do	do
John Willoughby.....	Simpson	Johnson
M. D. Kinsall.....	Omaha.....	Gallatin

APRIL 8, 1901.

George F. Leibrandt	Chicago	Cook.....
Mary E. Thomas.....	do	do
Edwin S. Mott.....	do	do
Max R. Marks.....	do	do
Frances F. Freud.....	do	do
Fred B. Cheney.....	do	do
Charles H. Bowen.....	do	do
John W. Haviland.....	LaGrange.....	do
C. H. Backus.....	Hampshire.....	Kane
John P. Conrad.....	Monroe.....	Will.....
James Cobb.....	Westville	Vermilion
Cyrus Bocock.....	Bradford	Stark
Charles Newcomer.....	Mt. Morris.....	Ogle.....
E. H. Buck.....	Grant Park.....	Kankakee.....
Jas. E. Simmons.....	Fountain Green.....	Hancock
Thos. J. Russell.....	Versailles	Brown
Louis H. Berger.....	Quincy.....	Adams
P. W. O. Baer.....	Adair	McDonough.....
C. S. Hall.....	Downs.....	McLean.....
M. H. Steck.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
W. F. Pickle.....	Decatur	Macon.....
Wells Tallman.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby
Henry J. Moore.....	Sparks Hill.....	Hardin
C. B. Thomas.....	McLeansboro.....	Hamilton.....
Jo. L. Howell.....	Shawneetown.....	Gallatin
Ira L. Carter.....	Clinton	DeWitt.....
Thos. Wheeler.....	Flora.....	Clay
M. C. Marean	Belvidere.....	Boone.....

APRIL 9, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Jasper Guill.....	Macedonia.....	Hamilton.....
Estella Dye.....	Pontiac.....	Livingston.....
Melvin A. Gould.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Wm. K. Stewart.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
J. C. Blaisdell.....	Bradford.....	Stark.....
Allen R. Robinson.....	Tower Hill.....	Shelby.....
E. Boggs.....	Stewardson.....	do.....
William Bedford.....	Seward.....	Kendall.....
Abner Moore.....	Irving.....	Montgomery.....
Henry Belcher.....	Patoka.....	Fayette.....
Charles Hass.....	Earlville.....	LaSalle.....
S. C. Gilbert.....	Plymouth.....	Hancock.....
Thomas D. Masters.....	Lewistown.....	Fulton.....
John W. Gaddis.....	Fairview.....	do.....
H. C. Sprick.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
H. A. Fallor.....	Newton.....	Jasper.....
Everett W. Oglevee.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Walter E. Connelly.....	Pana.....	Christian.....
Robert R. Elliott.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
George Tanner.....	Hoopeston.....	Vermilion.....
J. L. Pflueger.....	Bloomfield.....	Johnson.....
Edward R. Witte.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
J. Ira Collins.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Mason L. Swenk.....	do.....	do.....
Henry S. Tiffany.....	do.....	do.....
Louis A. Tanner.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. O. Reynolds.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph A. McInerney.....	do.....	do.....
John F. McCarthy.....	do.....	do.....
Chris. F. Hofner.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas W. Filer.....	do.....	do.....
E. M. Colton.....	do.....	do.....
A. J. Christian.....	do.....	do.....
Ernst Boese.....	do.....	do.....
J. R. Stillman.....	Harvey.....	do.....
Eugene Moffitt.....	Chillicothe.....	Peoria.....
James B. Quinn.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
James C. Craig.....	Iolo.....	Clay.....

APRIL 10, 1901.

Louis Glueck.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
A. E. Gammage.....	do.....	do.....
George L. Marshall.....	do.....	do.....
George H. Hollister.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Gary.....	do.....	do.....
William A. Doyle.....	do.....	do.....
B. J. Bradner.....	do.....	do.....
William J. Benson.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph Wolf.....	Melrose Park.....	do.....
Geo. T. Page.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
James L. Burkhalter.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
L. B. Olmstead.....	Somonauk.....	DeKalb.....
Fred B. Allen.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Augustus B. Cotton.....	Plainfield.....	Will.....
George W. McCaskrin.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Martin H. Eakle.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
John H. McConnell.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
John H. Carter.....	Summum.....	Fulton.....
Dwight O. Herrick.....	Farmer City.....	DeWitt.....
Fred A. Horn.....	Loami.....	Sangamon.....
John J. Coyle.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Edna Howard Covert.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

APRIL 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Caleb Bentley.....	Rockton	Winnebago.....
E. A. Lockard.....	Marshall	Clark.....
Jas. A. Fletcher.....	Modesto	Macoupin
U. G. Melton.....	Iron	White.....
James M. Craig.....	Cartersville.....	Williamson.....
Edwin Johnston.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike.....
John H. Booter.....	Derby	Saline
J. A. Foster.....	Danville	Vermillion
Wilbur P. Craig.....	..do.....	..do.....
James T. Stafford.....	Progress.....	Union.....
Minnie E. Thompson.....	Macomb	McDonough.....
Theodore B. Switzer.....	..do.....	..do.....
W. W. Melcan.....	..do.....	..do.....
Henry A. Christopher.....	Chicago	Cook.....
George D. Broomell.....	..do.....	..do.....
Frank Lynch.....	..do.....	..do.....
Frederick Callans.....	..do.....	..do.....
Julius G. Gabelman.....	..do.....	..do.....
John W. Byam.....	Evanston.....	..do.....
Frederick Simon.....	Lemont.....	..do.....
Phillipp Glaeser.....	Richton.....	..do.....
James Beach.....	Albany.....	Whiteside.....
W. C. Barlow.....	Clark Center.....	Clark.....

APRIL 12, 1901.

Marcus E. Ferguson.....	Chicago	Cook
John P. Ross.....	..do.....	..do.....
Palmer D. Diamond.....	..do.....	..do.....
Bert H. Haney.....	..do.....	..do.....
John V. Uhrberg.....	..do.....	..do.....
Simon Rosenbaum.....	..do.....	..do.....
Benjamin J. Buckingham.....	..do.....	..do.....
Richard Jentzsch.....	..do.....	..do.....
Clinton C. Comstock.....	Ashkum	Iroquois
N. A. Lathrop.....	New Bedford.....	Bureau.....
James B. Payne.....	Potomac.....	Vermillion.....
Walter A. McElvain.....	McLeansboro.....	Hamilton.....
G. W. Hogan.....	..do.....	..do.....
Edwin S. Coombs.....	Carthage.....	Hancock.....
Joseph Brooke.....	Coal City.....	Grundy.....
Thos. H. Smith.....	Fulton.....	Whiteside.....
William L. Parks.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle.....

APRIL 13, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
George Seesland.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Nils F. Olson.....	do.....	do.....
Kennedy J. McClure.....	do.....	do.....
Robert H. Mueller.....	do.....	do.....
Willis M. Hitt.....	do.....	do.....
W. S. Elliott, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
John Fasse.....	Schaumburg.....	do.....
George P. Merrick.....	Evanston.....	do.....
George H. French.....	Park Ridge.....	do.....
Alex. Keagy.....	Normal.....	McLean.....
D. P. McIntyre.....	Broadlands.....	Champaign.....
Horance N. Jones.....	Batavia.....	Kane.....
J. Ross Mickey.....	Macomb.....	McDonough.....
John W. Flack.....	Industry.....	do.....
John T. Land.....	Rose Hill.....	Jasper.....
Robert T. Kelly.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Henry Helbing.....	Grantfork.....	Madison.....
G. F. McNabry.....	Hampton.....	Rock Island.....
Wm. M. McCallister.....	Fairmount.....	Vermilion.....
Aug. A. Jagewski.....	DuBois.....	Washington.....
Berend Hayunga.....	German Valley.....	Stephenson.....
George W. Jones.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....
George M. Brinkerhoff, Jr.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
J. B. Castle.....	Sandwich.....	DeKalb.....
Don. C. Salisbury, Sr.....	Burnside.....	Hancock.....
Dudley C. Barber.....	Denver.....	do.....
E. S. Mosher.....	Sandwich.....	DeKalb.....
William Oldfield.....	Monticello.....	Platt.....
Clara L. Daenicke.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Ira I. Nixon.....	Weldon.....	DeWitt.....
M. M. Barnhart.....	Findlay.....	Shelby.....
James P. Banks.....	Snicarte.....	Mason.....
J. R. Hastings.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James Hogan.....	do.....	do.....
P. M. Linane.....	do.....	do.....
James R. Rigby.....	do.....	do.....
Schuyler Shollenberger.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas F. Mullaney.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur G. Waite.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur B. Wells.....	do.....	do.....
Rudolph Kellinghusen.....	do.....	do.....
Oscar Crandall.....	do.....	do.....

APRIL 15, 1901.

Allen P. Carpenter.....	Channahon.....	Will.....
G. A. Ellingson.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Alonzo N. Townsend.....	Blue Island.....	do.....
Edward L. F. Creiger.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Mortimer S. Aldridge.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Peter Crot.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Otto Sonnenschein.....	do.....	do.....
Henry Peck.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Baker.....	Highland Park.....	Lake.....
Herman Mueller.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George K. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Peter P. Heinrichs.....	do.....	do.....
James A. Merry.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
H. H. Shumate.....	Riverton.....	Sangamon.....

APRIL 16, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Adolph V. Julin	Chicago	Cook
W. W. Johnston	Kenney	DeWitt
Edgar P. H. West	Chicago	Cook
George W. Farr	do	do
M. L. Veirs	Urbana	Champaign
Arthur B. Fleager	Chicago	Cook
George J. Morgan	Stronghurst	Henderson
John W. Goin	Dahlgren	Hamilton
P. T. Chapman	Vienna	Johnson
David Fred LeRoy	Streator	LaSalle
Harry K. Midkiff	Decatur	Macon
Edward E. Adams	Taylorville	Christian
S. S. Allen	Marseilles	LaSalle
A. H. Hilliker	Morris	Grundy
Allen E. Hills	Lombard	DuPage
Wm. H. Neece	Macomb	McDonough
Albert J. W. Appell	Chicago	Cook
Willard A. Holman	do	do
Will H. Clark	do	do
J. N. Swarts	do	do
Charles M. Sherman	do	do
E. R. Marden	do	do

APRIL 17, 1901.

James R. Howe	Galesburg	Knox
G. B. Morgan	Aledo	Mercer
R. J. Hanna	Kankakee	Kankakee
George T. Hill	Bethany	Moultrie
Albert W. Briggs	Joliet	Will
Chas. E. Barnum	Onarga	Iroquois
M. A. Kamp	Kampsville	Calhoun
Frank N. Ireland	Washburn	Woodford
James M. Crocker	Hutsonville	Crawford
E. J. Johnson	Reddick	Kankakee
Wesley E. King	Champaign	Champaign
C. R. Chamberlain	Rock Island	Rock Island
W. B. Whitacre	Jeffersonville	Wayne
Edward A. Blondin	Chicago	Cook
Jessie S. Holmes	do	do
Ida H. Rice	do	do
Edward J. Engel	do	do
Lewis W. Kilbourn	do	do
Wm. G. Heidemann	Maywood	do
O. A. Hedvig	Chicago	do
Henry Bahe	do	do
John Morand	do	do
Walter McDonnell	do	do
Nellie Mae Lewis Panushka	do	do
Paul Slatinsky	do	do
Ed D. Henry	Springfield	Sangamon

APRIL 18, 1901.

Matilda Zwiardowski	Chicago	Cook
Josephine R. O'Brien	do	do
Gustaf A. Malmgren	do	do
Hattie E. Lehman	do	do
Henry Kallenbach, Jr.	do	do
Lawittz S. Rasmussen	do	do
Peter Van Pelt	Good Hope	McDonough
James A. Fauver	Kell	Marion
John S. Cook	Pekin	Tazewell
R. M. Hanelson	Macedonia	Hamilton
Sam Casey	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
W. C. Karr	Vermont	Fulton
Edwin McSpittitt	Boulder	Clinton
Charles H. Rankin	Fall Creek	Adams
C. W. Tiltsort	Medora	Macoupin

APRIL 19, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Ida Phillips	Chicago	Cook
R. W. Bridge	do	do
Alexander G. Burke	do	do
G. F. Perkins	do	do
S. A. Lewinsohn	do	do
Louise K. Lannan	do	do
Leonard B. Douglas	do	do
John F. Bacon	do	do
W. F. Goembel	Strawn	Livingston
Geo. W. Chrysop	Barry	Pike
R. H. Wood	Woodburn	Macoupin
A. T. Brasel	Farina	Fayette
R. C. Breneisa	Cabery	Ford
Lown H. Bronte	Peoria	Peoria
Charles A. Noble	Joliet	Will
E. L. Welbour	Attila	Williamson
Geo. S. Connard	Decatur	Macon
C. S. Wood	Pekin	Tazewell
Ezra K. Jackson	Todd's Point	Shelby
E. S. Holland	Newark	Kendall
Henry C. Fear	Warren	Jo Daviess
John W. Crum	Streator	LaSalle

APRIL 20, 1901.

Wm. Zimmerman	Chicago	Cook
Edward L. Stewart	do	do
Joseph S. Reynolds	do	do
Minnie Paterson	do	do
Joseph N. Lang	do	do
Henry L. Cleveland	do	do
S. W. Bender	do	do
Miles Almy	do	do
Peter Adler	do	do
Elizabeth A. Gardiner	do	do
Timothy O'Connell	Evanston	do
Ed. J. Murphy	do	do
Theodore H. Durst	Waukegan	Lake
J. L. Norman	Van Orin	Bureau
Walter S. McKee	Rock Island	Rock Island
D. H. Law, Jr.	Dixon	Lee
J. I. Bryden	Martinsville	Clark
A. W. Chapman	Big Rock	Kane
Wm. Hale Ives	Vanderville	Christian
Moritz Oehler	East. St. Louis	St. Clair
C. S. Reed	Logan	Edgar
C. E. Overstake	LaPlace	Piatt
H. H. Kirchman	Henry	Marshall
Frank F. Noleman	Centralia	Marion
Robert C. Dana	Lincoln	Logan
J. C. Fahnstock	Galesburg	Knox
Hiram Utter	Gilson	do
Jno. L. Whiteside	Tunnel Hill	Johnson
Andrew Garrison	Garrison	Hamilton
T. J. Kinney	Table Grove	Fulton
Theo. Timper	Germantown	Clinton
George C. Slick	Lanark	Carroll

APRIL 22, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Abraham M. Zelenski.....	Chicago	Cook
Laura E. Thompson.....	do	do
Emma Jacobson.....	do	do
Jean Gordon.....	do	do
Payson E. Crissey.....	do	do
Grace C. Crawley.....	do	do
Ervin C. Case.....	do	do
Edward S. A. Lahlum.....	do	do
Henry H. Brown.....	do	do
S. L. Adams.....	St. Charles.....	Kane
Jane Shreeve.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Samuel Rose.....	Crete.....	do
August F. Miller.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair
Isaac T. Spence.....	Carmi.....	White.....
John H. Senne.....	Itasca.....	DuPage.....
Omer O. Ross.....	East Lynn.....	Vermilion
J. W. Stanton.....	Richview.....	Washington
John T. Ratcliffe.....	Olney.....	Richland
L. D. Kirkpatrick.....	Keithsburg.....	Mercer.....
Wm. H. Gladman.....	New Windsor.....	do
J. W. Fyke.....	Iuka.....	Marion.....
John W. Johnson.....	Patoka.....	do
William J. Young.....	Donnellson.....	Montgomery
W. Charles.....	Litchfield.....	do
J. M. Blades.....	McLeansboro.....	Hamilton
William A. McConiga.....	Ramsey.....	Fayette.....
Thomas W. Tipton.....	Normal.....	McLean.....
W. D. Waller.....	Sharpsburg.....	Christian
C. L. Gibbs.....	Madison.....	Madison
Rolla L. Russell.....	Princeton.....	Bureau
E. E. Schroeder.....	Minonk.....	Woodford
Josiah Snyder.....	Washington.....	Tazewell
Jas. A. Jones.....	Christopher.....	Franklin.....
R. N. Button.....	Greenup.....	Cumberland.....
Rollo I. Wood.....	Beardstown.....	Cass

APRIL 23, 1901.

E. S. Whittlesey.....	Chicago	Cook
Frederick A. Pomeroy.....	do	do
Lawrence J. Reed.....	do	do
W. W. Maxwell.....	do	do
Maurice Longhorne.....	do	do
Charles F. Jones.....	do	do
Jno. Jersin.....	do	do
Geo. R. Durgan.....	do	do
Wm. S. Duncombe.....	do	do
C. W. Bickell.....	do	do
Daniel A. McDonald.....	Grant Works.....	do
George W. Lindsey.....	Urbana.....	Champaign
D. F. McCasland.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
Alonzo N. Workman.....	Scotland.....	Edgar
Geo. R. Tilton.....	Danville.....	Vermilion
Geo. Kraus.....	Caspars.....	Washington
Thomas J. Newlin.....	Robinson.....	Crawford
W. H. Harvey.....	Manteno.....	Kankakee
W. A. Simmons.....	Akin.....	Franklin
Geo. Lovering.....	Shabbona.....	DeKalb
E. Litchfield.....	Flanagan.....	Livingston
W. H. Arnold.....	Cooksville.....	McLean.....
J. H. Alexander.....	Morrisonville.....	Christian
C. W. Patterson.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike
Mortimer C. Edwards.....	Pinckneyville.....	Perry
Allen B. Myers.....	Nora.....	Jo Daviess
Simeon Walker.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson

APRIL 24, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Dan'l Royse.....	Chicago	Cook
Samuel J. Manning	do	do
Frank H. Baker	do	do
Lew H. Webb	do	do
Samuel Kerr	do	do
Harry L. Nichols	do	do
Peter Klug	do	do
Alfred R. Heineman	do	do
Ethel C. Ericksen	do	do
William Schreiber	Blue Island	do
Reason M. John	Pontiac	Livingston
A. N. McCord	Manville	do
Daniel C. Dunn	O'Fallon	St. Clair
C. E. Barber	Donovan	Iroquois
Fred C. Baker	Stillman Valley	Ogle
W. A. Hartley	Walnut Hill	Marion
Otto Krueger	Kankakee	Kankakee
E. E. Harris	Fountain Green	Hancock
Jno. R. Deaton	New Burnside	Johnson
Wm. L. Nipper	Sanburn	do
Frank W. Reed	Lily Lake	Kane
Matthew Jones	Aurora	do
Franklin S. Lasley	Corinth	Williamson
Fred C. Otten	Shiloh Hill	Randolph
O. P. Carroll	Putnam	Putnam
Fred J. Bartlett	Marshall	Clark

APRIL 25, 1901.

Norman Regitz.....	Chicago	Cook.....
J. C. Wilson	do	do
Charles P. Warner	do	do
D. Ryan Twomey	do	do
Hugh J. Syron	do	do
Morton J. Stevenson	do	do
Herman Kruckstein	do	do
Hermann C. Frese	do	do
Joseph T. Campbell	do	do
Charles Borneman	do	do
D. C. Wear	Paloma	Adams
Frederick H. Clausing	Aurora	Kane
G. Fordyce	Ancona	Livingston
Wm. Harvey Hart	Bloomington	McLean
J. O. Tibbs	Cisne	Wayne
N. T. Allen	Galesburg	Knox
Michael H. Cleary	Galena	JoDaviess
Alfred Lawrence Morris	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 26, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
E. M. Winston.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Meyer Samson.....	do	do
Arthur J. Howe.....	do	do
S. Wilmer Cannell	do	do
W. W. Whitney.....	do	do
Ward B. Sawyer.....	do	do
Haynie R. Pearson.....	do	do
Ira B. Jones.....	do	do
Thomas C. Hughes.....	do	do
William R. Chamberlain.....	do	do
K. S. Holt.....	Quincy	Adams
Roy R. Phillips.....	Elgin	Kane
Horace Russell.....	Milford	Iroquois
James H. Harrison.....	Perry	Pike
William H. Hutchings.....	Dolson	Clark
Lem R. Potts.....	Raymond	Montgomery
Nettie Ruffner.....	Vevay Park	Cumberland
John Jackson.....	Neota	Hancock
E. S. Clemens.....	Chester	Randolph
John J. Snyder.....	Parkville	Champaign
H. R. Horner.....	Lebanon	St. Clair
Joseph Dickerson.....	Curran	Sangamon
O. P. Wright.....	Freeport	Stephenson
Ruzena Voborsky	Chicago	Cook.....

APRIL 27, 1901.

G. M. Trull.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Frederick Lefler.....	do	do
Nicholas A. Lauer.....	do	do
Paul F. Kuefel.....	do	do
John N. Jacobsen.....	do	do
Edward Bogardus.....	do	do
William L. Hoerber.....	do	do
Henry C. Hansen.....	Oak Park	do
O. W. Herrick.....	do	do
John W. Pameshka	Wilmette	do
John Kelley.....	Aurora	Kane
Thomas G. Morris.....	LaHogue	Iroquois
W. G. Stilson.....	Tampico	Whiteside
L. D. Romberger.....	Princeton	Bureau
Arthur C. Lueder.....	Elmhurst	DuPage
Lewis F. Crain.....	Villa Ridge	Pulaski
M. Gordon.....	Forest City	Mason
N. E. Nurss.....	Lawn Ridge	Marshall
E. C. Perkins.....	Lincoln.....	Logan
John F. Hamilton.....	Galesburg.....	Knox
Lloyd A. Swetland.....	Vergennes	Jackson
William H. DeGroot.....	LaPrairie	Adams
Albert R. Rich.....	Washington	Tazewell
George B. Grant.....	Canton.....	Fulton
John E. Morton.....	Perry	Pike
William R. White.....	Chicago	Cook.....

APRIL 29, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Simon T. Sutton.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
S. Minot Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Stanley K. Gage.....	do.....	do.....
Charles V. Cormack.....	do.....	do.....
Fred W. Chittenden.....	do.....	do.....
Henry Becker.....	do.....	do.....
John P. Ahrens.....	do.....	do.....
Edward A. Franah.....	do.....	do.....
Henry J. Tansley.....	do.....	do.....
Willis G. Plank.....	do.....	do.....
Harry Ward McEwen.....	do.....	do.....
John A. Levy.....	do.....	do.....
O. P. Kellogg.....	do.....	do.....
Otto Darmstaeter.....	do.....	do.....
Lemma Bartholomew.....	do.....	do.....
Homer E. Kent.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
Henry K. Goodrich.....	Maywood.....	do.....
Edward Eddy.....	Kilbourne.....	Mason.....
S. A. McCullough.....	Irvington.....	Washington.....
W. D. Miller.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
J. G. Weber.....	Marine.....	do.....
Lucy E. Glennon.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Geo. W. Garner.....	Logan.....	Edgar.....
Ira Petty.....	Villas.....	Crawford.....
F. A. Nash.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Chas. T. Jones.....	Central City.....	Marion.....
James A. Reeves.....	Grafton.....	Jersey.....
C. M. Erwin.....	Bowen.....	Hancock.....

APRIL 30, 1901.

Evangeline Stewart.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John J. Johnson.....	do.....	do.....
E. F. Masterson.....	do.....	do.....
William S. Burmister.....	do.....	do.....
John Bauer.....	do.....	do.....
J. A. Lacharite.....	Assumption.....	Christian.....
Isham K. Story.....	Tower Hill.....	Shelby.....
Armor Moreland.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Frank M. Smith.....	Ivanhoe.....	Lake.....
J. M. Shepherd.....	Lovington.....	Moultrie.....
Frank E. Shopp.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
J. P. Thornton.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
Geo. M. Morgan.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
R. S. Marsh.....	Harrisburg.....	Saline.....
John E. Doyle.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

MAY 1, 1901.

Leopold Witkowski.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Harrison F. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Genie A. Dilkes.....	do.....	do.....
Richard Schneider.....	do.....	do.....
Paul B. Phillips.....	do.....	do.....
Alfred R. James.....	do.....	do.....
Howard W. Harrington.....	do.....	do.....
Charles J. Greisemer.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. M. Eaton.....	do.....	do.....
Winnifred Dougherty.....	do.....	do.....
James E. Davis.....	do.....	do.....
J. P. Boutelle.....	Evanston.....	do.....
J. M. Knox.....	Riverton.....	Sangamon.....
Felix J. Streyckmans.....	Springfield.....	do.....
C. N. Ong.....	Lacon.....	Marshall.....
Andrew J. Lasswell.....	Walpole.....	Hamilton.....
Francis F. Stowe.....	Lockport.....	Will.....
Joseph B. Andrews.....	Plasa.....	Macoupin.....
Byron Atwood.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Edwin H. Leach.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Roy Ahrensberg.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

MAY 2, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Oscar Heinrich.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
J. F. Boyan.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson.....
John N. Titsworth.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
Fred A. Fisk.....	Ocoya.....	Livingston.....
Lewis E. Duvall.....	Fairfield.....	Wayne.....
Philander Wayne.....	Gards Point.....	Wabash.....
S. Marshall Warner.....	Salem.....	Marion.....
J. M. Allyn.....	Modesto.....	Macoupin.....
J. F. Anger.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt.....
M. E. Ames.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
J. E. Duggan.....	..do.....	..do.....
Lewis H. Bennett.....	Barrington.....	..do.....
Jerome P. Zelenka.....	Chicago.....	..do.....
Forrest E. Smith.....	Marseilles.....	LaSalle.....

MAY 3, 1901.

George L. Ayres.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James A. Lyons.....	..do.....	..do.....
George B. Slack.....	Mapleton.....	Peoria.....
Fred C. Kothe.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
J. H. Crumm.....	Cook's Mills.....	Coles.....
E. E. Brumbaugh.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
G. B. Watkins.....	Petersburg.....	Menard.....
W. H. Aughinbaugh.....	Oconee.....	Shelby.....
H. Gasaway.....	Martinsville.....	Clark.....
John Henry Ringe.....	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....
Hiram Hennon.....	Ramsey.....	..do.....
B. F. Kagay, Jr.....	Effingham.....	Effingham.....
Henry S. Dickinson.....	Paw Grove.....	DeKalb.....
James M. Armstrong.....	Urbana.....	Champaign.....
Wm. B. Rose.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
Mamie Winters.....	White Hall.....	Greene.....
John Ruppert.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James Montgomery.....	..do.....	..do.....
John C. Hendricks.....	..do.....	..do.....
David K. Cochrane.....	..do.....	..do.....
Thomas M. Grant.....	..do.....	..do.....
Edmund Koch.....	..do.....	..do.....
Dwight L. Parker.....	Gilman.....	Iroquois.....
John E. Whitham.....	New Boston.....	Mercer.....

MAY 4, 1901

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
William Wagner	Chicago	Cook
Charles W. Pierce	do	do
Herman Meyer	do	do
C. W. Litchfield	do	do
P. O. Laughlin	do	do
Thomas R. Halligan	do	do
John E. Edwards	do	do
Chas. S. Edwards	do	do
Francis E. Croarkin	do	do
Arthur C. Arnold	do	do
John L. Day	Glencoe	do
William A. Shumate	Quincy	Adams
Charles H. Misner	Peoria	Peoria
J. Wachenheimer	do	do
Z. Taylor	Colfax	McLean
Chris Mulvany	Fairmount	Vermilion
Arthur M. Newcomer	Mt. Morris	Ogle
Charles Roberts	Oswego	Kendall
Etta J. Smith	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
Daniel Smith	Bowen	Hancock
George W. Thompson	Ferris	do
Albert S. Bear	Joetta	do
Samuel McGowan	Greenville	Bond
Andrew F. Fay	Urbana	Champaign
John B. Chick	LeRoy	McLean
J. F. Ruyle	Nebo	Pike
J. A. Hindman	Iuka	Marion
Ladyslaus Schrojda	Chicago	Cook
Charles Norwood Henderson	do	do
Jacob Bremer	do	do
M. J. Kearins	do	do
John Bierma	do	do
Lawson R. Barker	Cooperstown	Brown

MAY 6, 1901.

Susie W. Miller	Venice	Madison
H. J. Bellm	Grantfork	do
W. M. Joyner	Stonefort	Saline
Rufus McIntire	Trivoli	Peoria
George DeLand	White Heath	Piatt
John Schroder	Morris	Grundy
Charles H. R. Thomas	Seneca	LaSalle
Edward G. Zilm	Streator	do
E. H. Stanley	Joliet	Will
R. W. Hopper	Herrin	Williamson
James H. Fritsch	Deerfield	Lake
Neveda S. Proctor	Quincy	Adams
J. C. Himes	Normal	McLean
J. M. Sheets	Oblong	Crawford
Richard M. Rockey	Nora	Jo Daviess
L. W. Low, Jr.	Albion	Edwards
Benj. W. Gere	Arcola	Douglas
F. W. Hammett	Tuscola	do
Flora P. Worth	Evanston	Cook
Frank P. Schreiber	Chicago	do
John F. Rozanski	do	do
Jacob Robenson	do	do
Carleton H. Pendleton	do	do
George Eddy Newcomb	do	do
Ernest J. Marckie	do	do
John H. Londrigan	do	do
Frank Kellersman	do	do
William C. Grove	do	do
T. C. Donders	do	do
Charles A. Baldwin	do	do
F. S. Mosher	Sandwich	DeKalb

MAY 7, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Henry H. Massey	Blue Island.....	Cook
E. L. Rinehart.....	Chicago	do
John L. Healy	do	do
Charles E. Hamill.....	do	do
Irving Danielson.....	do	do
Abraham L. Cloud	do	do
John Buchner	do	do
Daniel A. Ade	do	do
Lincoln S. Heafield.....	do	do
R. Finley Brown	Chatsworth	Livingston
Henry Cole	Crete	Will
John M. Hayes	Charleston	Coles
Ira C. Pinkley	Fenton.....	Whiteside
William H. Korthauer	Bensenville	DuPage
N. Campbell	Mackinaw	Tazewell
William Buehrig.....	Minier	do
Charles H. Ward	Jacksonville	Morgan
Edward C. Dick	Lanark	Carroll
James Bolton	Nauvoo	Hancock
L. K. McMillan.....	Taylorville	Christian
William H. Temme	Venice	Madison
George Shumway	Galesburg	Knox
Thomas Harris	Chicago	Cook
W. A. Jones.....	Riverton	Sangamon
M. B. DeBaun	Brunswick	Shelby

MAY 8, 1901.

Henry Martin.....	Chicago	Cook
M. E. Jones.....	do	do
Michael Ryan.....	do	do
Ralph R. Lounsbury.....	do	do
Noah Van Cleef	do	do
I. M. Van Horn	Ipava	Fulton
James C. Lewis	Bluffs	Scott
Byron A. Roath	Marseilles	LaSalle
Andrew J. Ross	Calro	Alexander
Marcel Stan.....	Chicago	Cook

MAY 9, 1901.

Roberta L. Terry.....	Chicago	Cook
Wm. Karr Steele	do	do
Lloyd Leatherman	do	do
John M. Grimes	do	do
H. M. Murray	Holder.....	McLean
Henry S. Noble	Dongola	Union
N. B. Allen	Fillmore	Montgomery
Gilbert L. Miller.....	Canton	Fulton
Looker Nixon.....	Iola	Clay
Henry Y. Swan.....	Waldron	Kankakee
Frank Skala	Chicago	Cook

MAY 10, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Chester F. Van Wil	Chicago	Cook
Aurelius C. Turpin	do	do
Arthur B. McCoid	do	do
Thomas G. MacGeagh	do	do
John C. Krasa	do	do
Worden D. Cross	do	do
Mary E. Brooks	do	do
Gustave F. Fischer	do	do
Edward F. Braren	do	do
J. W. Bennett	do	do
John N. Cheek	Quincy	Adams
Ogden P. Bourland	Pontiac	Livingston
Joseph O. O. Lambert	Beaverville	Iroquois
D. H. Smith	Cable	Mercer
William C. Hall	Manito	Mason
Edward A. Cress	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Hiram D. Eastman	Rockford	Winnebago
M. G. Woolverton	Hoopeston	Vermilion
John F. Wilkinson	Pleasant Plains	Sangamon
R. J. Stephens	Murphysboro	Jackson

MAY 11, 1901.

Walenty Zwierzynski	Chicago	Cook
Agatha M. Rogerson	do	do
Gerrit Otto	do	do
Friedrich Langfeldt	do	do
Laurance Henely	do	do
Morris Goldsmith	do	do
Louis Gandil	do	do
Charles J. Delfosse	do	do
Timothy Bourke	do	do
N. W. Birkhoff	do	do
Sinclair M. Seator	do	do
James R. Lane	do	do
William T. Keck	do	do
Henry Bittleston	do	do
Lemuel T. Goe	Morgan Park	do
Ambrose Y. Hart	Mattoon	Coles
W. P. Mann	Norris City	White
P. W. Morris	Roanoke	Woodford
B. F. W. Keller	DuBois	Washington
Dud M. Deane	Frederick	Schuyler
Wm. F. Hess	Pearl	Pike
J. F. Casey	Woodstock	McHenry
Ulysses Naylor	Mason City	Mason
Paul S. Fuson	Lincoln	Logan
A. R. Moore	Olga	Hamilton
Lucien Gray	Lewistown	Fulton
Alex Robison	Vermont	do
Flavius Tossey	Toledo	Cumberland
Wm. A. Dennis	Sandwich	DeKalb
Sidney W. Scanland	Versailles	Brown
A. L. Spiller	Carbondale	Jackson

MAY 13, 1901.

Verling K. Morris	Chicago	Cook
C. K. Morgan	do	do
Robert C. Harding	do	do
William R. Burleigh	LaGrange	do
Carl B. Bishop	Worth	do
David A. Holmes	Highland Park	Lake
James M. Leighton	Manchester	Scott
John A. Hurt	Athens	Menard
Alfred M. Hewlett	Kewanee	Henry
R. D. Robinson	Galesburg	Knox
J. F. Gebke	Peoria	Peoria
Will A. Koenigstein	O'Fallon	St. Clair
E. O. Mathis	Walnut	Bureau
W. R. Stalions	Delwood	Pope
Inman Hamilton	Broughton	Hamilton

MAY 14, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
J. R. Custer.....	Chicago	Cook
E. B. Sullivan	do	do
David R. Levy	do	do
Walter C. Jones	do	do
Paul P. Januszewski	do	do
Perry S. Eade	Evanston	do
Adam Davison	Melrose Park	do
Fred L. Hunt	Belvidere	Boone
S. A. Oliver	Joliet	Will
John P. McKenzie	Norris City	White
J. H. Putman	Henning	Vermilion
Fred Oberhelman	Sublette	Lee
H. W. Pogue	Jerseyville	Jersey

MAY 15, 1901.

W. F. Scott	Harrisburg	Saline
William A. Meese	Moline	Rock Island
E. Augusta Alvis	Kewanee	Henry
G. W. Poole	Bement	Piatt
Virgil S. Ferguson	Sterling	Whiteside
Wm. H. Harrison	Orange	Clark
S. Y. Pugh	West Union	do
Irving A. Oliveson	Chicago	Cook
Sherman E. Willard	do	do
Oliver T. Cody	do	do
William G. Ferguson	do	do
Herbert Hamlin	do	do
Elbert C. Ferguson	do	do
M. Van Allen	do	do
Edward F. Comstock	do	do
George R. Mitchell	do	do
John C. Banks	do	do
Salvatore Alessi	do	do
W. H. Hartman	do	do

MAY 16, 1901.

Charles W. Wesley	Chicago	Cook
Joseph H. Slater	do	do
Herbert V. Seymour	do	do
Julius P. Linard	do	do
Robert E. Gentzel	do	do
Alfred W. Craven	do	do
Richard E. Burke	do	do
H. F. Wm. Schmidt	Ivesdale	Champaign
H. Cornelius	Opdyke	Jefferson
Leroy Anderson	Taylorville	Christian
John Meyer	Chicago	Cook
Isaac H. Glaser	do	do

MAY 17, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Patrick M. Walsh	Chicago	Cook
John P. Thiltges	do	do
Willis D. Sherwood	do	do
William C. Mitchell	do	do
Gregory P. Maloney	do	do
James C. Hyde	do	do
Walter L. Hendricks	do	do
G. W. Enslow	do	do
Emil Cohn	do	do
Clara E. Browne	do	do
E. R. Blanchard	Oak Park	do
Burleigh A. Dunlap	Maywood	do
L. A. Lockwood	Aurora	Kane
Andrew Russel	Jacksonville	Morgan
T. W. Harrington	Litchfield	Montgomery
James E. Morris	Arthur	Douglas
William A. McNeill	Beaver Creek	Bond

MAY 18, 1901.

Joseph J. Simmons	Chicago	Cook
C. J. O'Neil	do	do
Richard P. Hutchins	do	do
Edna Dickerson	do	do
Herman Adler	do	do
Harry Williams Paddock	do	do
F. L. Colwell	do	do
M. F. Sullivan	do	do
Christian F. Schultz	do	do
M. Paul Noyes	do	do
Samuel A. Ettelson	do	do
Catherine R. Bertos	do	do
W. C. Mahaffey	Bloomington	McLean
Wm. H. Carroll	Peoria	Peoria
R. A. Roseberry	do	do
Emma Lucas	do	do
Ralph K. Weber	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
George B. Egley	Onarga	Iroquois
C. F. Hamilton	Wyoming	Stark
T. S. Browning	Benton	Franklin
C. M. Johnston	Monmouth	Warren

MAY 20, 1901.

Frances C. Locke	Chicago	Cook
Philipp Krebs	do	do
George M. Hoffheimer	do	do
George H. High	do	do
H. M. Johnson	do	do
Arthur W. Dixon	do	do
Wm. Denson	Quincy	Adams
J. C. Chapman	Wheeler	Jasper
Penn V. Trovillion	Golconda	Pope
Arthur M. Beckwith	East St. Louis	St. Clair
James Herron	Bloomington	McLean
R. M. Knox	Hoopeston	Vermilion
John W. Fling, Jr.	Wyoming	Stark
Harry J. Wempen	Alton	Madison
J. W. Preston	Gibson City	Ford

MAY 21, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Paul M. Wood	Chicago	Cook
George J. Meier	do	do
D. E. Humphrey	do	do
Ignatius F. Dankowski	do	do
Clarence E. Smith	do	do
Felix J. Schweisthal	do	do
William Mannhardt	do	do
E. Prindle	Evanston	do
R. W. Goodrich	Harrisburg	Saline
W. H. Dawson	Bushnell	McDonough
Luke W. Osborn	Channahon	Will
Elmer S. Welch	Monmouth	Warren
George H. Tandy	Freeport	Stephenson
Joseph Storey	Peoria	Peoria
Robert S. Egan	Elgin	Kane
G. W. Zimmerman	Sparland	Marshall
Charles A. Dodson	Kane	Greene
John H. Lewis	DeKalb	DeKalb
Wm. P. Raich	Warsaw	Hancock

MAY 22, 1901.

James D. Greenebaum	Chicago	Cook
John N. Groess	do	do
George W. Grover	do	do
Emil Levit	do	do
Charles J. Jones	do	do
John J. Hennessy	do	do
Will J. Bell	do	do
Robert R. Baldwin	do	do
Wm. P. Palmer	Sterling	Whiteside
F. W. Cox	Bridgeport	Lawrence
Jonathan Hiestand	Mt. Morris	Ogle
John C. Peebles	Chesterfield	Macoupin
James S. Russell	DeKalb	DeKalb
Jas. C. Filson	Xenia	Clay
D. A. Nicholson	Marseilles	LaSalle
Ernest S. Gail	Highland Park	Lake
Charles Taylor	Milmine	Piatt
Henry C. Feltman	Salem	Marion
Carl Kuehl	Rock Island	Rock Island

MAY 23, 1901.

C. A. Tuttle	Chicago	Cook
Henry L. Rosenbledt	do	do
A. J. Pruitt	do	do
E. O. Lackner	do	do
Clinton L. Hill	do	do
Jay H. Emerson	do	do
N. E. Dyer	do	do
Frank A. Demmler	do	do
Clara C. Cunningham	do	do
Lorenz F. Boedecker	do	do
H. M. Ashton	do	do
George N. Stone	Evanston	do
B. Burr Ferris	Kankakee	Kankakee
Fred W. Sonntag	Alton	Madison
John Sundine	Moline	Rock Island

MAY 24, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
C. B. David.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank H. Dickey.....	do	do
John Everett Holland.....	do	do
S. A. Stone.....	do	do
J. L. McKittrick.....	do	do
Orange Daniels.....	Elmwood	Peoria
Cairo A. Trimble.....	Princeton	Bureau
E. H. Brewster.....	Dixon	Lee
H. M. Janney.....	Marshall.....	Clark
R. L. Bloomfield.....	Astoria	Fulton
J. K. Kuter.....	Hinckley	DeKalb
John B. Young.....	DeKalb	do
Frank J. Whitgrove	Joliet.....	Will
Will D. Lyerle.....	Jonesboro	Union
Albert L. Brands.....	Prairie du Rocher.....	Randolph.....
W. R. Smith.....	Centralia	Marion.....

MAY 25, 1901.

B. A. L. Thomson.....	Chicago	Cook
Fred W. Potter.....	do	do
Arthur B. Pease.....	do	do
Joseph H. Chandler.....	do	do
John M. Cameron.....	Riverside.....	do
Walter H. Tedens.....	Lemont.....	do
Edgar Ayles.....	Morgan Park.....	do
Arno T. Roner.....	Chicago	do
Reuble M. Outhet.....	do	do
John T. McEnery.....	do	do
S. H. Kennedy.....	Waukegan.....	Lake
Geo. F. Jasper.....	Quincy.....	Adams
John Nelson.....	Donovan.....	Iroquois
C. J. O'Connor.....	Rockford	Winnebago.....
L. C. Carmichael.....	do	do
Geo. M. Blake.....	do	do
Arthur H. Frost.....	do	do
Thomas M. Kendall.....	Canton.....	Fulton
John D. Collins.....	Vandalia.....	Fayette
William S. Cox.....	Tuscola	Douglas
Chas. A. Verner.....	Ransom.....	LaSalle
H. O. Bornbrock.....	Springfield	Sangamon
David P. Pollock.....	Chicago	Cook

MAY 27, 1901.

M. C. Ray.....	Chicago	Cook
Wm. B. Cunningham.....	do	do
C. R. Chindblom.....	do	do
George F. Barrett.....	do	do
Fred C. Irwin.....	do	do
Gustavus Brands.....	do	do
James T. Applegate.....	Blackstone	Livingston
R. W. Sikking.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Thos. S. Moore.....	Robinson	Crawford
Edward J. King.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
Albert E. Loop.....	Belvidere	Boone.....
Isaac C. Milton.....	Bell Rive	Jefferson
Albert Z. Bodine.....	Lee Center.....	Lee.....
C. B. Laughlin.....	Findlay	Shelby.....
Silas C. Holsapple.....	Bradbury.....	Cumberland.....
Anton Boenert.....	Chicago	Cook

MAY 28, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward H. Thomas	Chicago	Cook
Bertha A. Price	do	do
M. M. Highland	do	do
Giacomo Uccello	do	do
Fred E. Miller	do	do
Robert J. Logan	do	do
Catharine Waugh McCulloch	Evanston	do
W. S. Beaupre	Aurora	Kane
Herbert M. Cox	Hudson	McLean
S. I. Carlyle	Birds	Lawrence
W. W. Duncan	Marion	Williamson
W. R. Dunkel	Harristown	Macon
M. Maud Stewart	Galesburg	Knox
Charles S. Harris	do	do
S. G. Wilson	Danville	Vermilion
John T. Elliff	Pekin	Tazewell
W. J. Franklin	Madison	Madison

MAY 29, 1901.

Rose Steinbrecher	Chicago	Cook
Gerard J. Bichl	do	do
Albert S. Louer	do	do
Albert Bailey	do	do
Edwin J. Wilber, Jr.	do	do
Benjamin Schneewind	do	do
Abner D. Mize	do	do
William R. Manierre	do	do
Albert M. Hopkins	do	do
Frank P. Graves	do	do
Frank Dobbrott	do	do
Harvey Wells	do	do
Jacob S. Keller	Elk Prairie	Jefferson
R. A. Plunkett	Forsythe	Macon
James Van Deusen	Palestine	Crawford
J. M. Paxson	Waukegan	Lake
	Chicago	Cook

MAY 31, 1901.

Chas. Baumann	Chicago	Cook
Richard A. Steen	do	do
Thomas K. Scott	do	do
James M. Proudfit	do	do
Henry H. Merrill	do	do
Robert H. Herring	do	do
Henry Dirks	do	do
Fred A. Beach	do	do
Robert H. Muir	Clyde	do
P. M. Kleinfelter	Vanderville	Christian
W. C. Allen	Moline	Rock Island
W. F. Whitmore	Mendota	LaSalle
George M. Peale	Joliet	Will
C. S. Goodyear	Woodland	Iroquois
W. F. Copes	Pekin	Tazewell
Louis A. Petefish	Virginia	Cass
Harry A. Rehder	Geneseo	Henry
F. C. Browsers	Chicago	Cook
Stephen Muchowski	do	do

JUNE 1, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Carlos A. Sperry	Chicago	Cook
C. V. Rice	do	do
Albert F. Pfeiffer	do	do
August E. Marks	do	do
Joseph P. Eames	do	do
Robert C. Stirton	do	do
Edgar W. Sprague	do	do
Herman O. Luckritz	do	do
Albert E. Dennis	do	do
James F. Crahen	do	do
Arthur M. Elliott	Fairfield	Wayne
John T. Knox	Mode	Shelby
C. C. Skelton	Eldorado	Saline
M. H. Greenebaum	Pontiac	Livingston
Elmer L. Shaner	Dixon	Lee

JUNE 3, 1901.

J. F. McIlheny	Chicago	Cook
Chas. C. Marguerat	do	do
Martin A. DeLany	do	do
William Croak	do	do
Martin J. Buxman	do	do
Edmund B. Bushnell	LaGrange	do
W. B. Chittenden	Springfield	Sangamon
W. J. Kirkpatrick	Rose Bud	Pope
Daniel Farrell	Oregon	Ogle
O. F. Evans	Salem	Marion
Millard F. Brown	Breeds	Fulton
F. M. Plagens	LaSalle	LaSalle

JUNE 4, 1901.

William M. Thexton	Chicago	Cook
William F. Puls	do	do
Conrad Kwitkowski	do	do
Frederick Kingsland	do	do
Samuel T. Jacobs	do	do
Lillian Hyman	do	do
William J. Hall	do	do
Charles F. Wells	Villa Ridge	Pulaski
Jas. N. Fender	Iola	Clay
Felix B. Janovsky	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 5, 1901.

S. J. Halick	Chicago	Cook
C. Oscar Swanson	do	do
Charles F. Padeloup	do	do
John S. Oehmen	do	do
Henry G. McMahon	do	do
A. G. Krogness	do	do
Seymour W. Ayers	do	do
R. W. Joslyn	Elgin	Kane
Albert Dahlin	Rockford	Winnebago
Clinton L. Conkling	Springfield	Sangamon
Lizzie A. Townsend	Marion	Williamson
W. A. Schafer	Mt. Pulaski	Logan
J. W. Beemer	Compton	Lee
John D. Hays	Elkville	Jackson
Frank P. Winchester	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Uriah B. Berry	Kane	Greene
W. E. Byers	Galesburg	Knox
C. W. Allison	Etna	Coles
Wm. B. Bain	Anna	Union
Paul W. Busse	Washington	Tazewell
T. J. Medill	Rock Island	Rock Island
Wm. J. Krueger	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 6, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
John L. Reuter	Chicago	Cook
Gilbert W. Morgan	do	do
Edward J. Hamel	do	do
Mary S. Chase	do	do
Fred W. Ansley	do	do
Geo. W. Atzel	do	do
Richard H. Radley	Peoria	Peoria
Albert Halverson	Aurora	Kane
W. K. Spencer	Bridgeport	Lawrence
James M. Fort	Minonk	Woodford
E. C. Batterson	Athens	Menard
William L. Gross	Springfield	Sangamon
H. G. Hodge	York	Clark

JUNE 7, 1901.

Henry Thiele	Chicago	Cook
Feodor Sommer	do	do
Daniel C. McKay	do	do
Adolf Lowy	do	do
Harlow A. Leekley	do	do
William R. Heron	do	do
Alfred D. Eddy	do	do
George Combs	do	do
William C. Heinroth	Winthrop Harbor	Lake
G. F. Rearick	Danville	Vermilion
William C. Rich	Anna	Union
W. R. Carle	Wapella	DeWitt
John S. Ryon	Streator	LaSalle
John E. Wray	Wrayville	Rock Island
A. J. Black	Sheller	Jefferson
Charles I. Cobb	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 8, 1901.

Paul C. Meier	Chicago	Cook
Lewis Hutzler	do	do
John H. Hoglund	do	do
Edward B. Aschermann	do	do
Lemuel J. Swift	do	do
Alfred F. Strang	do	do
John A. McKeown	do	do
E. Storke Latimer	do	do
Charles J. Gould	do	do
Clarence E. Smith	Waukegan	Lake
David M. Erskine	Highland Park	do
C. F. Hildreth	Freeport	Stephenson
Wm. Finke	Baldwin	Randolph
W. H. Clinton	Paris	Edgar
L. H. Fondersmith	Hoopeston	Vermilion
S. F. Connor	Alton	Madison
William T. Enloe	Sorento	Bond

JUNE 10, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Harold R. Wakem.....	Chicago	Cook
Alonzo H. Reagin	do	do
Harry W. Harpold	do	do
Blanche C. Danderand.....	do	do
R. M. Ashcraft.....	do	do
Wm. S. Applegate.....	do	do
W. B. McBride.....	Taylorville.....	Christian
J. G. Williams	Watseka	Iroquois
S. M. Webb	Dover	Bureau
O. W. Smith	Decatur	Macon
Peter Yeager	Kent	JoDavless
Josiah M. Glotfelty	Lanark	Carroll
J. S. Lewis.....	Grand Ridge.....	LaSalle
W. L. Ford.....	Pegram	Greene
Frank Payeur	French Village.....	St. Clair

JUNE 11, 1901.

William Schulze.....	Chicago	Cook
Vietor J. Petersen.....	do	do
John V. Mendousa	do	do
William Harlev	do	do
Frank O. Cruickshank.....	do	do
Edgar T. Brook	do	do
R. W. Kempshall.....	Peoria	Peoria
W. H. Odell.....	Normal	McLean
S. T. Kershner	Vermilion	Edgar
David M. Mason	do	do
R. C. Osborn	Toluca	Marshall.....
Lyman T. Kennedy	Atlanta	Logan
E. O. Turner.....	Scottville.....	Macoupin.....
Loren B. Seymour	Quincy	Adams

JUNE 12, 1901.

Geo. W. Woods	Chicago	Cook
John A. Walker	do	do
Charles H. Thompson.....	do	do
S. H. Tourtellotte	do	do
Julius Rosenthal	do	do
John F. Power.....	do	do
D. O'Toole	do	do
Maud McMahan	do	do
E. S. Mapp.....	do	do
Richard E. Kleeman.....	do	do
Oscar F. Hedrich.....	do	do
Arthur Royce Camp.....	do	do
Alphonso J. Brieske	do	do
Ralph G. Bradeaux	do	do
Henry F. W. Schultz.....	Lansing	do
James Powell, Jr.....	Aurora	Kane
Michael F. Hennebry	Wilmington	Will
Ottil Gannon	Hillsboro	Montgomery
John N. Beers	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
J. H. Rankin	DeLand	Platt
William H. Eckard.....	Topeka	Mason
E. W. Dunham	Farmer City	DeWitt
F. F. Kissel	Belleville.....	St. Clair
Richard von Puttkamer.....	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 13, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Mary Welch.....	Chicago	Cook
Mary L. Scobey.....	do	do
J. M. Reardon	do	do
William O. Olin	do	do
William E. Holmes	do	do
A. R. Grosstephan	do	do
Chas. I. Frost.....	do	do
Martin Conrad.....	do	do
Wm. Thomas.....	Melrose Park	do
Walter H. H. Schwedler.....	Oak Park	do
George W. Brown.....	Paris	Edgar
Anton Mussatti.....	Spring Valley.....	Bureau
George Haven Brown.....	Peoria	Peoria

JUNE 14, 1901.

Edmund G. Ingersoll	Chicago	Cook
Julian C. Ryer.....	do	do
Vincent C. Mooney.....	do	do
George R. Jenkins	do	do
W. T. Garrett.....	do	do
Charles S. McIlvaine	Oak Park	do
Hez. G. Henry.....	Camp Point	Adams.....
Victor J. Rosenberger	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson
F. M. Woodall	Wheeler	Jasper
Daniel F. Dickey	Mt. Zion	Macon
George L. Haskins	Lombardville	Stark
Henry K. Ogden.....	Peoria	Peoria
William D. Farthing.....	Odin	Marion.....
J. L. Miller.....	Hamilton	Hancock.....

JUNE 15, 1901.

Josh G. Woods	Chicago	Cook
Chas. M. Ullom	do	do
J. H. Lewis.....	do	do
Lincoln Bowen	do	do
F. W. Kraft.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
O. B. Hewitt.....	Taylorville	Christian
Charles W. Myers.....	Long Creek	Macon
Henry F. Bussey	Anna	Union
E. P. Yinger	Hanna City.....	Peoria
Frank Ketishee.....	Monticello.....	Platt
Arthur J. Mullen	Woodstock	McHenry

JUNE 17, 1901.

Herbert N. Rose.....	Chicago	Cook
Calvin R. Ocker.....	do	do
Joseph Loebe.....	do	do
Howard W. Lewis.....	do	do
Eva D. Benedict	do	do
J. J. Broadhead.....	Forrest	Livingston
Carrie C. Rapp	Rockford	Winnebago.....
W. R. Carey.....	Carbon Cliff.....	Rock Island.....
W. E. Redman	Paris	Edgar
Andrew Beseman	Peoria	Peoria
Isaac N. Miner	Kirkland	DeKalb
Lewis Erbstein	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 18, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles C. Walters.....	Chicago	Cook
Mark T. Leonard	do	do
Charles Wolf.....	do	do
X. Waltert.....	do	do
Henry N. Miller.....	do	do
D. E. Hartwell.....	do	do
W. B. Drackett	do	do
John Barwick	do	do
C. Neilson Stevens.....	Evanston.....	do
H. E. Burnett.....	Mahomet	Champaign
Fred M. Howk.....	Joliet	Will
D. S. Efner.....	Albany	Whiteside
Luther R. Ramsay	Morrison	do
E. S. Hoyt.....	Griggsville.....	Pike
C. H. Justis.....	LeRose	Marshall
Henry Hudson	Benton	Franklin
B. W. Lucas	Friendsville.....	Wabash
F. W. Swift	Essex	Kankakee
M. H. Dunham	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 19, 1901.

Lena R. Wilson	Chicago	Cook
T. G. Vance	do	do
Edward H. Taylor	do	do
H. O. Stone	do	do
Marquette P. Schmidt.....	do	do
Oscar F. Rydell.....	do	do
Geo. A. B. Pfuhl.....	do	do
Charles T. Page.....	do	do
W. H. Murphy	do	do
Charles Jouvenat	do	do
Lewis W. Epps.....	do	do
Laura A. Davy	do	do
James C. Blaney	do	do
B. F. Simpson.....	Pana	Christian
William M. Alvis	Johnsonville	Wayne

JUNE 20, 1901.

Charles S. Williston.....	Chicago	Cook
Sidney Rosenfeld	do	do
Thomas J. Nerny	do	do
J. G. Hull	Danville	Vermillion
William Fogarty, Jr.....	Lincoln	Logan
J. M. Springer	Carthage	Hancock

JUNE 21, 1901.

C. D. Steele	Chicago	Cook
Jacob C. LeBosky.....	do	do
Frank J. Lammars.....	do	do
Ida M. Keough.....	do	do
Charles E. Heckler.....	do	do
Paul Fischer.....	do	do
Walter R. Clements.....	do	do
George A. Butler	do	do
A. H. Bradish.....	do	do
Gustav A. Beerly.....	do	do
Eugene E. Atwood.....	do	do
A. M. Eggmann.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
Nelson Wilkins.....	Perry	Pike
J. W. Rausch.....	Morris	Grundy

JUNE 22, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William H. Burke.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Hubert E. Page.....	do.....	do.....
Aaron Rosenwald.....	do.....	do.....
Annie M. Johnson.....	do.....	do.....
Charles J. Drierer.....	do.....	do.....
William A. Merigold.....	do.....	do.....
Adam Schneider.....	do.....	do.....
Charles J. Holmes.....	do.....	do.....
Francis R. Cole.....	do.....	do.....
Albert Roos.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
A. G. Matthews.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
E. C. Smith.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Wm. H. Holmes.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
Henry F. Ruel.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
James S. Hatch.....	Plano.....	Kendall.....
J. D. Morse.....	Gifford.....	Champaign.....
Millard McMurdo.....	Marissa.....	St. Clair.....
A. J. McComb.....	Heyworth.....	McLean.....
Leslie J. Owen.....	LeRoy.....	do.....
Joseph M. Grout.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Edwin N. Requa.....	Kewanee.....	Henry.....
Wm. H. Norris.....	Carlyle.....	Clinton.....

JUNE 24, 1901.

Ida G. Rock.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
W. N. McKamy.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
Leon Orr.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown.....
W. H. Brady.....	Pearl.....	Pike.....
John H. Dyer.....	Winchester.....	Scott.....

JUNE 25, 1901.

J. Marr Baker.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James H. McManaman.....	do.....	do.....
Lester L. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Husak.....	do.....	do.....
Frank T. Lethenstrom.....	Park Ridge.....	do.....
J. W. Downey.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
H. B. Smith.....	do.....	do.....
Thos. J. Richards.....	Colchester.....	McDonough.....

JUNE 26, 1901.

Frederick R. Greene.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Cora J. Hawkins.....	do.....	do.....
Adolf Mueller.....	do.....	do.....
Nellie F. Young.....	do.....	do.....
Willis M. Powers.....	do.....	do.....
Fred W. Gregory.....	do.....	do.....
John H. DeWolf.....	do.....	do.....
James G. Barsaloux.....	do.....	do.....
C. B. Bartlett.....	Clyde.....	do.....
C. Frank Wright.....	Libertyville.....	Lake.....
Walter J. Coleman.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Jas. C. Roach.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
James H. Loy.....	Efingham.....	Efingham.....
Elazor M. Buckleu.....	Stillwell.....	Hancock.....
J. H. Robb.....	Pana.....	Christian.....
Edgar H. Kinney.....	Table Grove.....	Fulton.....

JUNE 27, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William J. Robinson.....	Chicago	Cook
Timothy F. Mullen.....	do	do
Carl Lindenman	do	do
Max Goldenberg.....	do	do
William A. Fox.....	do	do
Wm. C. Boorn.....	do	do
R. E. L. Sarrells.....	Tilden	Randolph.....
James R. Evers	Belknap	Johnson

JUNE 28, 1901.

William L. Rickman.....	Chicago	Cook
Flora E. Philbrick.....	do	do
A. J. Montague.....	do	do
Oliver J. Wright.....	do	do
E. A. Okerbloom.....	LaGrange	do
G. Donald McKenzie.....	Joliet	Will
John T. Donahoe.....	do	do
Peter Warren.....	Wakefield	Richland
W. H. Myers.....	Peoria	Peoria
S. F. Atwood.....	do	do
George W. Campbell.....	do	do
James B. Proudft.....	Enfield	White
Otto C. Kraemer.....	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 29, 1901.

Isadore Plotke.....	Chicago	Cook
Sherman M. Booth, Jr.....	do	do
James C. McMath	do	do
Sadie Agnew.....	do	do
George W. Dean	Quincy	Adams
Louis Fitz Henry.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
Henry Curtis.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
W. J. Emerson.....	Carman	Henderson
Cornelius Atherton.....	Wedron.....	LaSalle
J. J. Luck.....	Aurora.....	Kane
Jasper Partridge.....	Carmi.....	White
L. Walter Mac Neil	Eureka	Woodford
Alta M. Stevens.....	Galesburg	Knox.....

JULY 1, 1901.

Fred Gardner.....	Chicago	Cook
James McGrath.....	do	do
George S. Kort	do	do
J. P. Immel.....	do	do
Charles H. Fahning.....	do	do
John H. Copeland.....	do	do
Charles W. Flack.....	Macomb	McDonough
H. P. Seibel.....	Bloomington	McLean
James H. Yarnell.....	Pana	Christian
John P. Metzen.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
Thos. J. Marshall.....	Tampico	Whiteside
George O. Moore.....	Newman	Douglas
Frank H. West.....	Foss	Lake

JULY 2, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
A. L. Shiffman	Chicago	Cook
G. Bleecker Read	do	do
William J. Petry	do	do
William Jung	do	do
Seymour H. Dickinson	do	do
Henry Dinkelman	do	do
E. H. Osborn	Quincy	Adams
Robert W. Carpenter	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
C. F. H. Carrithers	Fairbury	Livingston
Oliver Brault	L'Erable	Iroquois
Cary R. Colburn	Eureka	Woodford
John A. Montgomery	Decatur	Macon
John W. Pitman	Havana	Mason
W. C. McMurry	Farmer City	DeWitt
M. J. McEniry	Moline	Rock Island
Henry R. Thompson	Leland	LaSalle

JULY 3, 1901.

Nellie Feltskog	Chicago	Cook
Alexander F. Campbell	do	do
George W. Taylor	do	do
James A. Rose	do	do
Alpha J. Powers	do	do
James T. O'Donnell	do	do
Albert H. Meyer	Rock Island	Rock Island
D. W. Colaw	Downs	McLean
Wm. Wright	Metropolis	Massac
Geo. H. Madden	Mendota	LaSalle

JULY 5, 1901.

Richard Bartlett	Chicago	Cook
Effie M. Brown	do	do
Charles H. Eich	do	do
Walter H. Latimer	do	do
Arthur A. Loeb	do	do
Mark J. Sullivan	do	do
James T. Dodson (Soldiers' Home)	Quincy	Adams
Jediah H. Morgan	Buda	Bureau
John Root	Galva	Henry
W. K. Jones	Plano	Kendall
W. C. Farquhar	Rockford	Winnebago
Carrie R. Skinner	do	do

JULY 6, 1901.

John H. Yager	Alton	Madison
Joseph McGinnis	LaHarpe	Hancock
Louis B. Merwin	Bloomington	McLean
Elmore L. Schnebly	Peoria	Peoria
Edward J. Chladek	Chicago	Cook
Robert P. Long	do	do
Morgan Murphy	do	do
Louis W. Rademacher	do	do
James J. Scully	do	do
Harrison Edmond Stout	do	do
Edgar Theriault	do	do

JULY 8, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Elvin W. Miller	Greenville	Bond
Fred Hall	Belvidere	Boone
George W. VanBuren	Victoria	Knox
John Zimmerman	Fairbury	Livingston
E. F. L. Kautenberg	Lincoln	Logan
Ed C. Scheer	Edwardsville	Madison
A. C. Schneider	Peoria	Peoria
Elmer J. Slough	do	do
J. H. Thompson	do	do
Charles E. Ulrich	do	do
Charles B. Hubbard	Winchester	Scott
James A. Moberly	Windsor	Shelby
James B. Devitt	Chicago	Cook
John A. Graf	Lemont	do
George Donnersberger	Chicago	do
Hartvig B. Hanson	do	do
W. Elliott Hayes	do	do
Edward T. Oakland	do	do
Peter Peterson	do	do
Michael J. Rogers	do	do
Daniel J. Sullivan	do	do
Waldo F. Tobey	do	do
Frederick Z. Marx	do	do

JULY 9, 1901.

George H. Haight	Ottawa	LaSalle
Robert Hudgen	Monticello	Piatt
Josephus L. Oakleaf	Moline	Rock Island
Coll McNaughton	Joliet	Will
John W. Peebles	Marion	Williamson
Frederick C. Bendle	Chicago	Cook
John C. Boss	do	do
Josef Friedmann	do	do
Rose E. Janovsky	do	do

JULY 10, 1901.

J. E. Brown	Chatsworth	Livingston
William H. Krome	Edwardsville	Madison
R. C. Livingston	New Boston	Mercer
Maurice Weigle	Batavia	Kane
George F. Howard	Paris	Edgar
James P. Slade	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Michael Cole	Chicago	Cook
John Earl Kertter	do	do
James Patton	do	do
Willard M. Wood	do	do

JULY 11, 1901.

Louise C. Zalpffel	Carlinville	Macoupin
A. F. Ziegenhorn	Claytonville	Iroquois
Eunice R. Kellogg	Peoria	Peoria
Christian N. Johnson	Chicago	Cook
J. Gist Search	Oak Park	do
John F. Wagner	Chicago	do

JULY 12, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Emma J. Bristol.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
Cornelius R. Miller	Kankakee	Kankakee
R. E. Reede.....	Andalusia	Rock Island.....
Frederick Sunkel	Belleville.....	St. Clair
J. C. Lewis.....	Alto Pass	Union.....
William A. Beck	Chicago	Cook.....
James M. Detrick .....	..do .....	..do
Charles A. Lamperts.....	..do .....	..do
M. E. Tabor.....	..do .....	..do
E. M. Allen	Warsaw	Hancock.....

JULY 13, 1901.

Edgar M. Milliken	Humbolt.....	Coles
J. W. Kutruff	Gilman	Iroquois
A. B. Pierson.....	Galesburg	Knox
R. A. Allen.....	Chicago	Cook
Benjamin E. Bensinger.....	..do .....	..do
Annie M. McKeough.....	..do .....	..do
Peter A. Wendling.....	..do .....	..do
Henry T. Wright.....	..do .....	..do

JULY 15, 1901.

Thomas Craig	Marshall.....	Clark
Wm. Van Grundy	Ellsworth	McLean
Maurice E. Case	Peoria	Peoria
John D. McClure.....	..do .....	..do
John Looney.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Max D. Rosenfield	Moline .....	..do
James G. Tetlow	Rockford	Winnebago.....
Warwick S. Ford.....	Chicago	Cook
Louis D. Glanz .....	..do .....	..do
Harry Greenbaum .....	..do .....	..do
William Jensen .....	..do .....	..do
William H. King .....	..do .....	..do
Henry A. F. Schroeder .....	..do .....	..do
Timothy J. Sullivan .....	..do .....	..do
John L. Zacharias.....	Blue Island .....	..do

JULY 16, 1901.

H. H. Franzen	Bensenville	DuPage
Cass Burrus	St. Elmo.....	Fayette
Harry B. Henderson.....	Paxton	Ford
Margaret D. Cole.....	Vienna	Johnson
James Powell, Sr.....	Aurora	Kane
John F. Donovan.....	Kinmundy	Marion
J. J. Reeve.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
John N. Allen.....	Hoopeston	Vermillion
Alfred Taggart.....	Rockford	Winnebago
Maurice Ascher.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles A. Bowman.....	..do .....	..do
J. H. Delaney.....	..do .....	..do
Peter Heck .....	..do .....	..do
William H. Lifton.....	..do .....	..do
Mortimer B. Skinner.....	..do .....	..do
Julius Spanier.....	..do .....	..do

JULY 17, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Leo X. Lugowski.....	Oglesby	LaSalle
Geo. W. Gastman.....	Hudson	McLean
Calvin Rayburn	Bloomington	do
Henry Nortrup	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
John J. Ingram	Rock Island.....	Rock Island
George F. Coburn	Danville	Vermilion
John W. Brown	Dewmaine	Williamson
W. H. Barnes	Rockford	Winnebago
Walter L. Fisher.....	Chicago	Cook
Avery R. Hayes	do	do
Samuel W. Jackson.....	do	do
William S. Newburger.....	do	do
Thomas J. O'Hare.....	do	do
Julius F. Smietanka.....	do	do

JULY 18, 1901.

Belle Convery	Springfield.....	Sangamon
Ira J. Couch	Chicago	Cook
Joe B. Lenan	do	do
Eli Smith	do	do
Theodore B. Pape	Quincy.....	Adams

JULY 19, 1901.

Lott R. Herrick.....	Farmer City.....	DeWitt
McGibbra Hutson	Kidley	Edgar
John Barton	Gardner	Grundy
David J. Cowan	Vienna	Johnson
Frank G. Rogers	Galesburg	Knox
Joseph S. Thompson.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
Edward Bauman	Chicago	Cook
J. Pembroke Bishop.....	do	do
John M. Bryant, Jr.....	do	do
Morris Loeff	do	do
Edward J. Phelps.....	do	do
Jacob Sabath	do	do
Arthur Schroeder.....	do	do
Fred K. Smith	do	do
K. Susralski	do	do
Sake D. Thompson.....	do	do
Henry F. Wuerffel.....	do	do
Charles O. Marsh	Summer Hill.....	Pike
William H. Govert	Quincy.....	Adams

JULY 20, 1901.

Frederick M. R. Lucht.....	Newmansville	Cass.....
Edgar S. Clark	Champaign.....	Champaign
E. Emma Newman	Elgin	Kane
George T. Hugg	Raymond	Montgomery
Albert M. Austin.....	Chicago	Cook
Horace W. Cromwell.....	do	do
Jonathan A. Helman.....	do	do
Alfred W. Hopkins.....	do	do
M. A. Jochum	do	do
Charles Kramer	do	do
James F. O'Connor.....	do	do
Albert O. Olson	do	do
Charles A. Oswald	do	do
George G. Purssell.....	do	do
Joseph I. Schimek	do	do

JULY 22, 1904.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Daisy Mullen	Canton	Fulton
Harry O. Tunison.....	White Hall	Greene
Louis Blattner.....	Highland	Madison
George W. Lemmers	Woodstock	McHenry.....
John M. Coons	Jacksonville	Morgan.....
Lena Epperson.....	do	do
Roy M. Seeley	Springfield.....	Sangamon
W. E. Shutt, Sr.	do	do
A. E. Fisher	Rockford	Winnebago
Josiah Cratty	Chicago	Cook
Caroline Denninger	do	do
John F. Higgins	do	do
Frank H. Kreuter	do	do
Joseph P. Mahoney	do	do
William C. Malley.....	do	do
Fred G. McNally.....	do	do
Claudius Peters	do	do
Cleophas F. Pettkoske	do	do
Geo. Mills Rogers	do	do
Daniel E. Upton	do	do

JULY 23, 1901.

Marshall U. Trimble	Princeton	Bureau
John B. Colegrove.....	Taylorville.....	Christian
Luke E. Thompson.....	Toledo	Cumberland
A. S. McOwan	Bristol	Kendall.....
Charles A. Johnson	Jacksonville	Morgan.....
William Jackson	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Walter Ruckel.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
George E. Brannan	Chicago	Cook
Wallace L. DeWolf.....	do	do
Albion W. Hobson	do	do
Dillon B. Hutchinson	do	do
Ferdinand Minzesheimer.....	do	do
John Stuart Philip	do	do
Frank P. Sadler	do	do
Charles F. Weede	do	do
August L. Wolff.....	do	do

JULY 24, 1901.

Edward T. Guthrie.....	Mattoon	Coles
W. H. Bean	Blue Mound.....	Macon
Peter F. Bretz	Chicago	Cook
Marshall Gallion	do	do
George B. Holmes	do	do
L. F. Klein	do	do
Edgar S. Rubel.....	do	do
Thomas J. Sammons	do	do
Emery P. Smith	do	do

JULY 25, 1901.

Geo. S. Caughlan.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
J. Russell Wells	Quincy	Adams
A. B. Frankel.....	Chicago	Cook
Gustave Mayer	do	do
C. Mueller.....	do	do
Frank D. Rubel.....	do	do

JULY 26, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Martin Zearing.....	Ladd.....	Bureau.....
Jacob Zeh.....	Notas.....	Hancock.....
Perry L. Persons.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....
E. G. Meriwether.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
H. W. Warner.....	Cooksville.....	McLean.....
Edward M. Hoblit.....	Bloomington.....	do.....
Waldo Carl Evans.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
J. C. Silldorf.....	Benson.....	Woodford.....
Albert J. Nystrom.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Samuel Polkey.....	do.....	do.....
Herman I. Sorensen.....	do.....	do.....
John Hunter Stearns.....	do.....	do.....
Ernst Stock, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Max Struebing.....	do.....	do.....
Edward Brown Witmer.....	do.....	do.....

JULY 27, 1901.

Julius Katz.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Allen Boyer.....	do.....	do.....
Duncan E. Willett.....	do.....	do.....
James R. Black.....	do.....	do.....
Robert G. Hall.....	do.....	do.....
Lena Wengierski.....	do.....	do.....
B. S. Rozynek.....	do.....	do.....
E. Augusta Warner.....	Evanston.....	do.....
Thomas Graham Morris.....	Winnetka.....	do.....
Robert J. Erskine.....	Wilmette.....	do.....
James M. Shay.....	Dillon.....	Tazewell.....
O. A. Smith.....	Pekin.....	do.....
Madison C. Horton.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Rufus M. Potts.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
H. L. Richardson.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
Tilson O. Mann.....	Chester.....	Randolph.....

JULY 29, 1901.

John T. Conway.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
M. E. Holton.....	do.....	do.....
John Price.....	do.....	do.....
Henry M. Walker.....	do.....	do.....
Otto Strand.....	do.....	do.....
Anna M. Goliniewicz.....	do.....	do.....
Mahlon J. Fehl.....	do.....	do.....
Frank F. Douglass.....	do.....	do.....
John J. Conroy.....	do.....	do.....
John J. Brown.....	do.....	do.....
E. M. Sherlock.....	Chicago Heights.....	do.....
E. J. Eggmann.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Samuel Norton.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
A. H. Boyer.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Herbert P. Sheets.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
H. C. Ferriman.....	Olney.....	Richland.....
M. Lester Geers.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.....
Jefferson Wilson.....	Chapman.....	Montgomery.....

JULY 30, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Rudolph Wolfner	Chicago	Cook
B. Tomaszewski	do	do
David W. Starrs	do	do
Martin Sparr	do	do
John A. Peetz	do	do
M. Fuqua Collins	do	do
Walter V. Aikman	do	do
Henry Agat	do	do
Ezra D. Durham	Onarga	Iroquois
Jasper L. Dill	Naperville	DuPage
Ralph Greene	Allerton	Vermilion
A. C. Terhune	Benton	Franklin
Flo Jamison Miller	Wilmington	Will

JULY 31, 1901.

Lillie A. Smith	Chicago	Cook
Mary C. Quinn	do	do
E. W. Dakin	Oak Park	do
Francis O. Lyman	Winnetka	do
John G. Hale	Chicago	do
Francis B. Rybarczyk	Peru	LaSalle

AUGUST 1, 1901.

A. D. Underwood	Abingdon	Knox
Vincent Naselli	Chicago	Cook
John M. McClun	do	do

AUGUST 2, 1901.

Harry G. Plowright	Chicago	Cook
Joseph E. Lusk	do	do
O. B. Conklin	do	do
E. M. Ashcraft	do	do
Joseph Slais, Jr	do	do
Alfred E. H. Thompson	do	do
William M. Smith	Sailor Springs	Clay
Robert A. Short	Danville	Vermilion
H. W. Park	Greenville	Bond
F. E. Gresser	Atkinson	Henry

AUGUST 3, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
James Ver Haar.....	Chicago	Cook
Albert C. Schmeltz.....	do	do
Charles V. Peckham.....	do	do
John A. McDonald.....	do	do
Enoch Harpole.....	do	do
C. M. Doughty.....	do	do
Henry H. Burnett.....	do	do
John Stastny.....	do	do
H. A. Mackelcan.....	do	do
M. S. Fry.....	do	do
P. C. Feeney.....	do	do
Edward E. Edgerton.....	do	do
H. A. Dever.....	do	do
Howard W. Ames.....	do	do
Charles C. Cutter.....	Peoria	Peoria
Tom Blair.....	Staunton	Macoupin.....
R. W. Gates.....	Aurora	Kane.....
C. R. Hopson.....	Elgin.....	do
Edgar E. Gregg.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
A. T. Robertson.....	Ashmore.....	Coles.....
Martin H. Eakle.....	Forreston.....	Ogle.....
Palmer W. Bussard.....	New Hebron.....	Crawford.....
John Montgomery.....	Hersman.....	Brown.....

AUGUST 5, 1901.

Daniel Conboy.....	Chicago	Cook
Ransom E. Walker.....	do	do
William C. Gamble.....	do	do
Phineas G. Burns.....	do	do
Samuel J. Dodds.....	Lena.....	Stephenson.....
William W. Colt.....	Rushville.....	Schuyler.....
C. Erving Hanford.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....

AUGUST 6, 1901.

Morris Ungerleider.....	Chicago	Cook
J. J. Sankstone.....	do	do
Ben Rothschild.....	do	do
A. E. McCallum.....	do	do
William E. Cloyes.....	do	do
Edmund S. Church.....	do	do
Wm. M. Gass.....	Lockport.....	Will.....

AUGUST 7, 1901.

Antonio Sbarbaro.....	Chicago	Cook
Gerald A. Kasmar.....	do	do
Z. P. Forman.....	Nashville.....	Washington.....
Lewis J. Sims.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
J. F. Kennedy.....	Shobonier.....	Fayette.....
W. B. McKinley.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Syd. W. Wetmore.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
George H. Helm.....	Algonquin.....	McHenry.....
Jacob Becker, Jr.....	Sublette.....	Lee.....
William A. Bishop.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....
H. Roberts.....	Waterman.....	DeKalb.....

AUGUST 8, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Sophia Beil	Chicago	Cook
James C. Wyatt	do	do
Martha P. Falconer	do	do
James L. Dwyer	do	do
Daniel F. Bayless	do	do
J. K. Martin	Sullivan	Moultrie
J. W. Chaffee	St. Charles	Kane
Lewis Chrisman	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
Charles P. Palmer	Danville	Vermilion

AUGUST 9, 1901.

Harry M. Michaels	Chicago	Cook
V. A. Wright	do	do
Sherman T. Wilcox	do	do
J. A. Olson	do	do
Blanche MacPhetridge	do	do
L. R. De Sainte-Foy	do	do
Frederic De St. Aubin	do	do
John N. Clarke	do	do
D. A. Bliss	do	do
Martin Stengel	Rock Island	Rock Island
H. M. Kilpatrick	Elmwood	Peoria
G. P. Williams	Galesburg	Knox
Henry S. Candee	Cairo	Alexander
J. A. Kadel	Rock Falls	Whiteside
James W. Snider	Danville	Vermilion
John J. Whiteside	Woodstock	McHenry
Joseph Henderson	Coal City	Grundy
John J. Sweeney	Spring Valley	Bureau

AUGUST 10, 1901.

John Wieszchowski	Chicago	Cook
Samuel D. Perry	do	do
P. A. George	do	do
John P. Foerster	do	do
Edward A. Fisher	do	do
J. B. Dandridge	do	do
George P. Benton	do	do
Arthur Heurtley	Cicero	do
William E. Stone	Peoria	Peoria
John Schofield	do	do
L. B. Doughty	Aledo	Mercer
W. H. S. Callender	Galesburg	Knox
William H. Glasgow	Warren	JoDaviess

AUGUST 12, 1901.

Patrick McNerney	Chicago	Cook
Thomas F. Green	do	do
Max Grossman	do	do
P. H. Bremer	do	do
F. J. Steger	do	do
Fred W. Jacobs	East St. Louis	St. Clair
D. R. Burke	San Jose	Mason
J. A. Burkitt	Ottawa	LaSalle
Kirk K. Neltner	Mulkeytown	Franklin
	West Chicago	DuPage

AUGUST 13, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Frank A. Stone.....	Chicago	Cook.....
John L. Pearson	Oak Park.....	..do.....

AUGUST 14, 1901.

William P. Wright.....	Chicago	Cook.....
John I. Price .....	..do .....	..do
Raphael J. Hibner .....	..do .....	..do
E. L. Colburn .....	..do .....	..do
Charles B. Foote.....	Evanston.....	..do
Thomas G. Frost.....	Sigel.....	Shelby.....
John F. McCartney.....	Metropolis	Massac
John Q. A. Kimmel.....	Murphysboro	Jackson
William C. White.....	Peoria	Peoria
Earnest Goodman.....	Casey	Clark

AUGUST 15, 1901.

Adolph M. Schwarz.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Friedel L. Schuyler.....	..do .....	..do
Gertrude Eyster.....	..do .....	..do
Agnes E. Davis .....	..do .....	..do
Emanuel P. Barnett.....	..do .....	..do
Timothy L. Lane.....	Fillmore	Montgomery
Alfred P. Armington	Dixon	Lee

AUGUST 16, 1901.

Philip A. Schaeffer, Jr	Chicago	Cook.....
John L. Lucas.....	..do .....	..do
John C. Cremer.....	..do .....	..do
Edward Josenhaus.....	..do .....	..do
Fay F. Dean.....	..do .....	..do
S. S. Clapper.....	Moweaqua	Shelby
W. P. St. Clair.....	Nunda	McHenry
E. M. Kinman.....	Jacksonville	Morgan
F. C. Van Sellar	Paris	Edgar
Harry H. Van Sellar .....	..do .....	..do
Alfred L. Fraser	Hinckley	DeKalb
John S. Whitton	Lerna	Coles
Carl J. Jorn	Chicago	Cook.....

AUGUST 17, 1901.

Emil M. Skudera.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Frank P. Murphy .....	..do .....	..do
Arthur H. Mayer.....	..do .....	..do
Lawrence Haas.....	..do .....	..do
John L. Young.....	..do .....	..do
W. Odell Clark.....	..do .....	..do
H. G. Morris.....	Olney	Richland
I. R. Curtiss.....	Marengo	McHenry
R. C. Maxwell.....	Lincoln	Logan
George L. Ore.....	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
W. D. Plattenburg.....	Canton	Fulton
Sam A. Brown.....	Longview	Champaign.....

AUGUST 19, 1901.

Name	Postoffice Address.	County.
Walter L. McLauchlan.....	Chicago	Cook
Walter R. McCann	do	do
T. B. O'Neil	do	do
Fred J. Lee	do	do
Frederick B. Learned.....	do	do
A. Goodrich	do	do
J. Eugene White	do	do
Charles S. Mauran	do	do
Louis A. Frey	do	do
C. J. Moyer	Bloomington	McLean
W. C. Eichelberger	Woodstock	McHenry
S. W. McKittrick	Edwardsville	Madison
Chas. M. Borchers	Decatur	Macon
E. F. Hempstead	Mendota	LaSalle
J. H. Goodell	Marseilles	do
John O. Boevers.....	Galena.....	JoDaviess.....

AUGUST 20, 1901.

John C. Long	Chicago	Cook
Maxwell Jones	do	do
Allan F. Gordon	do	do
C. E. Cruickshank	do	do
Frances V. Blodgett	do	do
Simeon W. Dixon	Danville	Vermilion
D. C. Corley	Decatur	Macon
Thos. N. Haskins	LaSalle	LaSalle
John Lass	Galesburg	Knox
E. E. Ludwick	Geneva	Kane
Frank Foster	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 21, 1901.

Richard W. Walsh	Chicago	Cook
Eugene L. Swenson	do	do
L. L. Losey, Jr	do	do
Anna B. Kespohl	do	do
Charles Hull Ewing	do	do
Louis J. Pierson	Wilmette	do
Mary Seger	Fulton	Whiteside
Euris Harris	Coffeen	Montgomery
Norman C. Darnell	Sandwich	DeKalb

AUGUST 22, 1901.

Charles Woodward	Chicago	Cook
John W. Ware	do	do
Walter Rodd	do	do
H. M. McConnell	do	do
Charles E. Listenwaller	do	do
Frank T. Kinnare	do	do
James Hawkins	do	do
Edmund S. Carr	do	do
A. W. Lynn	Gladstone	Henderson
J. H. Hetherington	Sparta	Randolph

AUGUST 23, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County
James R. Smart	Chicago	Cook
Anton Onecki	do	do
Leo B. Loenthal	do	do
Katherine F. Birmingham	do	do
Arthur W. James	do	do
Francis T. Sullivan	do	do
Thos. R. Major	do	do
Marion Page	Ewing	Franklin
V. V. Barnes	Lake Bluff	Lake
Peter M. McArthur	Marseilles	LaSalle
Robert Carr	Ottawa	do
George J. Clare	Joliet	Will
Jas. E. Jewett	Lincoln	Logan
Oscar Johnson	Hamilton	Hancock

AUGUST 24, 1901.

Edgar H. Walker	Chicago	Cook
William D. Rawlins	do	do
Charles W. Peters	do	do
Dennis E. Healey	do	do
Oscar E. Flint	do	do
Robert C. Butzou	do	do
Daniel L. Gill	Franklin Park	do
P. M. Collins	Peotone	Will
Michael Walter	Lockport	do
John J. Driscoll	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Herman S. Blanchard	Ottawa	LaSalle
A. J. Prafccke	Streator	do
Harley B. Rowen	Kirkland	DeKalb

AUGUST 26, 1901.

Ellen L. Melendy	Chicago	Cook
Luke B. Brooks	do	do
Avila M. Bellil	do	do
Thomas H. Sullivan	do	do
Thomas J. Johnson	do	do
S. M. Jones	do	do
C. H. Eulette	do	do
William O. Cline	do	do
Robert E. Cantwell	do	do
George W. Howard	Towanda	McLean
W. W. McCreery	Benton	Franklin
Walter Klemm	Winthrop Harbor	Lake

AUGUST 27, 1901.

Cyrus A. Pomeroy	Chicago	Cook
Fritz Hoener	do	do
F. E. Bartlett	do	do
Arnold Tripp	do	do
John R. Montgomery	do	do
Christ. Keller	do	do
Robert F. Stockdale	Park Ridge	do
T. B. Farrell	Ottawa	LaSalle
Otis C. Doty	Charleston	Coles
Chas. W. Terry	Edwardsville	Madison
Alexander Fader	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 28, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
O. L. Wullweber.....	Chicago	Cook
J. S. McConnell.....	do	do
Elmer A. Kimball.....	do	do
Jay L. Johnson.....	do	do
Thomas Cratty.....	do	do
Habert W. Butler.....	do	do
Edwin L. Harpham.....	Evanston	do
Benton H. Greer.....	Creal Springs.....	Williamson.....
W. J. P. Rich.....	St. Clair	Beileville.....
George L. Merrill.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
A. J. Dunlap.....	Buda.....	Bureau.....
Edward Cool.....	Cordova	Rock Island.....

AUGUST 29, 1901.

Henry W. Bromann.....	Chicago	Cook
J. J. O'Brien.....	do	do
George Frantzen	do	do
A. S. Clark.....	Dalton City.....	Moultrie
B. C. Few.....	Alton.....	Madison
C. F. Higgins.....	Vandalia	Fayette.....
W. G. Sutfin.....	Dundee.....	Kane.....
J. C. Seyster.....	Oregon.....	Ogle.....

AUGUST 30, 1901.

Robert R. Jampolis	Chicago	Cook
Hermann P. Haase.....	do	do
Francis J. Casey.....	do	do
F. J. O'Brien.....	Peoria	Peoria
A. H. Switzer.....	Aurora	Kane
S. I. Vanderpoorten.....	Watseka.....	Iroquois
John Hickey.....	Mattoon.....	Coles
Lester B. Ott.....	Petersburg	Menard
Chas. W. Binns.....	New Holland.....	Logan

AUGUST 31, 1901.

Charles Haussner, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook
John L. Thoburn.....	do	do
Chas. S. Miller.....	do	do
Scott J. Dow.....	do	do
T. S. Huntley.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
William H. Armour.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Martin B. Schuster.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Herbert W. Holcomb.....	Hinsdale	DuPage.....

SEPTEMBER 2, 1901.

John T. Connery.....	Chicago	Cook
Olaf Nelson.....	do	do
F. G. Carnahan.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
R. R. Hewitt.....	Beardstown	Cass
Geo. P. Gill.....	Washburn.....	Woodford.....
George M. Wright.....	Castleton.....	Stark.....
Wm W. Whitley.....	Chatham.....	Sangamon.....
Paul R. Chubbuck.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
Edward L. Hemming.....	Plano.....	Kendall.....
C. H. Wing.....	Charleston.....	Coles
Chas. A. Prater.....	Edinburg.....	Christian.....

SEPTEMBER 3, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Jennie V. Engstrom.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas F. Moore.....	do	do
Robert Blair.....	do	do
Andrew J. Delke	do	do
H. H. Ferrell.....	do	do
James Kay.....	Sherrard.....	Mercer.....
Cora Bertholf.....	Rushville.....	Schuyler
Edward O. Wood.....	DeKalb.....	DeKalb
Ervin T. Geist.....	Joliet.....	Will
Edward E. Donnelly.....	Bloomington	McLean.....

SEPTEMBER 4, 1901.

Ignatz Gottlieb.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward L. Kotakowski.....	do	do
Cyrus W. Simons	do	do
William P. Swain	do	do
J. W. Henderson	do	do
Geo. M. Janes	Quincy	Adams
H. C. Lucas.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
Wm. Burrell.....	Streator	LaSalle.....
B. L. Lucas	Bloomington	McLean.....
John G. Limerick	Rock Falls.....	Whiteside
William W. Stevens	Joliet	Will

SEPTEMBER 5, 1901.

M. K. Meyer	Winnetka	Cook
Arthur W. Fulton	Chicago	do
Andrew J. Aubert.....	do	do
Eric Winters	do	do
A. Smullan	do	do
Thomas H. Dorney.....	do	do
Joseph A. Simpson	do	do
James A. McLane	do	do
Edwin F. Morse	do	do
Frank B. Kamarke.....	do	do
William Henry Grant	do	do
George W. Cline.....	Grayville.....	White.....
R. McBride	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson
Peter Anicker	Peoria	Peoria

SEPTEMBER 6, 1901.

Frank A. Zetsche.....	Chicago	Cook
Lange B. Travis.....	do	do
James A. Philbrick	do	do
G. S. Malone	do	do
Chas. Hopper.....	do	do
Fred W. Fairman.....	do	do
James E. Bish	do	do
Frank Fornoff	Mt. Carmel.....	Wabash
George W. Seibert	Pekin.....	Tazewell
James F. Brawley.....	El Dara.....	Pike
D. A. Nobles.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....

SEPTEMBER 7, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Ernst Stoch.....	Chicago	Cook
James M. Rabbitt .....	..do .....	..do
Benjamin B. Morris.....	..do .....	..do
Chancellor L. Jenks, Jr.....	..do .....	..do
John K. Haas .....	..do .....	..do
James M. Reid.....	Rockford	Winnebago
William A. Ridge	Dongola	Union
Emil Arnold	Woodstock	McHenry
F. W. Keller	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
Robert N. Crawford.....	Mendota	LaSalle.....

SEPTEMBER 9, 1901.

Harry L. Becker.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward Stack .....	..do .....	..do
Carrie E. Jordan .....	..do .....	..do
John F. McCulloch .....	..do .....	..do
Hattie Voight .....	..do .....	..do
Jas. W. Matthews .....	..do .....	..do
Jeremiah S. Eberhart.....	..do .....	..do
William Warneke .....	..do .....	..do
Herman Teninga .....	..do .....	..do
Charles J. Ford .....	..do .....	..do
William H. DeCamp .....	..do .....	..do
S. A. Vansickle	Xenia	Marion
John C. Webb	Ewing	Franklin
Lewis S. Lallar	West Liberty	Jasper
Morris J. Hinchcliff.....	Clinton	DeWitt
Robert S. Damhorst.....	Quincy	Adams
Guy LaRue Tetherington.....	Granite City.....	Madison
George W. English.....	Vienna	Johnson
Frank C. Barley.....	LeRoy	McLean
Fred E. Latch	Atwood	Piatt

SEPTEMBER 10, 1901.

Joseph H. Westover, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank J. Palt .....	..do .....	..do
James M. Newburger .....	..do .....	..do
N. E. Murray .....	..do .....	..do
John Klein .....	..do .....	..do
W. A. Flannegan .....	..do .....	..do
John J. Batterman .....	..do .....	..do
J. L. Mize	Ullin	Pulaski
W. R. Wills	Pittsfield	Pike
Carl Barnard	Newark	Kendall
William T. Pace	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
E. J. Ely	Mineral	Bureau
William Fry	Belvidere.....	Boone
Theo. W. Wand	Quincy	Adams
Edward L. Burke	Geneseo	Henry

SEPTEMBER 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
H. Walterding.....	Chicago	Cook
H. Madson.....	do	do
Otto A. Drier.....	do	do
Jerome V. Pierce.....	do	do
John W. Donnelly.....	do	do
Donald C. McKinnon.....	Morgan Park	do
G. A. Ray.....	Rossville	Vermilion
G. W. Dow.....	Pearl City	Stephenson
H. E. Billings.....	Macomb	McDonough
George D. Taylor.....	Litchfield	Montgomery
W. S. Titus.....	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
John L. Carlson.....	Joliet	Will
W. C. Bartlett.....	Peoria	Peoria
John B. Hammatt.....	do	do
G. W. McCabe.....	Chatsworth	Livingston
Thomas F. Ferns.....	Jerseyville	Jersey
Miles A. Tipsword.....	Greenup	Cumberland
C. L. Bessell.....	Brooklyn	Schuyler

SEPTEMBER 12, 1901.

John H. Reid.....	Chicago	Cook
Arthur Cook.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
A. H. Penewitt.....	Easton	Mason
J. B. McDowell.....	Belknap	Johnson

SEPTEMBER 13, 1901.

L. H. Mulhall.....	Chicago	Cook
Abraham Greenfield.....	do	do
Arthur N. Demarest.....	do	do
Timothy W. Dealy.....	do	do
Eugene R. Cox.....	do	do
Nurid M. Bach.....	do	do
J. S. Moore.....	do	do
Geoffrey P. Wright.....	Franklin	Morgan
Jason C. Ayers.....	Dixon	Lee
W. N. Hartgrove.....	Galesburg	Knox
C. E. Botsford.....	Elgin	Kane
Cornwall E. Kirkpatrick.....	Anna	Union
John J. Cooney.....	Woodstock	McHenry
Walter H. Weed.....	Blackstone	Livingston
Frank S. Smith.....	Canton	Fulton
George L. Wernitz.....	Sterling	Whiteside
O. E. Peterson.....	Galesburg	Knox

SEPTEMBER 14, 1901.

Doty H. Wamsley.....	Chicago	Cook
Francis C. Pilgrim.....	do	do
Harry B. Langley.....	do	do
John L. Fogle.....	do	do
Lawrence H. Boehm.....	do	do
Edwin Bebb.....	do	do
Julius Stern.....	do	do
Walter E. Schmidt.....	do	do
Richard A. Paddock.....	do	do
Jacob Graf.....	do	do
Adolph G. I. Gedalia.....	do	do
W. Adolph Schwarz.....	Geneva	Kane
Lewis Shefneer.....	Rurlington	do
Charles F. Field.....	Geneva	do
A. M. Hannaford.....	Roodhouse	Greene
M. W. Cole.....	Kingston	DeKalb
H. P. Humphreys.....	Sheffield	Bureau
John R. Thomas.....	Spring Valley	do
M. H. Scott.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
W. H. Fenton.....	Gardner	Grundy

SEPTEMBER 16, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry W. Wagner	Chicago	Cook
Wirt D. Roberts	do	do
Morris Weil	do	do
R. B. Stiles	do	do
Harrie A. Dayton	do	do
Charles Kunkel	do	do
C. T. B. Goodspeed	do	do
Edward T. Hughes	Maywood	do
Louis H. Burrell	Freeport	Stephenson
T. F. Clover	Henry	Marshall
E. A. Graf	Alhambra	Madison
Bliss C. White	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Andrew Cooke	Waukegan	Lake
William J. Hardwick	Kankakee	Kankakee
Geo. B. Nichtman	Walnut Prairie	Clark
Harry S. Wilson	Chicago	Cook
Wiedemar Bauer	do	do
H. D. Hoover	Taylorville	Christian

SEPTEMBER 17, 1901.

Bertram J. Cahn	Chicago	Cook
Edwin J. Bowes, Jr.	do	do
Sigfried Swarz	do	do
Edward B. Burling	do	do
Jacob Levine	do	do
J. H. Miller	do	do
Joseph N. Palt	do	do
Peter E. Simons	do	do
John J. Stasny	do	do
Frank H. McCulloch	Evanston	do
J. W. Gersteneker	Collinsville	Madison
Wilber M. Carter	Clinton	DeWitt
Wm. R. Rodenberger	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Edwin M. Stanton	Jacksonville	Morgan
John H. Baughman	Smithfield	Fulton
J. B. Hildebrandt	Chicago	Cook
T. J. Condon	Springfield	Sangamon

SEPTEMBER 18, 1901.

Emma Spackman	Chicago	Cook
Guy W. Sherman	do	do
Walter Schaffner	do	do
S. Henry Holstad	do	do
J. Ambrose Gearon	do	do
Thomas W. Algro	do	do
Frank Schoenfeld	do	do
William S. Miller	do	do
James T. Jones	do	do
Orman Ridgely	Eureka	Woodford
J. J. Doyle	Taylorville	Christian
Joseph N. Shahan	Quincy	Adams
F. J. Kurrus	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Charles Hennecke	Bloomington	McLean
Mrs. S. P. Barrick	Middletown	Logan
Isaac David	Ipava	Fulton
W. P. Grimsley	Springfield	Sangamon

SEPTEMBER 20, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Byron W. Wight.....	Chicago ..	Cook.....
Adolph H. Weseman.....	do ..	do ..
P. L. O'Meara.....	do ..	do ..
Frederick J. Newey.....	do ..	do ..
Louis J. Lovak.....	do ..	do ..
Robert D. Kellogg.....	do ..	do ..
Fred L. Goulding.....	do ..	do ..
John C. Farwell.....	do ..	do ..
Albert Cotsworth.....	do ..	do ..
M. Ozment.....	Lake Creek.....	Williamson ..
William A. Absher.....	Absher ..	do ..
William R. Lackland.....	Morton ..	Tazewell ..
E. R. Davis.....	East St. Louis ..	St. Clair ..
H. J. Butt.....	Knoxville ..	Knox ..
George W. Cory.....	Kane ..	Greene ..
J. M. Joplin.....	Benton ..	Franklin ..
J. H. Blood.....	Blood ..	Edwards ..
S. K. Hughes.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

SEPTEMBER 21, 1901.

Edwin W. Will.....	Chicago ..	Cook ..
S. Arthur Walther.....	do ..	do ..
John Rosenberg.....	do ..	do ..
A. W. Underwood.....	do ..	do ..
Alfred N. Tagert.....	do ..	do ..
Harvey B. Lewis.....	do ..	do ..
Parker H. Hoag.....	do ..	do ..
Frank L. Boyd.....	do ..	do ..
William J. McEldowney.....	Chicago Heights ..	do ..
W. H. Foster.....	Eureka ..	Woodford ..
Charles Ulrich.....	Peoria ..	Peoria ..
Hugh Hall.....	Litchfield ..	Montgomery ..
Edwin E. Crebs.....	Fairfield ..	Wayne.....
Theophilus G. Peacock.....	Monmouth ..	Warren ..
L. T. Slade.....	East St. Louis ..	St. Clair ..
Phil L. Weber.....	Belleville.....	do ..
W. P. White.....	Centralia.....	Marion ..
John Cassell.....	Niantic ..	Macon ..
R. R. Wallace.....	Hamilton ..	Hancock ..
J. A. Nirider.....	Farina ..	Fayette ..
Lydia A. McPherson.....	Hazelhurst.....	Carroll.....
George D. Tunnelliff.....	Macomb ..	McDonough.....
T. C. Torrence.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

SEPTEMBER 23, 1901.

Anna Vesely.....	Chicago ..	Cook.....
James Reid.....	do ..	do ..
James W. Kenney.....	do ..	do ..
Geo. J. Harrison.....	do ..	do ..
Harry C. Tuttle.....	do ..	do ..
Benj. F. Newcomb.....	do ..	do ..
Anthony Mallek.....	do ..	do ..
Frank Crowe.....	do ..	do ..
Jacob Gross.....	Peotone.....	Will ..
Samuel Hagerman.....	Yorkville ..	Kendall.....
J. Monroe Lloyd.....	Peoria ..	Peoria ..
C. J. Hayden.....	Grant Park ..	Kankakee ..
A. H. Ferris.....	Princeton ..	Bureau ..

SEPTEMBER 24, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
H. W. Kuetemeyer	Chicago	Cook
Martin T. Baldwin	do	do
Charlotte A. Anderson	do	do
Daniel Havens	Manito	Mason
C. B. Fisher	Aurora	Kane
Fred Adkisson	Clinton	DeWitt
Placido Franckey	Ladd	Bureau
J. D. Straub	Fowler	Adams
Isla B. McCarty	Bloomington	McLean
John C. Brink	Kankakee	Kankakee
D. W. Rudy	Beecher City	Effingham
John W. Blee	Sandwich	DeKalb
Benjamin J. Glaser	Chicago	Cook
James R. Mayeskie	do	do

SEPTEMBER 25, 1901.

George W. Underwood	Chicago	Cook
Benedict J. Short	do	do
Willis V. Jefferson	do	do
C. H. Stuart	do	do
Otto H. L. Schwetzky	do	do
Charles B. Pike	do	do
Pattiel R. Newhouse	do	do
Elfrida Holstad	do	do
Charles F. Glaeser	do	do
Walter H. Eckert	do	do
Samuel Mosiman	Morton	Tazewell
Joseph N. Keys	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Anna Wilson	Olney	Richland
Harry M. McCaskrin	Peoria	Peoria
Daise B. Bicknell	Paxton	Ford
David Bowen	Bloomington	McLean
C. D. Marshall	Cissna Park	Iroquois
Ralph E. Gustin	Chicago	Cook
H. Krulewich	do	do

SEPTEMBER 26, 1901.

Henry J. Warner	Chicago	Cook
Adolph O. Schrelber	do	do
William B. Mann	do	do
Ernest J. Bueter	do	do
William H. Brinkman	do	do
A. H. Ambrose	do	do
W. H. Sullivan, Jr.	Galesburg	Knox
Charles A. Boies	DeKalb	DeKalb
F. M. Brown	Champaign	Champaign

SEPTEMBER 27, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Adolph Moses	Chicago	Cook
Annie M. Horn	do	do
Albert B. Cooper	do	do
William W. Wheeler	do	do
Geo. S. Stone	do	do
Charles Oakley	do	do
Donald L. Morrill	do	do
Helen Miller	do	do
Guy C. McDonald	do	do
Oscar W. Bond	do	do
Ernest F. Johnson	Jacksonville	Morgan
J. J. Lyell	Shawneetown	Gallatin
A. L. Hopkins	Rockford	Winnebago
Denison Huntington	Lake Zurich	Lake
Chas. C. Lee	Charleston	Coles
Thos. J. Layman	Benton	Franklin
Peter J. Kolb	Mt. Carmel	Wabash
John W. Reiner	Blue Island	Cook

SEPTEMBER 28, 1901.

Clifton R. Wooldridge	Chicago	Cook
William L. Gahan	do	do
Edwin A. Hazard	do	do
Louis F. Getchell	do	do
C. L. Cureton	do	do
William Abbot	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Daniel O'D. Hallahan	Springfield	Sangamon
J. R. Boulware	Peoria	Peoria
B. F. Cloud	Decatur	Macon
W. O. Bennett	Shelbyville	Shelby
Jacob A. Leef	Alhambra	Madison
Harry C. Stuttle	Litchfield	Montgomery

OCTOBER 1, 1901.

Frank Easley	Benton	Franklin
F. W. Geist	Chicago	Cook
John F. Langan	do	do
Sylvia Bliss	do	do
F. J. Schmidt	do	do
Lila Waterfield	do	do
David Isaacs	do	do
Andrew Speirs	do	do
Louis Merkl	do	do
Albert E. Dacy	do	do
John Reeves	Canton	Fulton
Reuben R. Tiffany	Freeport	Stephenson
Clarence A. Boruff	Murrayville	Morgan
Richard W. Mills	Virginia	Cass
George H. Miller	Northern Precinct	Williamson

OCTOBER 2, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry M. Walker.....	Chicago	Cook
Edgar M. Snow	do	do
E. S. Lloyd.....	do	do
Samuel C. Hayes.....	do	do
Mary Huntington.....	do	do
Walter A. Clinch.....	Elmwood	Peoria
W. H. Blick.....	Chicago	Cook
E. D. McCulloch.....	Peoria	Peoria
Nicholas G. Iglehart.....	Evanston.....	Cook
John D. Miller.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby
John H. Armstrong.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
Addison Millard.....	Evanston.....	Cook
George Schall.....	Chicago	do
Kirby Smith.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson
Frank T. Sheean.....	Galena	Jo Daviess
Mary Lesct.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward W. Everett.....	do	do
D. Somerville.....	Odin	Marion.....

OCTOBER 3, 1901.

Minor H. Williamson.....	Chicago	Cook
S. Laing Williams.....	do	do
Francis P. Ominger.....	do	do
Robert C. McManus.....	do	do
Lucia L. Miller.....	do	do
J. B. Ernst Meyer.....	do	do
Frank E. Hemstreet.....	do	do
Sidney S. Gorham.....	do	do
Edwin P. Goode.....	do	do
Schuyler Drury.....	do	do
George J. Diener.....	do	do
H. G. Beatty.....	do	do
James G. Todd.....	Newman.....	Douglas.....
James B. Perry.....	McHenry	McHenry

OCTOBER 5, 1901.

Chas. J. Williams.....	Chicago	Cook
Bazel W. Veers.....	do	do
J. G. Vehe.....	do	do
John B. Synnestvedt.....	do	do
Ernest T. Ross.....	do	do
William H. Pettee.....	do	do
Patrick L. McArdle.....	do	do
Isaac Nussbaum.....	do	do
William H. Moore.....	do	do
William A. Mason.....	do	do
W. Clyde Jones.....	do	do
Maurice L. Horner.....	do	do
Philip A. Frey.....	do	do
Jno. M. Fannin.....	do	do
Silas S. Tallass.....	do	do
Mary H. Eugae.....	do	do
J. B. Dicus.....	do	do
William E. Bell.....	do	do
Robert Beckington.....	do	do
Jeremiah D. Bacon.....	do	do
Homer Hoge.....	do	do
Edwin E. Lovejoy.....	Clyde	do
Charles A. McColly.....	Chicago Heights.....	do
William B. Kirkpatrick.....	Henry.....	Marshall.....
Frank A. Bierbaum.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
G. B. Kirkpatrick.....	Grays Lake.....	Lake.....
D. L. Durham.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....
W. H. Gibbs.....	Galva.....	Henry.....
Helen A. Davis.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....

OCTOBER 7, 1901.

Thomas W. Sennott.....	Chicago	Cook
Geo. L. Markham.....	do	do
Andrew H. J. Maguire.....	do	do
Mary F. Lincoln.....	do	do
Peter A. Lenz.....	do	do
William G. M. Laughlin.....	do	do
Gordon H. King.....	do	do
William C. Hartray.....	do	do
Herman Frank.....	do	do
I. D. Clark.....	do	do
Oscar E. Heard.....	do	do
Charles C. Mull.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Jacob A. Melick.....	Henry.....	Marshall.....
James Porch.....	Chebanse.....	Iroquois
Geo. W. Huston.....	Morris.....	Grundy.....
Cecelia S. Woodbridge.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
W. E. Means.....	Atwood.....	Douglas
Mary I. Hunter.....	Mt. Carroll.....	Carroll.....
Benj. Jones.....	Sandusky	Alexander

OCTOBER 8, 1901.

Hiram P. Thompson.....	Chicago	Cook
Herbert B. Robinson.....	do	do
Maxwell Edgar.....	do	do
Bertha E. Curtis.....	do	do
A. Miller Belfield.....	do	do
Isabella M. Honens.....	Sterling	Whiteside
Lucile H. Goddard.....	Mt. Carmel.....	Wabash
Wm. H. Ragan.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby
David J. Neely.....	Azotus.....	Pope.....
L. Frances Woolever.....	Elmwood.....	Peoria.....
J. Charles Seaton.....	Seaton.....	Mercer.....
Warren D. Cole.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
Robert T. Johnson.....	Sandwich.....	DeKalb
Herman Heidbreder.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....

OCTOBER 9, 1901.

Fred T. Schwartz.....	Chicago	Cook
C. Helmer Johnson.....	do	do
Albert P. Hawley.....	do	do
Bert C. Davison.....	do	do
Chas. C. Cunningham.....	do	do
Charles L. Bennett.....	do	do
Pauline Nowlan.....	Toulon.....	Stark
Wm. A. Walker.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
DeWitt C. Hull.....	Wheaton.....	DePage
John Hadsall.....	Genoa.....	DeKalb
Fay R. Best.....	Palmer.....	Christian
P. B. Atwood.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago
Lee B. Doty.....	Savanna.....	Carroll.....

OCTOBER 10, 1901.

Louis C. Stephan.....	Chicago	Cook
O. C. Peterson.....	do	do
J. A. Martin.....	do	do
S. L. Lowenthal.....	do	do
Malcolm A. Cameron.....	do	do
Ina L. Washington.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
William I. Kendall.....	Princeton.....	Bureau
George F. Lyons.....	Woburn.....	Bond.....

OCTOBER 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Clarence C. Barchard.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank Chap.....	do	do
William G. Beale.....	do	do
E. S. Cummings.....	do	do
G. V. Winstandley.....	do	do
Harry A. Warren.....	do	do
James E. Poor.....	do	do
Leo Kreutzinger.....	do	do
John Fiala.....	do	do
Nellie M. Dewey.....	do	do
Arthur E. Beers.....	do	do
Funk Douglass.....	Shirley.....	McLean.....
A. F. Brown.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
Benj. Baits.....	Pleasant Mound.....	Bond.....
Chas. Becker.....	Freeburg.....	St. Clair.....
M. A. Jones.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
J. D. Young.....	Brookport.....	Massac.....

OCTOBER 12, 1901.

Ida Williams.....	Chicago	Cook
Hugh W. Croxton.....	do	do
Albert L. Somers.....	do	do
T. Lyell Smedes.....	do	do
A. R. Martin.....	do	do
Edward L. Canfield.....	do	do
David N. Barker.....	do	do
Nathaniel Holderby.....	Carmi.....	White.....
P. H. Smith.....	Ridgefarm.....	Vermilion.....
Wm. H. Craig.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
James A. Fleck.....	LaPlace.....	Piatt.....
Louis Nater.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
Walter Eden.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
D. J. Fox.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
John E. Houston.....	Shawneetown.....	Gallatin.....
Webster Bisell.....	Marcelline.....	Adams.....

OCTOBER 14, 1901.

Helen W. Wright.....	Chicago	Cook
Anthony J. Stream.....	do	do
Dwight D. Root.....	do	do
F. G. Mundy.....	do	do
W. S. Harbert.....	do	do
Edward Everett.....	do	do
Jessie J. Camack.....	do	do
Harry S. Stanton.....	do	do
N. K. Raylan.....	do	do
John A. Barber.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Solomon D. Miller.....	Mound.....	Brown.....
Louis F. Tissier.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Henry W. English.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
G. A. McKinney.....	Alton.....	Madison.....

OCTOBER 15, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Charles Vesely	Chicago	Cook
Harriet A. Dumus	do	do
Otto K. Barnett	do	do
Edward T. Wray	do	do
Stafford F. Thomas	do	do
Amzi W. Strong	do	do
Geo. N. Sandberg	do	do
O. F. Neunhahn	do	do
Edward C. Cronwall	do	do
Norman Carroll	do	do
Charles S. Burton	do	do
Andrew B. Boughan	do	do
James V. Snyder	Harvey	do
Wm. F. Schroeder	Rock Island	Rock Island
Patrick Kane	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 16, 1901.

Charles Weinland	Chicago	Cook
Wm. Weber	do	do
William T. Underwood	do	do
Robt. J. Halle	do	do
Matthew E. Clark	do	do
Herman Becker	do	do
William F. Berman	do	do
Henry J. Wilcox	Rockford	Winnebago
C. P. Boyer	French Village	St. Clair
Walter E. Rinehart	Effingham	Effingham
E. P. McMurrin	Smithboro	Bond
LeRoy Wharton	Galesburg	Knox
J. E. Maley	do	do
J. A. Barkey	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 17, 1901.

Max W. Zabel	Chicago	Cook
John W. Weston	do	do
John McLeod	do	do
Julius Karpen	do	do
Otto Fetting	do	do
Gelsomino Cozzi	do	do
John F. Beseler	do	do
Katherine Foote	Rockford	Winnebago
Cora V. Johnson	do	do
August Peterson	do	do
H. C. Pettett	Chillicothe	Peoria
N. E. Coles	Morris	Grundy
Walter Caron	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 18, 1901.

Arnold J. Lethen	Chicago	Cook
William Baldwin	do	do
Arthur Pollak	do	do
William J. Curtis	do	do
Constant DeLong	do	do
Francis M. Waggoner	Sullivan	Moultrie
William H. Conkling	Springfield	Sangamon

OCTOBER 19, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Jay E. Reeves	Chicago	Cook
Geo. W. Montgomery	do	do
A. Wilson Jeffries	do	do
Herbert W. Duncanson	do	do
Edw. J. Dalton	do	do
Barton Corneau	do	do
Joseph B. Burt	do	do
Joseph M. Burrows	do	do
Silas C. Burnett	do	do
Herman M. Rasch	do	do
B. Wittenberg	do	do
George W. Thomas	do	do
David A. Severinghaus	do	do
Carl Meyer	do	do
Isaac H. Fry	do	do
Henry C. Hyde	Freeport	Stephenson
C. E. Pope	East St. Louis	St. Clair
John E. York	Springfield	Sangamon
Charles C. Tyler	Fountain Green	Hancock
W. M. Millar	Hebron	McHenry
C. Fred Whitmore, Jr.	Kankakee	Kankakee
Daniel C. Long	Urbana	Champaign
Walter Lucas	Belvidere	Boone
John E. Cook	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
Robert D. Kerr	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 21, 1901.

Thomas C. Wilson	Chicago	Cook
E. H. Brown	do	do
Chas. S. Wicker	do	do
Wm. A. Lane	do	do
Hubert L. Castle	do	do
D. Milton Woods	do	do
W. H. Reedy	Towanda	McLean
Edward F. Haller	Forreston	Ogle
Frank Lindley	Danville	Vermilion
Ross B. Hull	Sterling	Whiteside
Duncan McDougall	Ottawa	LaSalle
Henry A. Neal	Charleston	Coles
Carl D. Miller	Mt. Auburn	Christian
F. Stanley Boggs	Urbana	Champaign

OCTOBER 22, 1901.

Frank J. R. Mitchell	Chicago	Cook
William A. Bither	do	do
J. S. Weiler	do	do
Clayton R. Taylor	do	do
Margaret S. Spooner	do	do
Jacob Seipp	do	do
Thomas W. Reilly	do	do
William R. Anderson	do	do
John Alling	do	do
Samuel D. Scholes	Springfield	Sangamon
Vincent S. Lumley	Woodstock	McHenry
Charles Bogardus	Paxton	Ford
W. W. Graham	Clinton	DeWitt
R. C. Reynolds	Jacksonville	Morgan
John R. Kane	Murphysboro	Jackson
J. Herbert Crowell	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 23, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Bert J. Stockey	Chicago	Cook
R. W. Stevens	do	do
John Rigby	do	do
W. Clarence Oxnam	do	do
James R. Navigato	do	do
Aaron B. Mead	do	do
E. J. Lyon	do	do
John E. Mac Leish	do	do
K. B. Korrady	do	do
Edward C. Huling	do	do
T. Percy Hodge	do	do
Edward W. Hardy	do	do
Tom C. Fetrou	do	do
Harry C. Bellamy	do	do
Frederick Anderson	do	do
Joseph Sikyta	do	do
Henry F. Gehrke	do	do
L. G. Hostetler	Lovington	Moultrie
Alice M. Miller	Bloomington	McLean
Charles Stein	Equality	Gallatin
Mamie Connolly	Lockport	Will
George Gordon	Lerna	Coles
Daniel McCarthy	Cairo	Alexander
Albert Hoffman	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 24, 1901.

Warner H. Robinson	Chicago	Cook
Mary Eva Miller	do	do
Charles E. Crozet	do	do
John A. Butts	do	do
George Ruess	Bethany	Moultrie
J. M. Tohill	Casner	Macon
Enos T. Cole	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
David P. Strickler	Quincy	Adams
Thomas J. Sheean	Galena	JoDaviess
John J. Jones	do	do
William C. Undine	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 25, 1901.

Charles E. Schlytern	Chicago	Cook
William A. Dackerman	do	do
Theodor Dackerman	do	do
Willard B. Van Horne	do	do
Edwin O. Vaile, Jr.	do	do
Bartholomew R. O'Toole	do	do
Wallace A. Lowell	do	do
Claburn S. Jones	do	do
Samuel S. Carman, Jr.	do	do
John M. Cloyd	Georgetown	Vermillion
George B. Leonard	Danville	do
Leon G. Smith	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Essie Carpenter	Watseka	Iroquois
E. D. Bone	Malta	DeKalb
Ernst M. Vennum	Fisher	Champaign

OCTOBER 26, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Christine Hillstrom.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Frank E. Hayner.....	..do .....	..do
William W. Fuller.....	..do .....	..do
Elmer Clancy.....	..do .....	..do
Horace W. Hawkins.....	..do .....	..do
Carrie M. Sherwood.....	..do .....	..do
Frederic Bruce Johnstone.....	..do .....	..do
Samson Gusdorf.....	..do .....	..do
W. B. Cooney.....	Pekin.....	Tazewell.....
J. O. Miller.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
Davis McKeown.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
F. R. Querrey.....	Argenta.....	Macon.....
C. H. Ingraham.....	LaHarpe.....	Hancock.....
Robert S. Hodgen.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
H. S. Hicks.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
W. G. Stevenson.....	Alexis.....	Mercer.....
Samuel C. Dooley.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
W. H. Kerrick.....	..do .....	..do
William W. Arnold.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....

OCTOBER 28, 1901.

Walter G. Wissing.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Theodore Walliser.....	..do .....	..do
M. G. Condon.....	..do .....	..do
W. L. Coley.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike.....
Frank B. Weber.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
John W. Crane.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
James M. Lee.....	..do .....	..do
J. M. Allison.....	Latham.....	Logan.....
David R. Poynor.....	Macedonia.....	Hamilton.....

OCTOBER 29, 1901.

William H. Cade.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Robert I. Gregg.....	..do .....	..do
Harry I. Greene.....	..do .....	..do
Glenn C. Forgy.....	..do .....	..do
Maurice J. Dooley.....	..do .....	..do
Henry S. Shedd.....	Evanston.....	..do
J. F. Munger.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
G. W. Hill.....	McLeansboro.....	Hamilton.....
Olive E. Collins.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Hermann Otten.....	St. Libory.....	St. Clair.....
E. J. Abt.....	East St. Louis.....	..do
Andrew H. Mills.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Wesley Holt.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Edd A. Brown.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Horace R. Brown.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Lester G. Cobb.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 30, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
John B. Schnell.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Charles D. Lusk.....	do	do
Richard H. Gulley.....	do	do
George Gauntlett.....	do	do
P. J. Grogan.....	do	do
Will B. Moak.....	do	do
Arthur J. Virmond.....	do	do
Chas. Waddington.....	LaGrange.....	do
C. J. Hendricks.....	Harvard.....	McHenry.....
J. N. Rosborough.....	Lawrenceville.....	Lawrence.....
Edgar Coddington.....	Knoxville.....	Knox.....
Cornelius Reardon.....	Morris.....	Grundy.....
Henry McPherson.....	Trilla.....	Cumberland.....
E. J. Abersol.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
M. J. Mason.....	Benton.....	Franklin.....
James Sumerwell.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....
Thomas Martin Rudolph.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 31, 1901.

J. G. Sheldon.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Walter Koopman.....	do	do
Daniel V. Harkin.....	do	do
Charles Metzger.....	Waterloo.....	Monroe.....
Jacob L. Poffenberger.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
J. C. File.....	Cypress.....	Johnson.....
Nett Hibben.....	Greenup.....	Cumberland.....
Charles H. Creel.....	Good Hope.....	McDonough.....

NOVEMBER 1, 1901.

Julius K. Wilding.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
E. W. Zander.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Ralph L. Wyman.....	do	do
Merle B. Waltz.....	do	do
John Mikulecky.....	do	do
James Hartnett.....	do	do
Martin Foley.....	do	do
Daniel Donahoe.....	do	do
Cassie A. Armbrust.....	do	do
George Rush.....	Brookport.....	Massac.....
G. C. Walser.....	West Salem.....	Edwards.....

NOVEMBER 2, 1901.

John F. Wegforth.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James F. Kane.....	do	do
G. S. Hull.....	do	do
John V. A. Weaver.....	do	do
Michael J. Sullivan.....	do	do
Leo R. Salomon.....	do	do
Franklin J. Dewey.....	do	do
Eugene A. Renshaw.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Ben F. Tait.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
I. Shoudy.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Robert H. Ross.....	do	do
Edward S. Sherwood.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Frank G. Wood.....	Girard.....	Macoupin.....
L. A. Williams.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
A. D. Metcalf.....	Oneida.....	Knox.....
Frank G. Harsh.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

NOVEMBER 4, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
W. K. Greenebaum.....	Chicago	Cook
Ernest Waltersdorf.....	do	do
A. G. Warren.....	do	do
William W. Lloyd.....	do	do
A. Virgil Lee.....	do	do
Harris S. Keller.....	do	do
W. A. Glass.....	do	do
Francis J. Sullivan.....	do	do
J. Edmund Strong.....	do	do
Wilmot J. Henry.....	do	do
Lewis J. Morris.....	Durand	Winnebago
John T. White.....	Joliet	Will
William S. Myers.....	Lockport	do
Geo. P. Millard.....	Peoria	Peoria
C. M. Porter.....	Streator	LaSalle
Wm. J. Dietrich.....	Pekin	Tazewell
W. T. Freeze.....	Pulaski	Pulaski
Henry J. Hill.....	Hurricane.....	Montgomery
Walter M. Provine.....	Taylorville.....	Christian

NOVEMBER 5, 1901.

Mason B. Starring.....	Chicago	Cook
Augustus S. Peabody.....	do	do
Edward A. Bigelow.....	do	do
Felix Zimmer.....	do	do
Frederick D. Kellogg	do	do
Paul Folsom.....	do	do
Phill Chancellor.....	do	do
C. Center Case, Jr.....	do	do
Joseph Bellanca.....	do	do
S. R. Putnam.....	Mt. Carmel.....	Wabash
Claude Thurmond.....	National Stock Yards	St. Clair
H. D. Clark.....	Aurora.....	Kane
John M. Raymond.....	do	do
Geo. W. Threlkeld.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson
Chas. M. Eckard.....	Greenup.....	Cumberland.....
William Brengartner	Lima.....	Adams
G. E. Patton.....	Monmouth	Warren
Mack S. Brady.....	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 6, 1901.

J. Quincy Stephens.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank J. Snite.....	do	do
Albert A. Ludwigs.....	do	do
Mary L. Downes.....	do	do
Vail R. Bucklin	do	do
John M. Curran.....	Evanston.....	do
Alexander S. Vien	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
Elizabeth C. Lynch.....	Peoria	Peoria
Angus M. L. McBane	Shawneetown.....	Gallatin
George S. Cole.....	Highland Park.....	Lake
George W. Cowser.....	Shelternville.....	Hardin
Maude E. Schumacher	Chicago	Cook
John C. Schumacher.....	do	do
William E. Ebert.....	do	do
Mary R. Fitzgerald.....	do	do
Leendert M. Erkelens	do	do

NOVEMBER 7, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward A. Wanner	Chicago	Cook
Wilfred N. Howard .....	..do .....	..do
Howard F. Gillette .....	..do .....	..do
Lewis Degen .....	..do .....	..do
Joseph F. Chott .....	..do .....	..do
Edwin M. Blodgett	Fulton	Whiteside
Geo. B. Allison	Menard	Randolph
W. M. Mercer	Aurora	Kane
Woodford D. Hand	Robinson	Crawford

NOVEMBER 8, 1901.

William H. Safford	Chicago	Cook
W. A. Blodgett	Morrison	Whiteside
Luther M. Beck	Hillsboro	Montgomery
W. A. Morey	Marseilles	LaSalle
John A. Hoffman	Rosecrans	Lake
Daniel W. Thomas	Hunt	Jasper
H. S. Pomery	Ohio	Bureau

NOVEMBER 9, 1901.

Matthew Mills	Chicago	Cook
Eos. Hegstrom .....	..do .....	..do
S. W. Haremski .....	..do .....	..do
Thomas J. Dooley .....	..do .....	..do
Charles L. Goodhart .....	..do .....	..do
Hattie Gash .....	..do .....	..do
Luthera M. Freeman .....	..do .....	..do
Wm. Freudenberg .....	..do .....	..do
Albert E. Blaha .....	..do .....	..do
John H. Barbee	Mill Shoals	White
Claude O. Ellis	Grayville .....	..do
Anastasia P. Steele	Decatur	Macon
Edwin M. Young	Princeton	Bureau
Gertrude Guilford	Shelbyville	Shelby
Joseph L. Haas	Rock Island	Rock Island
F. E. Hoberg	Peru	LaSalle
Benj. P. Alschuler	Aurora	Kane
W. C. Blair	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson

NOVEMBER 11, 1901.

Jesse W. Wells	Chicago	Cook
J. B. Dornblaser .....	..do .....	..do
Asa W. Conner .....	..do .....	..do
James Bogle .....	..do .....	..do
Benjamin Arnold .....	..do .....	..do
William B. Gasser .....	..do .....	..do
Joseph A. Connell	LaGrange .....	..do
Edward D. McCabe	Peoria	Peoria
D. D. Hill	Decatur	Macon
John J. Corzine	Isabel	Edgar
Frank Cox	Mattoon	Coles
C. H. Cummings	Beardstown	Cass
Alta Kibler	Pittsfield	Pike
B. L. Cunningham	Sumner	Lawrence

NOVEMBER 12, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
E. H. Merwin.....	Berwyn.....	Cook.....
William G. Reid.....	Chicago.....	do.....
James Kalar, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
E. A. Kelly.....	do.....	do.....
M. R. Johnstone.....	do.....	do.....
Robert N. Holt.....	do.....	do.....
Louis B. Erwin.....	do.....	do.....
John Harmon.....	do.....	do.....
Henry J. Warner.....	do.....	do.....
E. J. Rogerson.....	do.....	do.....
W. H. Kransz.....	do.....	do.....
Azariah T. Galt.....	do.....	do.....
Harry M. Ticknor.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
William R. Strawn.....	Albion.....	Edwards.....
J. A. Harris.....	Greenville.....	Bond.....
Julius M. Westphal.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
G. W. Sammons.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Harvey C. Adams.....	do.....	do.....

NOVEMBER 13, 1901.

George D. Richey.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
J. A. Mussenden.....	do.....	do.....
George W. Warwick.....	do.....	do.....
Eckhart Thon, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
D. J. Small.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. P. Marshall.....	do.....	do.....
I. C. Dyer.....	do.....	do.....
George W. Carr.....	do.....	do.....
Kittie L. Boyle.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
M. C. Quinn.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Daniel F. Quinlan.....	Woodstock.....	McHenry.....
L. T. Quinlan.....	do.....	do.....
Harry F. Wakeman.....	Lincoln.....	Logan.....
John C. Preston.....	Amboy.....	Lee.....

NOVEMBER 14, 1901.

Edward C. Zuttermeister.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Louis Ziv.....	do.....	do.....
Myrtle G. Wilmot.....	do.....	do.....
Elizabeth C. O'Brien.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas M. Graves.....	do.....	do.....
Lionel A. Bell.....	do.....	do.....
Jennie A. Johnson.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
F. M. Brown.....	Diswood.....	Alexander.....
John R. Wolf.....	Lanark.....	Carroll.....

NOVEMBER 15, 1901.

Frank M. Wood.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John J. Twomey.....	do.....	do.....
Clarence B. Shaffner.....	do.....	do.....
William F. Schelle.....	do.....	do.....
Julian Piotrowski.....	do.....	do.....
J. March Patterson.....	do.....	do.....
Millard F. Moore.....	do.....	do.....
Sigmon Frank.....	do.....	do.....
Charles W. Fogg.....	do.....	do.....
John D. Doran.....	do.....	do.....
Frank L. Black.....	do.....	do.....
John W. Spain.....	Olney.....	Richland.....
Edward Benney.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
William Johnson.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....

NOVEMBER 16, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
James A. Priest.....	Chicago	Cook
Wesley H. Holway.....	do	do
Isaac Fish.....	do	do
A. E. Andrews.....	do	do
Nelle Vander Starr.....	do	do
William F. O'Shea.....	do	do
Max J. Riese.....	do	do
Clyde O. Garmire.....	do	do
Lynden Evans.....	do	do
Frank J. Burns.....	do	do
Jesse T. Blake.....	Morgan Park.....	do
William B. Ward.....	Winnetka.....	do
Stanton A. Hyer.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
C. P. Roberts.....	Lakewood.....	Shelby.....
Ezekiel Prescott.....	Moweaqua.....	do
John C. Maxwell.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....
W. A. Miller.....	Ivesdale.....	Champaign.....
Ward Reid.....	Greenville.....	Bond.....
James H. Andrews.....	Kewanee.....	Henry.....
A. B. Howland.....	Sandusky.....	Alexander.....

NOVEMBER 18, 1901.

Marion Pickett.....	Chicago	Cook
Harry Oster.....	do	do
S. E. Kennedy.....	do	do
Martin Harfield.....	do	do
John C. Eggers.....	do	do
J. T. Dowling.....	do	do
Aaron T. Coyle.....	do	do
Bertha M. Ellis.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
George W. Dimond.....	Arcola.....	Douglas.....
C. A. Pricer.....	Mahomet.....	Champaign.....
John H. Meyer.....	Red Bud.....	Randolph.....
H. C. Nevill.....	Tamaroa.....	Perry.....
Milton Wilson.....	Princeville.....	Peoria.....
Geo. P. VanCleve.....	Blue Mound.....	Macon.....
E. S. McDonald.....	Decatur.....	do
James M. Mameny.....	Mendota.....	LaSalle.....

NOVEMBER 19, 1901.

Willis H. Hutson.....	Chicago	Cook
Walter J. Miller.....	do	do
William J. Myers.....	do	do
Frank M. Forrey.....	Evanston.....	do
George A. Barr.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Lucius S. Smith.....	Du Quoin.....	Perry.....
James B. Searcy.....	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....
John C. Connor.....	Crescent City.....	Iroquois.....
J. W. Howell.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
J. F. Parker.....	Thebes.....	Alexander.....
E. J. Harseim.....	Secor.....	Woodford.....
Clinton M. Huey.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
J. G. Bush.....	Murrayville.....	Morgan.....

NOVEMBER 20, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Mary T. Vizard.....	Chicago	Cook
John L. Rodgers.....	do	do
James Frake.....	do	do
Edward J. Phillips.....	do	do
Albert H. Meads.....	do	do
Albert H. Hettick.....	do	do
Warren T. Bisbee.....	do	do
H. E. Wood.....	Joliet	Will
B. L. Catron.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Edward L. Upton.....	Waukegan.....	Lake
Forest E. Melvin.....	Palestine.....	Crawford
Stephen D. Sexton.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
S. R. Angier.....	Streator	LaSalle
A. L. Ray.....	Charleston	Coles.....
William A. Dougall.....	Chicago	Cook
Alexander Harsanyi.....	do	do

NOVEMBER 21, 1901.

Geo. W. Speich.....	Chicago	Cook
Chas. R. Powell.....	do	do
N. Noesges.....	do	do
Paul A. Hazard.....	do	do
James Elias Croarkin.....	do	do
Asa G. Adams.....	do	do
W. F. Cotton.....	Oak Park.....	do
Richard W. Stevens.....	Alton	Madison
W. G. Skelton.....	Elsah	Jersey
James F. Murphy.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island

NOVEMBER 22, 1901.

Benjamin F. Ninde.....	Chicago	Cook
J. M. McVean.....	do	do
M. Henry Guerin.....	do	do
Mark E. Guerin.....	do	do
Samuel Friedlander.....	do	do
B. H. Fisher.....	do	do
Richard J. Ton.....	do	do
William H. Little.....	do	do
T. F. Dove.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby
Francis M. Beck.....	Strasburg	do
P. N. Pope.....	DuQuoin.....	Perry
A. C. Dickson.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
Toliver H. Downing.....	Macomb	McDonough
Chas. H. Fisher.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
T. J. Belt.....	Lamb	Hardin
Andrew J. Shepley.....	Canton	Fulton
P. M. Ludens.....	Morrison	Whiteside
Alfred Bloyd.....	Bluffs.....	Scott
Charles F. J. Agle.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
E. W. Montgomery.....	Lincoln	Logan
H. E. Torrance.....	Pontiac	Livingston
Frank M. Calvert.....	Russellville	Lawrence.....
J. Marshall Gowdy.....	Enfield	White.....
Walstien H. Carpenter	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 23, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward R. Hills.....	Chicago	Cook
Margaret Brownson.....	..do .....	..do
Ernest M. Woll .....	..do .....	..do
Claude E. Wilson.....	..do .....	..do
Theodore W. Schulze.....	..do .....	..do
Charles G. Hutchinson .....	..do .....	..do
Gale Blocki .....	..do .....	..do
Mary F. Allen .....	..do .....	..do
Robert F. Pettibone.....	Evanston .....	..do
Jno. R. Tweddale.....	Washburn	Woodford
Charles W. Staehle.....	Joliet	Will
John A. Friedrich.....	Columbia	Monroe
R. H. Isaacs.....	Gillespie	Macoupin.....
Peter Klein	Aurora.....	Kane
Stephen Stevens	Gale	Jasper
Chas. E. Sturtz	Kewanee	Henry
Peter B. Chuse.....	Belleville	St. Clair.....
F. L. McDavid	Hillsboro	Montgomery
C. R. Tombaugh	Pontiac	Livingston.....
A. C. Singbusch	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Charles Fred White.....	Chicago.....	Cook
William L. Schuppert .....	..do .....	..do
Elmer E. Baldwin .....	..do .....	..do

NOVEMBER 25, 1901.

N. R. Green.....	Ramsey.....	Fayette.....
S. A. Buckman.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson
E. B. W. Coleman	Louden	Fayette
Belle C. Clark	Glencoe	Cook
Andrew G. Lipsey	Riverside .....	..do
Albert Schwarz.....	Chicago .....	..do
Ole H. Mellum .....	..do .....	..do
William T. Geary .....	..do .....	..do
W. B. Schlosser.....	Paxton.....	Ford
M. S. Acheson.....	Swanwick	Perry
Carl F. Fisher.....	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 26, 1901.

May C. Schnable	Chicago	Cook
H. C. Rumery.....	..do .....	..do
Percival Wright Roberts .....	..do .....	..do
Mary O'Donnell .....	..do .....	..do
William Brewster.....	..do .....	..do
John Olson .....	..do .....	..do
Wallace R. Condict .....	..do .....	..do
Alfred E. Barr .....	..do .....	..do
John C. Burmeister.....	..do .....	..do
Martin Hester	Alsey	Scott.....
Wm. M. Breese	Pickneyville	Perry
James Matsler	Huey	Clinton
William M. Scanlan	Kewanee	Henry
John A. Fulwiler.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
R. Guy Kneeder.....	Collinsville	Madison
Ora H. Porter	Princeton	Bureau
Frank L. Allen.....	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 27, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William Zelosky.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles A. Sterne.....	do	do
Christian T. Hass.....	do	do
Edw. Byrnes	do	do
William A. Barnes.....	do	do
Burton W. Stadden.....	do	do
William P. Sidley.....	do	do
Thomas J. Morgan.....	do	do
Henry P. Kransz.....	do	do
Harry E. Ambler.....	do	do
Thomas L. Nichols.....	Duncanville.....	Crawford
Benjamin F. Stanley.....	Decatur	Macon
Calvin B. Butler.....	Homer	Champaign.....
W. R. Jinnett.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Alva A. Kelley.....	Carthage	Hancock.....

NOVEMBER 29, 1901.

John C. Finn	Chicago	Cook
Charles R. Scott.....	do	do
James A. Peterson.....	do	do
Charles Hild.....	do	do
Marie Ehrenpreis.....	do	do
Fred E. Carpenter.....	Rockford	Winnebago.....
Fred S. Haven.....	New Lenox.....	Will
Marion E. Sweeney.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Elisha Reagan.....	McCormick	Pope
Willis Baker.....	Rosebud	do
J. M. Gray.....	Decatur	Macon
J. J. Trexler.....	Wheeler	Jasper
Mortimer L. Milledge.....	Berdan	Greene
John W. Green.....	Astoria	Fulton
B. F. Waite.....	Buda	Bureau
A. P. Gay.....	Bellmont	Wabash
Isaac W. Dulany.....	Bluford.....	Jefferson
J. M. D. Birch.....	Peters Creek.....	Hardin
J. K. Knudson.....	Farmingdale.....	Sangamon.....
Orr B. Straight.....	Bellflower	McLean.....
George W. Depuy.....	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 30, 1901.

Anna K. Kane.....	Chicago	Cook
Ludlow D. Cannon.....	do	do
Robert J. Cary.....	do	do
George W. Brown.....	do	do
Henry C. Hawes.....	Atlanta	Logan
Seymour L. McCrory.....	Carthage	Hancock.....
W. S. Rearick.....	Ashland	Cass
John C. Dressor.....	Sorento	Bond.....
James E. Jackson.....	Cairo	Alexander.....
L. Holstein.....	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 2, 1901.

Julian Van Deberge.....	Chicago	Cook
John M. Blakeley.....	do	do
Oliver P. McCool.....	do	do
W. Norman Murray.....	do	do
T. N. Robison.....	Stewardson	Shelby.....
Philip Smith.....	Peoria	Peoria
J. P. Mann.....	Elgin	Kane
Frank Spencer.....	Cairo	Alexander.....
George W. Clayton.....	Creal Springs.....	Williamson.....
John Essington.....	Streator	LaSalle
George H. Stein.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson.....
Stephen C. Malo.....	Watseka	Iroquois.....
James J. Hunt.....	Naperville.....	DuPage.....
Charles D. Stevens.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

DECEMBER 3, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank Opitz	Chicago	Cook
Charles D. Loper	do	do
Frank Krupka	do	do
Gail Dray	do	do
Nena C. Warn	do	do
Mrs. Kathryn Graham	do	do
George Baker	do	do
Lula Trogdon	Paris	Edgar
W. A. Cameron	Elliott	Ford
Wm. H. Dawdy	Greenville	Bond

DECEMBER 4 1901.

W. P. Cunningham	Chicago	Cook
Wallace D. Lewis	do	do
Minnie M. Jacobs	do	do
C. Norlie	do	do
Willard Eugene Clegg	do	do
Alfred L. Scranton	Western Springs	do
John H. Kane	Odell	Livingston
Walter D. Oday	Neal	Cumberland
William H. Tate	Sunfield	Perry
R. B. Ruh	Tallula	Menard
J. M. Beckett	Blue Mound	Macon
Frank P. Hoffrichter	Kewanee	Henry
Elizabeth G. Mason	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 5, 1901.

Ward T. Huston	Chicago	Cook
Fred W. Becker	do	do
A. J. Wheeler	McCormick	Pope
Harmon Church	Renault	Monroe
H. W. Mason	Bloomington	McLean
Enoch Brock	do	do
Magnus Johnson	Bishop Hill	Henry

DECEMBER 6, 1901.

L. P. Wilcox	Chicago	Cook
David M. McLean	do	do
Frank H. June	Oak Park	do
Charles G. Little	Evanston	do
Frank S. Pallett	Wilmette	do
J. C. Irving	Metamora	Woodford
Eugene H. Whitham	Rankin	Vermilion
R. Hampton McAnulty	Springfield	Sangamon
Gertrude R. Hess	do	do
R. L. Nelson	Baldwin	Randolph
H. H. Dicus	Streator	LaSalle
Charles F. Goodspeed	Joliet	Will
Duane Gaines	Louisville	Clay

DECEMBER 7, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Thomas H. Smith.....	Chicago	Cook
Peter Sissman.....	do	do
Robt. R. Reno.....	do	do
Althea A. Ogden	do	do
Edward H. Morris.....	do	do
A. W. Martin.....	do	do
J. Charles Barber	do	do
Sigmund Zeisler	do	do
Mial D. Peck	do	do
Louis M. Kruse	do	do
Hiram Bigelow	do	do
Louis S. Rice.....	Evanston	do
Winsor Chase	do	do
James R. Barker.....	McCormick	Pope
Robt. F. Mueller.....	Foss	Lake
George Mathis	Hoopole	Henry
W. R. Chambers	Danville	Vernilion
T. C. Richardson	Pleasant Plains	Sangamon
John R. Alexander.....	Sparta	Randolph
Robert Diggins.....	Concord	Morgan
Albert Barnes	Decatur	Macon
Edward A. Brentz	Sailor Springs	Clay
I. L. Long.....	Assumption	Christian
John F. Nolte	Hardin	Calhoun

DECEMBER 9, 1901.

William R. Ramsey.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank Pardee.....	do	do
Arthur W. Koenigsberger.....	do	do
Frank S. Komp	do	do
John F. Hagey	do	do
Federico M. Barrios	do	do
W. C. S. Rhea.....	Marion	Williamson
John C. Dunn	Lena	Stephenson
John Heberer.....	DuQuoin	Perry
Earle E. Bower	Woodstock	McHenry
George L. Murphy.....	do	do
R. F. Taylor.....	Elizabethtown	Hardin
Henry Berthal	Freeburg	St. Clair
William J. Lawler	Cairo	Alexander

DECEMBER 10, 1901.

L. Sembach.....	Chicago	Cook
Franklin L. Loftis	do	do
E. U. Hugunin.....	do	do
Richard Vincent Schwarz.....	do	do
James Neal	do	do
Edward M. Joll	do	do
Alonzo H. Hill	do	do
Emil A. Basener	do	do
John A. Littler.....	Potomac	Vermilion
J. W. Haines.....	Tamaroa	Perry
L. H. Wikoff	Emington	Livingston
Henry Clay	Pekin	Tazewell
Thomas J. Buford	Rock Island	Rock Island
David G. Lindsay.....	Sullivan	Moultrie
Lola A. Fielder	Normal	McLean
Leland H. Buckley.....	Edwardsville	Madison
Wm. L. Duckles	Chesterfield	Macoupin
Duane M. Howard	Chicago	Cook
Edward W. Bliss.....	do	do

DECEMBER 11, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles J. Tressler	Chicago	Cook
Norman A. Beck	do	do
Fred W. Stewart	do	do
W. G. Colbert	Moweaqua	Shelby
Peter C. Simmon	Moline	Rock Island
Chas. W. Johnson	Bellflower	McLean
Robert H. Barnes	Raritan	Henderson
Virginius Frayser	Cave-in-Rock	Hardin
V. O. Montray	East St. Louis	St. Clair
W. F. Foster	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
George S. Wiley	Earlville	LaSalle
Flora Coyne	Rock Island	Rock Island
John C. Lee	Decatur	Macon

DECEMBER 12, 1901.

Albert Wahl	Chicago	Cook
Wm. E. Vandervort	do	do
Margaret Shortell	do	do
E. Burrall Frysinger	do	do
Thomas W. Deegan	do	do
W. H. Dellenback	do	do
Joseph F. Connery	do	do
John J. Condon	Bloomington	McLean
Chas. A. E. Martin	Virginia	Cass

DECEMBER 13, 1901.

Thomas G. McElligott	Chicago	Cook
Milo D. Matteson	do	do
John P. Gallistel	do	do
Francis E. Donoghue	do	do
Henry S. Osborne	do	do
Charles R. Francis	do	do
Charles H. Coates	do	do
James M. Sharpe	Keensburg	Wabash
Will C. Messner	Potomac	Vermilion
John H. Wood	Bloomington	McLean
D. R. Rosebrough	Casey	Clark
D. L. Dickerman	Mendon	Adams
George W. Hermann	Bartonville	Peoria

DECEMBER 14, 1901.

Paul A. Wilde	Chicago	Cook
John Wheeler	do	do
Arthur Weinschenk	do	do
Garrie S. French	do	do
Harry A. Daugherty	do	do
Swan J. Peterson	do	do
Henry W. Tobey	do	do
Hansine Lykke	do	do
Newton Lull	do	do
M. E. Henderson	do	do
Henry F. Hawkins	do	do
F. A. Donnelley	do	do
Claude B. Davis	do	do
Wm. C. Gilbert	Evanston	do
George J. Barrett	Springfield	Sangamon
Paul W. Houser	Lincoln	Logan
John H. Ferrell	Elizabethtown	Hardin
Henry M. Hill	Hecker	Monroe
Chas. M. Peirce	Bloomington	McLean
Alexander McIntosh	Decatur	Macon
Henry C. Fancher	Neoga	Cumberland

DECEMBER 16, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Osborne V. Willson	Chicago	Cook
L. M. Stewart	do	do
Downer McCord	do	do
J. A. McCormick	do	do
J. C. Johnstone	do	do
Samuel A. Harper	do	do
Marlow M. Goodale	do	do
R. M. Colby	do	do
Lewis Hughes	Freeport	Stephenson
Amanda M. Brown	Havana	Mason
Bruno H. Diehl	Centralia	Marion
Wm. T. Judd	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
William Hall	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Robert E. Fife	Tuscola	Douglas
William D. Heise	Joliet	Will

DECEMBER 17, 1901.

A. J. Kwasigroch	Chicago	Cook
S. M. St. Clair	do	do
Walter D. Launder	do	do
James H. Furman	do	do
Chas. M. Aldridge	do	do
Paul W. Senne	Oak Park	do
J. C. Perkins	Sparta	Randolph
William P. Rigg	Athensville	Greene
Frederick W. Byfield	Sorento	Bond
Emily B. Smith	Danville	Vermilion
M. J. Clerihan	Jacksonville	Morgan
Ernest C. Lorence	Hettick	Macoupin
Frank E. Furst	Freeport	Stephenson
E. H. Allison	Stronghurst	Henderson
Erank R. Grover	Evanston	Cook
Francis O'Shaughnessy	Chicago	do
Jennette Hunter	Rockford	Winnebago
Bertha M. Hyer	do	do

DECEMBER 18, 1901.

Julius C. Matthison	Chicago	Cook
Charles A. Koepke	do	do
Adolph Raphael	do	do
Asahel W. Gage	Wilmette	do
Charles H. King	Waukegan	Lake

DECEMBER 19, 1901.

Robert G. Stripp	Chicago	Cook
O. W. Noble	do	do
A. R. Gates	do	do
Benjamin R. DeYoung	do	do
Winfield H. West	do	do
William H. Lee	do	do
Vladimir E. Cerveny	do	do
Albert E. Whitney	Rockford	Winnebago
S. A. Oliver	Joliet	Will
John A. McCann	do	do
L. E. Conner	Danville	Vermilion
John S. Vredenburg, Jr	Springfield	Sangamon

DECEMBER 20, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
J. W. Simonson	Port Byron	Rock Island
D. N. Gray	Maroa	Macon
Charles H. Hay	Carmi	White
Clara Alphonso	Washington	Tazewell
Walter F. Houck	LaSalle	LaSalle
Benjamin D. Brewster	Peru	do
S. Delano Falcott	Waukegan	Lake
Thomas W. Gibson	Dixon Precinct	Edwards
Benjamin G. Vaser	Quincy	Adams
Arnold Luetgert	Chicago	Cook
Francis T. Colby	do	do
Arthur Leask	do	do
Theodore Proulx	do	do
Landon C. Rose	do	do
Albert F. Weir	do	do
Wilfred L. Gibson	do	do

DECEMBER 21, 1901.

Fred W. Yeager	Chicago	Cook
Lillie Anna Pfeiffer	do	do
Carl F. Lindquist	do	do
May Fitzsimmons	do	do
Wm. Bleck	do	do
George D. Wellington	do	do
Emil H. Schintz	do	do
Charles S. McNett	do	do
William Pettigrew	Blair	Randolph
Ira Merchant	Bloomington	McLean
Conrad Schul	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
J. W. Graham	Marshall	Clark
Edward R. Grimson	Peoria	Peoria

DECEMBER 23, 1901.

Bertrand Walker	Chicago	Cook
Nathan Foster	do	do
William S. Burdick	do	do
Walter B. Downs	do	do
E. D. Hough	Peoria	Peoria
John J. Stinger	do	do
Jacob L. Plain	Carlinville	Macoupin
Benjamin Wedding	Jerseyville	Jersey
Chas. S. White	do	do
Edgar Mills	Ridgway	Gallatin
Francis M. Taylor	Brocton	Edgar
Charles D. Babb	Homer	Champaign
S. A. Power	Champaign	do
Bessie Postlewait	Jonesboro	Union
Allen W. Johns	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Richard S. Rowland	Olney	Richland
Wm. L. Kaemper	Waterloo	Monroe
A. H. Pinkel	do	do
Frank Johnson	Cornell	Livingston
Karl B. Seibel	Princeton	Bureau
F. O. Pershing	Whitefield	do

DECEMBER 24, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Thomas Moses	Chicago	Cook
Peter L. Miller	do	do
Max Frohlich	do	do
Everett M. Dill	do	do
Fred W. Cowlin	do	do
D. P. Bennett	Orchardville	Wayne
A. C. Moffet	Waverly	Morgan
David C. Henderson	Lee	Lee
Henry C. Downey	Rose Clare	Hardin
Walton Elliott	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Wm. S. Butler	Equality	Gallatin

DECEMBER 26, 1901.

Stanislaus Szwajkart	Chicago	Cook
Samuel B. Panama	do	do
Horatio H. Harwood	do	do
Matthew J. Chapman	do	do
Carl E. Bofinger	do	do
William H. Clare	Joliet	Will
E. Pearl Wait	Reynolds	Rock Island
Thomas J. Fithian	Newton	Jasper
W. Scott Edwards	Lewistown	Fulton
Theodore G. Jacobs	Peoria	Peoria
W. G. Turney	Cowden	Shelby
R. K. Welsh	Rockford	Winnebago

DECEMBER 27, 1901.

Joseph Z. Uhlin	Chicago	Cook
John H. Thornton	do	do
Mary Louise Rue	do	do
Lewis H. Davis	do	do
Simeon Armstrong	do	do
C. Lane	Sullivan	Moultrie
Fred B. Henderson	Jacksonville	Morgan
M. O. Williamson	Galesburg	Knox
J. O. Killian	Aurora	Kane
Jacob S. Murray	DeSoto	Jackson
George E. Ward	Shannon	Carroll

DECEMBER 28, 1901.

Edwin G. Prouty	Chicago	Cook
Hewey W. Kasperek	do	do
Ernest H. Hicks	do	do
Donald C. Butler	do	do
William D. McIlvaine	do	do
James C. Linn	do	do
Roy S. Gaskill	do	do
A. H. Brown	Ashley	Washington
John H. Anthony	West Jersey	Stark
James S. Baldwin	Decatur	Macon
Sherman Leland	Ottawa	LaSalle
Eugene N. Raynor	Champaign	Champaign
J. A. Combs	Mulberry Grove	Bond
Frank Hunte	Beecher	Will
D. Logan	Jeffersonville	Wayne
James H. Garrison	Elgin	Kane
L. E. Vansant	Clifton	Iroquois

DECEMBER 30, 1901.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Gustavus J. Tatge	Chicago	Cook
Charles S. Weeks	do	do
Dennis W. Sullivan	do	do
Harry L. Strohm	do	do
Miles E. Rath	do	do
Carl E. Lonquist	do	do
Chas. H. Gernier	do	do
C. Lewis Franing	do	do
Anton P. Freund	do	do
Florence E. Eldridge	do	do
H. W. Culbertson	do	do
Swan Billings	do	do
Millard F. Porterfield	Fairmount	Vermilion
Isaiah Whitlock	Murrayville	Morgan
Harry P. Humbert	Keithsburg	Mercer
R. T. Baldwin	Shobonier	Fayette
J. M. Hanill	Belleville	St. Clair
J. A. Harrison	Stanford	McLean
Albert L. Gregory	Peoria	Peoria

DECEMBER 31, 1901.

Solomon E. Kleinhamer	Chicago	Cook
B. H. Hellen	do	do
Alfred E. Croft	do	do
William Reimer	do	do
Henry Zeigenbein	Pekin	Tazewell
Joseph D. Riggs	Buckley	Iroquois
Frank J. Wise	Joliet	Will
E. E. Gibson	Decatur	Macon
Thomas Blair	Kinsman	Grundy

JANUARY 2, 1902.

George Watson	Chicago	Cook
E. H. Vavra	do	do
Thos. F. Thorne	do	do
Jos. F. Forbrich	do	do
Theodore F. Ehler	do	do
Armand F. Teefy	do	do
Bernard J. Maguire	do	do
O. P. Decker	do	do
Leon Czeslawski	do	do
S. Leonard Boyce	do	do
B. B. Castle	Arlington Heights	do
R. Button Smith	Orchardville	Wayne
Frances Frank	Augusta	Hancock
W. S. Hopkins	Granville	Putnam
William H. Miller	Kickapoo	Peoria
W. H. Burns	Mansfield	Piatt
Marshall B. Wheeler	Scottville	Macoupin
Linfred H. Hauss	Woodlawn	Jefferson
Fielden M. Roberts	Carrollton	Greene

JANUARY 3, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
L. E. McPherson.....	Chicago	Cook
J. M. Smith	do	do
T. F. Mooney.....	do	do
B. E. Rogers	do	do
Joseph B. Mossman	do	do
Adam Majewski	do	do
S. H. Hodge.....	do	do
Florence A. Donnelly.....	Joliet	Will
George A. Brown	Brownstown	Fayette
C. E. Helm	Hugo	Douglas
S. O. Durham	Long Branch	Saline
J. H. Coles	Gardner	Grundy
Abraham H. D. Butts	Liberty	Adams
W. H. Carr	Raum	Pope
Christian J. Righeimer.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 4, 1902.

Thos. H. Willis	Chicago	Cook
Alexander J. Strom.....	do	do
LeRoy Richards	do	do
Edw. A. Pettigrew.....	do	do
Benjamin B. Hovey.....	Cherry Valley	Winnebago.....
J. E. Barber	Marengo	McHenry
Jos. S. Hobbs	Centralia	Marion
J. R. Cantrall	Tuscola	Douglas
R. L. Snyder	Parsons	Jackson
B. F. Harnish	Belvidere	Boone
C. H. Oxman	Grayville	White
J. A. Jones	Russellville	Lawrence
Joseph DeWolf	Assumption	Christian

JANUARY 6, 1902.

Frank E. Wickham	Chicago	Cook
G. A. Harper	do	do
Julius Esler	do	do
Frank W. Smith	do	do
James M. Gilchrist	do	do
John J. Adams	do	do
William O. Wilson	do	do
William S. Johnson	do	do
Chas. H. Smith	Lyons	do
John G. Penfield	Rockford	Winnebago
Ambrose F. O'Connor.....	Joliet	Will
Elias S. Teeter	Wyoming	Stark
W. W. Ramsey	Galatia	Saline
H. F. Kirk	Arthur	Moultrie
O. E. Gibson	do	do
J. W. Wilson	Prairie City	McDonough
D. R. Fancher	Casey	Clark
James H. Howarth	Fairbury	Livingston
Chas. A. Waltmire	Washington	Tazewell
Edmund Burke	Belleville	St. Clair
Henry L. Child	Springfield	Sangamon
Russell T. Neville	Kewanee	Henry
W. E. McFarland	Canton	Fulton
Carl Burkhardt	Benton	Franklin

JANUARY 7, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
F. A. Weil.....	Chicago	Cook
W. H. Sharp.....	do	do
Walter S. Cramblett.....	do	do
William J. Strickland.....	do	do
Robert E. Smith.....	do	do
Jacob A. Mueller.....	do	do
C. H. Bunker.....	do	do
John H. Young.....	Oakwood	Vermilion
William M. Jungst.....	Peoria	Peoria
M. M. Neil.....	Benton	Franklin.....
Fred B. Everhart.....	Rochester	Sangamon.....
Alfred L. Hamilton.....	Waverly.....	Morgan
George D. Mercer.....	Liberty	Adams

JANUARY 8, 1902.

William Swoboda	Chicago	Cook
Otto J. Schultz.....	do	do
George J. Reeling	do	do
Jessie Fraser.....	do	do
Martin Field.....	do	do
Julia Beveridge.....	do	do
J. L. Connell.....	Johnstown	Cumberland.....
Rufus F. Robinson.....	Stronghurst.....	Henderson
William J. Rosselot.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair

JANUARY 9, 1902.

Napoleon Picard	Chicago	Cook
Ethel M. Harnett.....	do	do
Robert H. Ritchie.....	do	do
Joseph Kristan.....	do	do
Gertrude Flaglore.....	Pontiac	Livingston
Hermann J. C. Beckemeyer.....	Carlyle	Clinton
Clinton E. King.....	Quincy	Adams
L. Somerville.....	Odin	Marion
L. O. Whitnel.....	Vienna	Johnson
George S. Skinner.....	Princeton	Bureau
Herman J. Bauler.....	Chicago	Cook
Sarah R. Crowley.....	do	do
Charles E. Schimmelpfeng.....	do	do

JANUARY 10, 1902.

A. A. Oldfield.....	Chicago	Cook
Richard J. Lavery.....	do	do
Walter J. Donovan.....	do	do
Edward E. Wilson.....	do	do
Lloyd Painter.....	Streator	LaSalle
J. M. Vancil.....	Benton	Franklin.....
R. H. Woodcock.....	Macon	Macon
S. P. Robinson.....	Bloomington	McLean
A. Russell.....	Coulterville	Randolph.....
John Mee.....	Sterling	Whiteside
John E. Berry.....	Peoria	Peoria
H. L. B. Mason.....	Equality.....	Gallatin
Ralph M. Campbell.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
E. Howard Nash.....	Mansfield.....	Piatt
Edwin H. Selle.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson
Richard Albert Guest.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

JANUARY 11, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward W. Steinman.....	Chicago	Cook
August Meyer	do	do
Carl S. Lamb.....	do	do
James S. Gadsden	do	do
Thomas McEnerny.....	do	do
W. A. Thompson	Riverside.	do
Nathan M. Burt.....	Savoy	Champaign
Frank S. Lacey	Peoria	Peoria
George W. Reed	Strawn	Livingston
H. M. Moore	Amboy	Lee
A. S. Hollembeak.....	Genoa	DeKalb
A. J. Kimmel	Marion	Williamson
Delos Craddock	Tampico	Whiteside
Sadie D. Reed.....	Bloomington	McLean

JANUARY 13, 1902.

John Schubert.....	Chicago	Cook
Carl Hess.....	do	do
Arthur A. Erd.....	do	do
William Black.....	do	do
Thaddeus S. Allee.....	do	do
Byron L. Sawyer	do	do
John C. Mulder	do	do
Edward S. Judd.....	do	do
Thomas B. Ackers.....	do	do
E. L. Sherman.....	Palos	do
Byron J. Snow	Sycamore	DeKalb
C. Elkin.....	Humboldt	Coles
J. W. Schoelply.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Isaac J. Levinson.....	Peoria	Peoria
Gerhard Bontjes	do	do
B. F. Culp.....	Raymond	Montgomery
S. A. Friedman	Maroa	Macon
Leon A. Townsend	Galesburg	Knox
John H. Shup	Newton	Jasper
Mary C. Minturn.....	Tuscola	Douglas

JANUARY 14, 1902.

Thomas Sanford.....	Chicago	Cook
Worth E. Caylor.....	do	do
L. E. Tallman.....	do	do
Amos E. Miller.....	do	do
Bertha E. Chatfield.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
Thomas Hill.....	Union Center	Cumberland
F. M. Welshimer.....	Neoga	do
J. M. Bailly	Gibson City	Ford
W. J. Winchester.....	Elmore	Peoria
Samuel F. Phillips.....	Danville	Vermilion
Herbert Powell.....	Fairbury	Livingston
Leslie P. Hanna	Waukegan	Lake
Wm. S. Patch	Glen Ellyn	DuPage
James F. Mallett.....	Milo	Bureau
Fred W. Wilcox.....	Chicago	Cook
George W. Waterman.....	do	do
Robert L. Reid	do	do
O. LeRoy McCaskill	do	do
William S. Estell	do	do
Louis B. Darr	do	do
Frank J. Clingen	do	do
L. C. Penfield	Evanston	do
Mary K. Slyne.....	Chicago	do
Anna L. Devine	do	do
J. Ernest Caldwell.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Edward H. Wandel	Waukegan	Lake

JANUARY 15, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
James W. McCarthy.....	Chicago	Cook
Harvey Hamilton	do	do
Joseph A. Green	do	do
Joseph Hunta	do	do
Eugene A. Stack	do	do
John C. Spencer	do	do
J. E. Cornell	do	do
David A. Woodland.....	Areola	Douglas
John O'Connor	Joliet	Will.
Lillie M. Little	Peoria	Peoria
B. P. Watts	Camden	Schuyler
J. M. Franklin	Bone Gap.....	Edwards
Perry Hess	Wolf Creek.....	Williamson
George W. Miner	Jacksonville	Morgan
James A. Dubois.....	Woodlawn	Jefferson
George T. Spencer.....	Toledo	Cumberland.....
F. A. Gibson	New Windsor	Mercer.....

JANUARY 16, 1902.

C. M. Atterbury.....	Chicago	Cook
Margaret B. Marshall.....	do	do
Louis P. Smith	do	do
Siegfried Schrayner.....	do	do
L. M. Magill	Moline	Rock Island.....
Harriette I. Hiddleson.....	Peoria	Peoria
Augustin V. D. Rousseau, Jr.....	do	do
H. F. Arnold	Galesburg	Knox
Hamilton J. Miller.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 17, 1902.

Charles R. Young.....	Chicago	Cook
Margaret J. Ryan.....	do	do
F. B. Robinson	do	do
Alle A. Teninga.....	do	do
Thomas C. Taylor.....	do	do
Frank Schoenfeldt.....	do	do
Carl Lochner	do	do
Frank H. Lang	do	do
F. M. Gundy	Bismarck.....	Vermillion
Francis Brandewiede.....	Alton	Madison
Isaac B. Gault	Knoxville	Knox
John A. Pellett.....	Roodhouse	Greene
C. A. Fletcher	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Isaac H. Warren	Elgin	Kane
William Huelster	do	do
C. M. Howard	do	do
Jos. C. Burttschi	Vandalia	Fayette
W. G. McClellan	Macomb	McDonough
Kazimier Wroblewski.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 18, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Eva Whinsett.....	Chicago	Cook
Peter C. Lahlum.....	do	do
William G. Wise	do	do
Edward C. Waller.....	do	do
Charles W. Fenn.....	Maywood	do
Levi H. Eib.....	Joliet	Will
W. H. Adams	Chase	Peoria
William R. Bach	Bloomington	McLean
Bjorn Lindberg	Galesburg	Knox
J. Stewart Lamont.....	Apple River.....	Jo Daviess
Ervel W. Hight	Assumption	Christian
Thomas F. Dunn	Carthage.....	Hancock
R. A. McCracken	Paxton	Ford
Walter H. Coon	Quincy	Adams
James H. Cox	Chicago	Cook
Edward S. Glickauf	do	do
Fred L. Blackinton	do	do
Benjamin V. Becker.....	do	do
Walter Stager	Sterling	Whiteside
M. T. Janovsky	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 20, 1902.

W. H. Tyson	Chicago	Cook
Andras M. Strombe.....	do	do
George Pfirshing	do	do
Elmer O. Mook	do	do
W. A. Bisland	do	do
Guy A. Malcom	do	do
H. P. Gates	do	do
James Lane Allen.....	do	do
A. Clinton Warner.....	Dixon	Lee
A. J. Lowe	Hidalgo	Jasper
Charles W. Barker.....	Joliet	Will
M. W. Tobey	Sterling	Whiteside
M. Easley	Kent	Stephenson
W. T. Sumner.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
E. H. Waite	Woodstock	Henry
Frank N. Blackslee	do	do
John E. Patterson	Decatur	Macon
Norman C. Darnell	Plano	Kendall
Edward J. Pollock	Aurora	Kane
C. W. Allen	Broughton	Hamilton
Samuel E. Flannigan, Jr.....	Rural Hill	do
Frank J. Penick	Quincy	Adams
W. R. Harkness.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 21, 1902.

Annette Schacherer.....	Chicago	Cook
J. H. Rumsfeld	do	do
Otto Nottelmann	do	do
Vincent Milaszewicz	do	do
Jacob Kenne	do	do
Joseph Bloom	do	do
Randall H. White	do	do
Samuel B. Holzheimer	do	do
Charles L. Herrick	do	do
Nathan L. Frank	do	do
Barnett Nathan	Alton	Madison
James H. Durfee	Decatur	Macon
Will A. Henders	Ottawa	LaSalle
Hugh Williams	Spring Garden.....	Jefferson
Frank E. Singleton.....	Buckley	Iroquois
C. M. Brock	Fairfield	Wayne

JANUARY 22, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Mary F. Munson.....	Chicago	Cook
Abraham D. Salomon.....	do	do
M. E. Platt	do	do
Thomas Fox	do	do
Henry Fornoff.....	do	do
Squire S. Burke.....	do	do
William D. Murdock.....	Evanston.....	do
W. W. Wilbourn	Olive Branch	Alexander.....
E. M. Hamilton	Bloomington	McLean.....
J. E. Miller	Lincoln	Logan
E. G. King	do	do
James M. Swan	Harmon	Lee
John Rohrback.....	Piper City.....	Ford
Joseph L. Naylor.....	Peoria	Peoria
Noah M. Tohill.....	Lawrenceville.....	Lawrence.....
John J. Gavin	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 23, 1902.

Benjamin Parmalee.....	Waukegan	Lake
L. M. Seltzer	Peoria	Peoria
Joseph W. Merritt	Atwood	Piatt
J. F. Sanford	Coulterville	Randolph.....
Levi Clodfelter	Olney	Richland
John S. Cannon	Monmouth	Warren
M. H. Cazier	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 24, 1902.

D. J. O'Donovan.....	Chicago	Cook
George Menger	do	do
Vincent D. Wyman	do	do
William C. J. Matthieson	do	do
Richard W. Francis.....	do	do
Fred P. Boyden	do	do
John D. Black	do	do
G. L. Kidder	do	do
Flora A. Howes	do	do
Royal L. Downs.....	do	do
Wallace H. Downs.....	do	do
Charles M. Davenport.....	do	do
Anna Burnham	do	do
Carolyn Bortree	do	do
Roy E. Pearce.....	Carmi	White
J. S. Rogers	Marengo.....	Henry
George W. Smith	Chesterfield	Macoupin.....
G. H. York	Hampshire	Kane
Francis D. Forker.....	Boston	Edgar
M. G. Whitney	Wyandot.....	Bureau

JANUARY 25, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
M. O. Heckard.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles S. Hendricks.....	do	do
Mitchell D. Follansbee.....	do	do
Louis Wartensleben	do	do
C. A. VanAnden.....	do	do
Henry Sonnenschein	do	do
William Meredith.....	do	do
Theodor W. Buhmann.....	do	do
A. S. Wilderman.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair
R. L. McGuire.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Dan R. Sheen	Peoria	Peoria
Geo. H. Hall.....	Alexander	Morgan
Edith Welch.....	Dwight	Livingston
Frank Sanford	Morris	Grundy
Miller Winston.....	Sidney	Champaign.....
James Miller.....	Ava	Jackson
Wm. G. Nay.....	Chicago	Cook
F. G. Weiss	do	do

JANUARY 27, 1902.

B. B. Boyer	Chicago	Cook
Henry W. Price.....	do	do
John L. Shortall.....	do	do
Harry V. Peters.....	do	do
K. A. Martin.....	do	do
Caro Knight.....	do	do
Harry Jessup.....	do	do
Homer T. Dick.....	do	do
Clarence B. Cardy.....	do	do
May Barkdall.....	do	do
Stephen Dowse.....	Lockport	Will
Clarence J. Roseberry.....	Peoria	Peoria
C. M. Anthony.....	do	do
Mary Keen.....	Onarga	Iroquois
Frank Ottino.....	Spring Valley.....	Bureau
Walter L. Linder	Charleston	Coles
F. M. Pope	Bayle City.....	Fayette
R. C. Hunt	Galesburg	Knox
Geo. W. Davidson.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Herman Friedrich.....	Aviston.....	Clinton
R. E. Doty	Murphysboro	Jackson
William A. Hammer.....	Decatur.....	Macon
L. F. Wood.....	Litchfield.....	Montgomery
Orville W. Cannon.....	Danville	Vermilion
George J. Smith.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

JANUARY 28, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
I. Newman VanPelt.....	Chicago	Cook
Thos. G. E. Paradis.....	do	do
David Levy.....	do	do
Philip Heldmann.....	do	do
Louis A. Reinnardt.....	do	do
Frank G. Reynolds.....	do	do
L. C. Petersen.....	do	do
Morton A. Mergentheim.....	do	do
L. G. Johnson.....	do	do
Robert E. Crowe.....	do	do
Harry G. Colson.....	do	do
William R. Brannan.....	do	do
Walter S. Baer.....	do	do
Andrew P. Blackstone.....	Oak Park.....	do
H. E. Paddock.....	Prophetstown.....	Whiteside.....
N. J. Aldrich.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
William T. Carson.....	Greenville.....	Bond.....
John D. Jackson.....	Pecatonica.....	Winnebago.....
Edward D. Shurtleff.....	Marengo.....	McHenry.....
William Lauf, Sr.....	Wenona.....	Marshall.....
Henry J. Votaw.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Robert C. Leforge.....	do	do

JANUARY 29, 1902.

Maurice Watkins.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Aubrey Prosser.....	do.....	do.....
Rich. J. Penney.....	do.....	do.....
Ernest Lawrence.....	do.....	do.....
Henry W. Kern.....	do.....	do.....
Jessie M. Feathers.....	do.....	do.....
Emil Baierle.....	do.....	do.....
Clyde R. Bates.....	do.....	do.....
Michael J. Naghten.....	do.....	do.....
Edgar A. Hall.....	do.....	do.....
Jarvis G. Halley.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. Bradshaw.....	Compton.....	Lee.....
Henry C. Warner.....	Dixon.....	do.....
W. P. Brown.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
James M. Browning.....	Carthage.....	Hancock.....
Charles T. Moore.....	Nashville.....	Washington.....
Peter Auten, Jr.....	Princeville.....	Peoria.....
J. T. Hunter.....	Peoria.....	do.....
E. C. Dickhut.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Michael Zimmer.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

JANUARY 30, 1902.

Albert H. Blair.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles Y. Freeman.....	do.....	do.....
George H. Hubbard.....	do.....	do.....
John H. Mills.....	do.....	do.....
Frank F. Oviatt.....	do.....	do.....
O. J. Prentice.....	do.....	do.....
A. R. Sexton.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. M. Seward.....	do.....	do.....
W. S. Mitchell.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
John H. Hanberg.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....

JANUARY 31, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Hugh W. Matthews	Chicago	Cook
William F. Marsh .....	..do .....	..do
Rudolph G. Giesler .....	..do .....	..do
James Donohue .....	..do .....	..do
William Henion	Coal City	Grundy
Cornelius J. Doyle	Greenfield	Greene
Lyman D. Wilson	Metropolis	Massac
James H. Clark	Mattoon	Coles
Edward H. Schafer	Chicago	Cook
Charles C. Carnahan .....	..do .....	..do

FEBRUARY 1, 1902.

Louis Berlzheimer	Chicago	Cook
John L. Campbell .....	..do .....	..do
Roger Capen .....	..do .....	..do
Samuel Cohn .....	..do .....	..do
W. F. Dodge .....	..do .....	..do
Robert J. Goldsmith .....	..do .....	..do
F. L. Klein .....	..do .....	..do
Frank H. Lennards .....	..do .....	..do
Robert Mickey .....	..do .....	..do
John F. O'Brien, Jr. ....	..do .....	..do
F. K. Ricker .....	..do .....	..do
George Haake .....	..do .....	..do
Harry L. Edwards .....	..do .....	..do
Wilbur F. Goddard	Freeport	Stephenson
Geo. E. Paddock	Prophetstown	Whiteside
T. H. Stonecipher	Centralia	Marion

FEBRUARY 3, 1902.

Fred Wright Stephens	Chicago	Cook
John C. Schmidt .....	..do .....	..do
H. C. W. Laubenheimer .....	..do .....	..do
Nellie Gaskell .....	..do .....	..do
I. W. Foltz .....	..do .....	..do
Francis W. Farwell .....	..do .....	..do
I. S. Brill .....	..do .....	..do
Chas. W. Ferguson	Rockford	Winnebago
John A. Grimes	Cottage Home	Williamson
Carrie L. G. Bowlesby	Sterling	Whiteside
Wm. Bedinger	Ridge Farm	Vermilion
George A. Nelson	Lenzburg	St. Clair
J. P. Shelton	Heyworth	McLean
T. E. Toler	Astoria	Fulton
John Hrdicka	Sibley	Ford
Mary Oberding	Trenton	Clinton
William A. Schonfeld	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 4, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Conrad Stautz	Chicago	Cook
Miles Geringer .....	..do .....	..do
William P. Campbell .....	..do .....	..do
Louis G. Wolff .....	..do .....	..do
Albert J. Norton .....	..do .....	..do
James McConahey .....	..do .....	..do
John D. Maclean .....	..do .....	..do
Anna Jerner .....	..do .....	..do
Teresa L. Evers .....	..do .....	..do
Edmund A. Drach .....	..do .....	..do
V. P. Dunkelberg	Pekin	Tazewell
Theodore J. Müller	Peoria	Peoria
H. W. Hall	Bloomington	McLean
George W. Ellsberry	Mason City	Mason
Absalom Wilkin	Bellair	Crawford
Ezra C. Wing	Bradford	Stark
Gertrude Harris	Dwight	Livingston
Hon. F. E. W. Brink	Hoyleton	Washington

FEBRUARY 5, 1902.

William H. Arthur	Chicago	Cook
Charles J. Arbogast .....	..do .....	..do
Frank X. Busch .....	..do .....	..do
Walter J. Evrard .....	..do .....	..do
Julius Frankel .....	..do .....	..do
Minnie J. Jones .....	..do .....	..do
Frederick T. Vaux .....	..do .....	..do
Henry B. Welch .....	..do .....	..do
James Dawson	Westfield	Clark
G. W. Baldwin	DeKalb	DeKalb
Willis A. Martin	Freedom	LaSalle
Milo L. Lyon	Ashton	Lee
Philip Eckert	Troy	Madison
Solon Banfill	Bushnell	McDonough
M. A. Young	Normal	McLean
Nellie B. Weaver	Lexington .....	..do
James P. Rich	Belleville	St. Clair
Edward P. Lathrop	Rockford	Winnebago
W. L. Cundiff	Danville	Vermilion
Manford Savage	Champaign	Champaign
William Maurer	Chicago	Cook
A. T. Cowen .....	..do .....	..do

FEBRUARY 6, 1902.

Sophie T. Arthur	Chicago	Cook
George C. Ames .....	..do .....	..do
C. A. Coey .....	..do .....	..do
W. J. Higgins .....	..do .....	..do
Jacob C. Magill .....	..do .....	..do
Alexander Prussing .....	..do .....	..do
William L. Severing .....	..do .....	..do
Anna L. Hetrick	Canton	Fulton
W. B. Scholfield	Marshall	Clark
J. L. B. Ellis	Shelbyville	Shelby
Charles E. Rost	Danville	Vermilion
Ruth E. Parlier	Clinton	DeWitt
Harry C. Marsh	Champaign	Champaign
Emil H. Krueger	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Peter J. Jonaitis	Chicago	Cook
Aaron H. Hurd	do	do
Albert W. Hawkes	do	do
Jean Elliott	do	do
H. M. Campbell	do	do
J. B. Shaw	do	do
C. H. Schultz	do	do
Frank E. Campe	do	do
J. C. Howard	Olney	Richland
W. L. Shellabarger	Decatur	Macon
R. H. Jamison	Peoria	Peoria
George Rogers	Ramsey	Fayette
Jno. F. Scott	Mattoon	Coles
Geo. C. Guignon	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Frank K. Lemon	Clinton	DeWitt
L. M. Rotan	Kinmundy	Marion

FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

Henry B. Shattuck	Chicago	Cook
Herman Keller	do	do
Emma Jamieson	do	do
Louis C. Roberts	do	do
Charles E. Kreyssler	do	do
Nicholas Kramer	do	do
Peter Kiobasso	do	do
John Bates	do	do
E. S. Weeden	Evanston	do
Anton Tezak	Joliet	Will
Edo R. Freese	Monee	do
M. B. Bailey	Danville	Vermilion
W. A. Merrifield	Freeport	Stephenson
H. B. McKahin	Mar-eilles	LaSalle
R. D. Hollebeak	Elgin	Kane
C. R. Kaiser	Stronghurst	Henderson
Charles S. Todd	Belle Prairie	Hamilton
Jesse M. Beeman	Assumption	Christian
Robert Montgomery	Wyanet	Bureau
George F. Patterson	Milford	Iroquois
Murillo P. Spaulding	Peoria	Peoria
Giles S. Farmer	Waukegan	Lake
I. G. Thompson	Kemper	Jersey
Wm. J. Farwell	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 10, 1902.

James H. Bard	Chicago	Cook
William E. Walker	do	do
Alfred Heymar	do	do
Joseph H. Dundas	do	do
William T. Brown	do	do
Marshall P. Garrison	Evanston	do
A. J. Redding	Mulberry Grove	Bond
J. A. Smith	Homer	Champaign
W. W. Maxwell	Champaign	do
George H. Hamilton	Watseka	Iroquois
George F. Arvedson	Carpentersville	Kane
Edmund H. Blair	Alton	Madison
George B. Huston	Blandinsville	McDonough
E. W. Hurst	Rock Island	Rock Island
William C. Johnson	Danville	Vermilion
Savannah Bulkley	Joliet	Will
R. H. H. Hampton	Carterville	Williamson
Leila I. Sweet	Rockford	Winnebago
Irven F. Dains	Monmouth	Warren

FEBRUARY 11, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Thomas Robinson.....	Chicago	Cook
Otto J. Kralovec.....	do	do
Thomas L. Hall.....	do	do
John J. Downey.....	do	do
Thomas M. Butters.....	do	do
A. H. Sweetland.....	do	do
Edward H. Sanford.....	do	do
Frederick A. Sawyer.....	do	do
L. H. Sawyer.....	do	do
Annie M. McCoy.....	do	do
D. M. Henderson.....	do	do
DeForest M. Neice.....	Oak Park.....	do
Michael B. Sheridan.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
G. F. William Froehlich.....	Oquawka.....	Henderson
Frank L. Belsly.....	Deer Creek.....	Tazewell
C. D. Russell.....	Nokomis.....	Montgomery
W. D. Moore.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Harry Hildreth, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 12, 1902.

Sophia V. Momberg	Chicago	Cook
Charles A. McDonald.....	do	do
Ellen G. Roberts.....	do	do
H. Fred Ross.....	do	do
Orra L. Spencer.....	do	do
Lillian L. Smith.....	do	do
D. L. Perry.....	Hinsdale	DuPage.....
Ralph D. McCulloch.....	Varna.....	Marshall.....
Robert P. Munger.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair

FEBRUARY 13, 1902.

Thos. F. Bohan	Chicago	Cook
Asa Q. Reynolds.....	do	do
Morris Wheeler.....	do	do
Philipp Wirth.....	do	do
Chas. D. McWilliams.....	Dwight.....	Livingston
John L. Waddell.....	Decatur.....	Macon
Robert H. Woodcock.....	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 14, 1902.

D. W. Braden.....	Chicago	Cook
Sidney David.....	do	do
Claude M. Sears.....	do	do
Alfred C. Odell.....	do	do
Nellie O. Miller.....	do	do
Michael Kech.....	do	do
Jas. A. Gordon.....	do	do
Adam Stachowicz.....	West Hammond	do
Edward L. Hight.....	Macon	Macon
Sarah H. Padgett.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
Oliver K. Doney.....	Urbana.....	Champaign.....
John T. Brown.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....
Charles A. Zeller.....	Spring Bay.....	Woodford
Melvin Welty.....	Cerro Gordo.....	Piatt
Charles J. Marhoefer.....	Elmhurst.....	DuPage.....
Lenny C. Gilbert.....	Oakland.....	Coles
Adam Lindgren.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....

FEBRUARY 15, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William E. Lundgren.....	Chicago	Cook
John Clark.....	..do .....	..do
Edward P. Amory.....	..do .....	..do
E. J. Warren.....	..do .....	..do
Charles F. Thurn.....	..do .....	..do
Frederick A. Hill.....	..do .....	..do
Rolla M. Davis.....	..do .....	..do
Munson T. Case.....	..do .....	..do
W. H. Bean.....	..do .....	..do
William R. Angell.....	..do .....	..do
Robert G. Pearce.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Miles K. Young.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
William H. Black.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Josiah M. Clokey.....	..do .....	..do
Newton Davis.....	..do .....	..do
Otho C. Poling.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
J. W. Lance.....	Swan Creek.....	Warren.....
N. K. Beasley.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
David McWilliams.....	Dwight.....	Livingston.....
James M. Isham.....	Karbers Ridge.....	Hardin.....
Peter Walker.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....
Thomas A. Jones.....	Sailor Springs.....	Clay.....
Arthur Luce.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

FEBRUARY 17, 1902.

George C. Otto.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Julius Newmark.....	..do .....	..do
Emile M. Geyer.....	..do .....	..do
Denise Dupuis.....	..do .....	..do
Adolph Copeland.....	..do .....	..do
Frederic S. Baird.....	..do .....	..do
Constantine Zimmermann.....	..do .....	..do
Edgar F. Olson.....	..do .....	..do
James F. Mundra, Jr.....	..do .....	..do
George E. Q. Johnson.....	..do .....	..do
Wade Garfield.....	..do .....	..do
George B. Carter.....	..do .....	..do
Frank Daniel Blish.....	..do .....	..do
M. D. Pawlowski.....	Radom.....	Washington.....
Michael B. Williams.....	Herborn.....	Shelby.....
Wm. H. Suffern.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
F. G. Campbell.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
George C. Wallace.....	Beardstown.....	Cass.....
Rella E. Carl.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Edward J. Miller.....	Hillsboro.....	Montgomery.....
Harry Edwards.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
Charles E. Woodward.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
Alexander T. Bragg.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas.....

FEBRUARY 18, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank H. Thamann.....	Chicago	Cook
Tracy L. Robinson.....	do	do
Victor R. O'Shea.....	do	do
Edward H. Kubitz.....	do	do
Edward Kirk.....	do	do
Albert Anderson.....	do	do
James B. Wayman.....	do	do
Paul Schwarzlose.....	do	do
G. T. Kellner.....	do	do
John H. Jacobs.....	do	do
Wm. B. Hoswell.....	do	do
Sarah Maebelle Allen.....	do	do
Rosewell Champion.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside
John H. Baker.....	Sullivan.....	Moultrie
F. E. Shreffler.....	Deselm.....	Kankakee
I. Ross Silvey.....	Zenith.....	Wayne
Isaac C. Edwards.....	Peoria.....	Peoria
Carl F. A. Stark.....	Fairview.....	Fulton
George M. Stipp.....	Spring Valley.....	Bureau

FEBRUARY 19, 1902.

W. T. Ap. Madoc	Chicago.....	Cook
Joseph Bartz.....	do	do
Benjamin R. Cahn.....	do	do
Julius Grunewald.....	do	do
Eugene F. O'Riordan.....	do	do
J. Howard Pearson.....	do	do
Frank Alfred Silky.....	do	do
M. S. Slater.....	do	do
John Tucker.....	Oak Park	do
Benj. Weaver.....	Danville.....	Vermilion
Jacob E. Tenner.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair
Andreas Krauss.....	Freeburg.....	do
William W. Kimball.....	East St. Louis.....	do
Henry Mittenzrvey.....	do	do
L. F. Gumbart.....	Macomb.....	McDonough
W. W. Wilkinson.....	Blackstone.....	Livingston
H. J. Ramsey.....	Fairbury.....	do
A. H. Simpson.....	Ganntown.....	Johnson
Chas. C. Davidson.....	ElDorado.....	Saline
S. R. Yohe.....	Mt. Erie.....	Wayne
Charles J. Bentley.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
J. H. Stallions.....	Colorado.....	Pope
Hugh R. Morton.....	Salem.....	Marion.....
Max R. Kunze.....	Chicago.....	Cook
James L. Cavanagh.....	do	do

FEBRUARY 20, 1902.

Harry G. Hurd.....	Chicago	Cook
George J. Kapps.....	do	do
Lawrence F. Urbanus.....	do	do
James B. Waller.....	do	do
F. T. E. Kallum.....	Blue Island	do
Harry T. Riddell.....	Watseka.....	Iroquois
James O. Priest.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
Albert Salzenstein.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
R. H. Harding.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
H. H. Badger.....	Amboy.....	Lee
Walter Simpson.....	Grossdale	Cook

FEBRUARY 21, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles H. Conkling.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
F. M. Gustin.....	Danville.....	Vermillion.....
Chas. F. Geiss.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
O. S. Hough.....	do.....	do.....
Susan E. McVicker.....	do.....	do.....
A. H. Lenz.....	do.....	do.....
John A. Brewer.....	do.....	do.....
T. J. Thompson.....	do.....	do.....
Leon A. Shaw.....	do.....	do.....
Adam Goldman.....	do.....	do.....
C. H. Bane.....	Kansas.....	Edgar.....
I. T. VanDoren.....	Grand Ridge.....	LaSalle.....
T. B. Hanna.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Chas. K. Mixer.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Ernest Ayers.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

FEBRUARY 22, 1902.

B. Osland.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles A. Inglis.....	Evanston.....	do.....
Charles J. Harmon.....	Chicago.....	do.....
Theodore Schintz.....	do.....	do.....
David Revell.....	do.....	do.....
Richland D. Powers.....	do.....	do.....
George Neybert.....	do.....	do.....
Charles G. Foucek.....	do.....	do.....
James G. Eldson.....	do.....	do.....
Benjamin D. Jones.....	Manhattan.....	Will.....
Charles E. Keller.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Samuel O. Hilbrant.....	Argenta.....	Macon.....
D. F. Johnson.....	Pinkstaff.....	Lawrence.....
Edward Myers.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
L. E. Chenault.....	Benton.....	Franklin.....
Ira J. O'Hara.....	Macomb.....	McDonough.....
Wm. B. Chandler.....	Bourbon.....	Douglas.....
Joe A. Davis.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Dora J. Weltn.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
A. C. E. Schmidt.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

FEBRUARY 24, 1902.

F. T. Swanwick.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles N. Weltn.....	do.....	do.....
James Linden.....	do.....	do.....
Hosea P. Myers.....	do.....	do.....
Jacob Hershenhorn.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph P. Heun.....	do.....	do.....
H. A. Halverson.....	do.....	do.....
Howard G. Gray.....	do.....	do.....
Henry W. Austin.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
Warren P. Rankin.....	New Liberty.....	Pope.....
Fred F. Streibeck.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
M. M. Olmsted.....	Shipman.....	Macoupin.....
Frank W. Caldwell.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
William Colwell.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
George C. Wilson.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
John J. Vanderree.....	Cornell.....	Livingston.....
G. W. Lemmon.....	Pawnee.....	Sangamon.....
S. R. Lemmon.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 25, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
R. D. Wolfe.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Uzal H. Struble, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Koncickowski.....	do.....	do.....
Norman G. Collins.....	do.....	do.....
W. H. Brady.....	do.....	do.....
D. B. Woodworth.....	do.....	do.....
A. S. Ormsby.....	do.....	do.....
Adell S. Luetgert.....	do.....	do.....
E. J. Taylor.....	do.....	do.....
Frederick W. Richers.....	do.....	do.....
George S. Oleson.....	do.....	do.....
Emil Lasch.....	do.....	do.....
John K. Brittain.....	do.....	do.....
Charles E. Affeld.....	do.....	do.....
C. B. Bordner.....	Afolley.....	Stephenson.....
Carl Beckemeyer.....	Mt. Pulaski.....	Logan.....
Samuel P. Prescott.....	Arlington.....	Bureau.....
John Morehead.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
W. A. Harmon.....	Louisville.....	Clay.....
Benjamin C. Getzelman.....	Algonquin.....	McHenry.....
H. P. Noble.....	Jerseyville.....	Jersey.....
Frederick W. Spink.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles B. Darling.....	do.....	do.....
Jos. B. Perkins.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

FEBRUARY 26, 1902.

Henry H. Tebbetts.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Theodore H. Schulze.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas C. Orr.....	do.....	do.....
P. H. Ohlsen.....	do.....	do.....
Wilson E. McDermut.....	do.....	do.....
Edward B. Healy.....	do.....	do.....
G. Franklin Flick.....	do.....	do.....
John A. Evans.....	do.....	do.....
Robert Dick.....	do.....	do.....
William T. Church.....	do.....	do.....
Wat Bestow.....	Jeffersonville.....	Wayne.....
Conrad F. Gantz.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Francis W. Cutler.....	Princeville.....	Peoria.....
Edward C. Paul.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
Wilbur L. Blows.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....
A. S. Currie.....	Reddick.....	Kankakee.....
Edward C. Craig.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
Richard V. Megary.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
William R. Cornelius.....	do.....	do.....

FEBRUARY 27, 1902.

Rose Wolfe.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George A. Hamilton.....	do.....	do.....
E. Hamilton.....	do.....	do.....
Edward J. Dahms.....	do.....	do.....
R. E. Venters.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Oscar B. Mueller.....	do.....	do.....
L. H. W. Speidel.....	Lake Forest.....	Lake.....
John Gill.....	Newbern.....	Jersey.....
W. Y. Ludwig.....	Danville.....	Vermillion.....
David Morrell.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Calvin J. Sabin.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Lavern W. Thompson.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas L. Senseman.....	..do .....	..do
Charles P. Riehl.....	..do .....	..do
Maurice H. Nugent.....	..do .....	..do
Chas. W. Lamborn.....	..do .....	..do
Edward Goodridge.....	..do .....	..do
Leo. J. Doyle.....	..do .....	..do
George H. White.....	..do .....	..do
William F. White.....	..do .....	..do
Martin G. Corrigan.....	..do .....	..do
Robert J. Dunham.....	..do .....	..do
John F. Gillham.....	Edwardsville	Madison
F. P. Hardy.....	Paris.....	Edgar
William K. Mertz.....	Chandlerville	Cass
Clarence E. Cromer.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
John McAdams.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George Spear.....	..do .....	..do
Frank R. Covey.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.....

MARCH 1, 1902.

A. Wedeking.....	Chicago	Cook
Maude B. Smith.....	..do .....	..do
Thomas D. Huff.....	..do .....	..do
Henry M. Garlick.....	..do .....	..do
Henry L. Crosby.....	..do .....	..do
John J. Cleary.....	..do .....	..do
Alice S. Wilde.....	..do .....	..do
Frank D. Tucker.....	..do .....	..do
E. F. Clark, Jr.....	..do .....	..do
Jesse A. Baldwin.....	Oak Park.....	..do
Frank Montgomery.....	Marseilles.....	LaSalle
Nels S. Nelson.....	Helmar.....	Kendall.....
J. F. Reynolds.....	Smithfield.....	Fulton.....
Thomas E. Lindsey.....	Urbana.....	Champaign.....
S. B. Sale.....	Fisher.....	..do
Henry James Fitzhardinge Berkeley.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Ruby L. Winn.....	..do .....	..do
Lee O'Neill Browne.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....

MARCH 3, 1902.

Charles P. Walker.....	Chicago	Cook
J. R. Traise.....	..do .....	..do
J. H. Pettibone.....	..do .....	..do
Michael W. Meagher.....	..do .....	..do
Henry A. Juers.....	..do .....	..do
W. M. Gelderman.....	..do .....	..do
Spencer L. Adams.....	..do .....	..do
Clyde A. Morrison.....	..do .....	..do
Robert W. Champion.....	..do .....	..do
W. Paul Blain.....	..do .....	..do
Fred H. Smith.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Sidney B. Fithian.....	Newton.....	Jasper.....
Theodore O. Whitenack.....	Maple Mills.....	Fulton.....
Albert P. Tally.....	Beecher City.....	Efingham.....
T. E. Davis.....	Mulberry Grove.....	Bond.....
Frank T. Reid.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Fred C. Entrikin.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Albert F. Turnbeaugh.....	Nebo.....	Pike.....
E. E. Randolph.....	Manito.....	Mason.....
Luther C. Witt.....	Sidney.....	Champaign.....
Michael J. Howley.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....

MARCH 4, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Anson H. Brown	Chicago	Cook
David G. Heineman	do	do
DeWitt C. Jones	do	do
Herman C. Maehler	do	do
Willis J. Ripley	do	do
Charles H. Kelly	Effingham	Effingham
George Gerdes	Watseka	Iroquois
Furney Jones	Monmouth	Warren
William Thompson	Rockton	Winnebago
William H. Mitchell	Wilmington	Will
Samuel Laird	Springfield	Sangamon
John J. Ives	Dixon	Lee

MARCH 5, 1902.

Louis Wink	Chicago	Cook
Otto Shaefer	do	do
Arthur H. Ryan	do	do
William H. Pope	do	do
John Malkowski	do	do
M. R. Drennen	do	do
J. L. Doornhelm	do	do
George S. Ballard	do	do
W. S. Ransom	do	do
John C. Kowalski	do	do
A. H. Humphrey	do	do
Louise Holmes	do	do
Milton E. Falker	do	do
Charles H. Briat	do	do
Dorothy V. Hall	Joliet	Will
Louis F. Meek	Peoria	Peoria
Clarence S. Townley	Blandinsville	McDonough
Victor G. Fuller	Toulon	Stark
John R. Rames, Jr.	Springfield	Sangamon

MARCH 6, 1902.

Elfin L. Rhoten	Chicago	Cook
Albert H. Propper	do	do
Harry D. Irwin	do	do
James M. Givin	do	do
Thomas W. Edwards	do	do
L. Maude Brough	Peoria	Peoria
Wm. H. Waldorf	Burnside	Hancock
L. B. Mendenhall	Vermont	Fulton
Harriet E. Hills	West Chicago	DuPage
Jacob W. Putz	Clayton	Adams
William B. Hiller	Augusta	Hancock

MARCH 7, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward J. Walsh.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Edmond L. Juneau.....	do.....	do.....
Herman L. Jauchzer.....	do.....	do.....
John F. Delaney.....	do.....	do.....
Charles A. Collard.....	do.....	do.....
Alfred H. Priebe.....	do.....	do.....
P. B. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Edward M. John.....	do.....	do.....
Harry J. Farnham.....	do.....	do.....
Cornelius Burke.....	do.....	do.....
Leonard C. Weaver.....	Kirksville.....	Moultrie.....
W. J. Worrell.....	Cypress.....	Johnson.....
A. L. Steele.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Chas. F. Dew.....	Centralia.....	Marion.....
Charles Turner.....	Grand Ridge.....	LaSalle.....
Livonia R. Kay.....	Watseka.....	Iroquois.....
E. L. Walker.....	Arcola.....	Douglas.....
Isabelle Quinlan.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
W. J. Davis.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
J. E. Lewis.....	Amboy.....	Lee.....
George P. Estabrook.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

MARCH 8, 1902.

W. F. Pfuderer.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
M. D. Kurz.....	do.....	do.....
Ben M. Kohner.....	do.....	do.....
J. McK. Storrow.....	do.....	do.....
Theodore Weil.....	do.....	do.....
John G. Shortall.....	do.....	do.....
Charles P. Kenning.....	do.....	do.....
W. S. Jewell.....	do.....	do.....
Kate S. Holmes.....	do.....	do.....
Zachariah A. Neff.....	Dolton.....	do.....
Henry J. Hall.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
James Hicks.....	Monticello.....	Piatt.....
Alice M. Callan.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
Ammon A. Foster.....	Flint.....	Hamilton.....
J. F. Cunningham.....	Urbana.....	Champaign.....
LeRoy T. Tryon.....	Strawn.....	Livingston.....
J. P. Washburn.....	Millbrook.....	Kendall.....
W. L. Wimmer.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
J. C. Ritter.....	Olney.....	Richland.....
Charles H. Wilder.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....

MARCH 10, 1902.

William K. Rapp.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Grace Phillips.....	do.....	do.....
John O'Connor.....	do.....	do.....
Morris C. Lange.....	do.....	do.....
James F. Kennedy.....	do.....	do.....
S. N. Gustafson.....	do.....	do.....
Emanuel J. Goodman.....	do.....	do.....
William J. Donahue.....	do.....	do.....
Louis R. Baker.....	do.....	do.....
Gustav Hering.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas C. Stowe.....	do.....	do.....
George W. Leighton.....	do.....	do.....
James Donahoe.....	do.....	do.....
Charles Alling, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Etta M. Hurd.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
I. M. Kirkpatrick.....	do.....	do.....
George M. Thompson.....	Bement.....	Piatt.....
J. L. Spaulding.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Teresa Montgomery.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Frank E. Harlan.....	Pennington Point.....	McDonough.....
H. W. Bunn.....	Bridgeport.....	Lawrence.....
William J. Fulton.....	Sycamore.....	DeKalb.....
Julius E. Matteson.....	DeKalb.....	do.....

MARCH 11, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
James J. Pesicka	Chicago	Cook
Julius Moses	do	do
G. I. Flack	do	do
William J. Sweeney	do	do
William O. Holton	do	do
G. G. Schumacher	do	do
Fred H. Meyers	Paris	Edgar
Frank W. Penwell	Danville	Vermilion
E. R. E. Kimbrough	do	do
R. W. Fisk	Ridge Farm	do
John R. Pratt	Catlin	do
James A. Bryan	Vandalia	Fayette
R. R. Shirley	Rockford	Winnebago
E. A. Sessions	Anna	Union
Margaret B. Jost	East St. Louis	St. Clair
T. W. Maurice, Jr.	Arrowsmith	McLean
Earl B. Gray	Kankakee	Kankakee
Leander Keck	Montgomery	Kane
Annie C. Swanson	Cambridge	Henry
George W. Pierce	Albion	Edwards
W. H. Meehorn	Assumption	Christian
J. T. Penrose	Moline	Rock Island
Jno. M. Ball	Chatham	Sangamon

MARCH 12, 1902.

A. J. Wittman	Chicago	Cook
Edward J. Hoyt	do	do
Alonzo M. Griffin	do	do
Frederick S. Frisbie	do	do
Emily J. Lucand Brown	do	do
L. K. Cleaveland	Rock Island	Rock Island
Alfred W. Schwing	Peoria	Peoria
Ed R. List	Centralia	Marion
E. A. Hudkins	Chrisman	Edgar
C. H. James	Cowling	Wabash

MARCH 13, 1902.

S. T. A. Loftis	Chicago	Cook
J. E. Ingram	do	do
Mina S. Wilson	do	do
H. F. Pennington, Jr.	do	do
Aaron Goldstandt	do	do
Jerome J. Cermak	do	do
Harry Brown	do	do
Otto Bollongino	do	do
Jacob S. Gerdes	Minonk	Woodford
A. M. Hester	Colfax	McLean
Louis Weiler	Glen Carbon	Madison
John B. Robinson	Decatur	Macon
H. B. Knowlton	Sheffield	Bureau
Hattie Sattler	Chicago	Cook

MARCH 14, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Chas. F. Mohr.....	Chicago	Cook
John G. Monahan	do	do
Louis H. Schutz	do	do
Jennie White	do	do
Lewis C. Pettitt	do	do
Andrew H. Dressel	do	do
R. J. Busch	do	do
Frank J. Miller	do	do
Jeremiah Lynch	do	do
Geo. B. Johnson	do	do
Fred W. Morrison	Berwyn	do
Martin H. Finneran	West Hammond	do
C. R. Hessrich	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Nicholas Ulrich	Peoria	Peoria
Ira J. Covey	do	do
John S. Stonecipher	Salem	Marion
Logan B. Skipper	Centralia	do
A. A. Wilmarth	Aurora	Kane
Louise Rebman	Vienna	Johnson
Albert Ecker	Woodworth	Iroquois
F. H. Hutchins	Rockford	Winnebago
James A. McClure	Blue Mound	Macon
George F. Gray	Springfield	Sangamon

MARCH 15, 1902.

Alden K. Thomas.....	Chicago	Cook
J. Sherman Dudley	do	do
Dorothy C. Siegle	do	do
I. Harry Schoen	do	do
Fred E. Nagel	do	do
Charles Bostrom	do	do
William H. Rust	do	do
N. O. McQuiston	do	do
Frank A. McKee	do	do
Julius W. Dyrenforth	do	do
John W. Burdette	do	do
Charles E. Bartley	do	do
T. S. McKinney	Sterling	Whiteside
John Keen, Jr	Fairfield	Wayne
Henry Halmig	Peru	LaSalle
Cornelius S. Richey	Galesburg	Knox
Charles A. Nelson	do	do
J. J. Tunnickliff	do	do
James N. Gridley	Virginia	Cass
L. M. Rubens	Joliet	Will
James A. L. Evers	Hillerman	Massac
Truman A. Snell	Staunton	Macoupin
Richard D. Honnold	Brocton	Edgar
Chas. S. Kucker	Belvidere	Boone

MARCH 17, 1902.

Adolph Heinss.....	Chicago	Cook
Hugh H. Hadley	do	do
George A. Follansbee	do	do
H. E. Weeks	do	do
C. Fred Hunting	do	do
Richard Boegelsack	do	do
Charles F. Zoelck	do	do
L. W. Shirley	do	do
Anton Pecival	do	do
William F. Cochran	do	do
Nathaniel C. McLean	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Henry E. Farnam	Pawnee	Sangamon
E. C. Springer	Edwardsville	Madison
Harry G. Hempstead	St. Charles	Kane
Fred Collison	Rantoul	Champaign
Edward Prince	Quincy	Adams
C. H. Carroll	Chillicothe	Peoria
Spencer Ewing	Bloomington	McLean
Arthur C. Winslow	Chicago	Cook

MARCH 18, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward J. Scott.....	Chicago	Cook
M. R. Fugit.....	do	do
Henry H. Erland.....	do	do
Eugene Dupee.....	do	do
John J. Osterhause.....	do	do
Henry D. Lackore	do	do
G. Nat Reeves.....	do	do
Emanuel S. Heyman.....	do	do
Fred J. Donihoo.....	do	do
Marion E. Caswell.....	do	do
Henry A. Wing.....	Maywood.....	do
Charles G. Keck.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson
Frank Thomas.....	Wyoming.....	Stark
Bergo Thompson.....	Sheridan	LaSalle
Conrad Mueller.....	Chadwick	Carroll.....
W. H. Steen.....	Braidwood	Will
Chester L. Pierce.....	North Aurora	Kane.....
B. E. McLaughlin	Galesburg	Knox.....
W. J. Lister.....	Chicago	Cook
Karel Musil.....	do	do
Wm. H. Beaver	Abingdon	Knox.....

MARCH 19, 1902.

Samuel T. Hammersmark.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank O. Campe	do	do
H. C. Caldwell	do	do
Norman K. Anderson.....	do	do
Soren Mathison	do	do
Max Lindauer	do	do
James P. Caulfield.....	do	do
Rudolph Pecht.....	Beecher	Will
James L. Skelly.....	Sparta	Randolph.....
A. W. Peasley.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
J. D. D. Williamson.....	Watson	Effingham.....
John Hodge.....	Azotus	Pope
L. A. Mills.....	Decatur	Macon
Jos. H. Peltier	Martinton	Iroquois
W. R. McKernon.....	Shawneetown.....	Gallatin
William J. Carter.....	Clinton	DeWitt.....

MARCH 20, 1902.

Walter Van Sands.....	Chicago	Cook
Byron J. Schoenmann.....	do	do
Robert C. Busse.....	do	do
S. M. Bloss.....	do	do
J. A. Whitney.....	Lostant	LaSalle
Albert J. Williamson.....	Ottawa	do
Pleasant Venters.....	Grove City	Christian
Frank W. Walzer	Sterling	Whiteside.....
W. G. Davis.....	Beechwood	Pulaski.....
Matilda Nickens.....	do	do
Henry O. Smith.....	Palestine	Crawford.....

MARCH 21, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
N. L. Thurn.....	Chicago	Cook
A. W. Thurston.....	..do .....	..do
Jesse A. Thomas.....	..do .....	..do
Edward P. Summers.....	..do .....	..do
John Moffitt.....	..do .....	..do
William Metzger.....	..do .....	..do
J. T. Van Iderstine.....	..do .....	..do
Miles D. Fenno.....	..do .....	..do
Horace Kent Tenney.....	..do .....	..do
Frank A. Hebner.....	..do .....	..do
G. Kate Armstrong.....	..do .....	..do
Frank B. Sherman.....	Oak Park .....	..do
C. R. Danforth.....	Minonk	Woodford
Wm. G. Stopp.....	Plainfield.....	Will.
H. S. Burpee.....	Rockford	Winnebago.....
Benjamin H. Hailey.....	Palmer	Christian.....
Nicholas C. Buswell.....	Neponset	Bureau
Harvey M. Bottomley.....	Foss	Lake
A. J. Brannan.....	Broadwell	Logan
Daniel S. Evans.....	Chicago	Cook
John F. Trzebiatowski .....	..do .....	..do

MARCH 22, 1902.

Thomas J. Thompson.....	Chicago	Cook
Profil Stan .....	..do .....	..do
Geo. I. Hicks .....	..do .....	..do
Simon Heck .....	..do .....	..do
William J. Fraser.....	..do .....	..do
Joseph H. Fitch.....	..do .....	..do
Geo. K. Edwards .....	..do .....	..do
Wm. S. Duncan.....	..do .....	..do
Samuel P. Brannan.....	..do .....	..do
Walter N. Haskell.....	Sterling	Whiteside
Wm. P. Launtz.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Thomas L. Fekete .....	..do .....	..do
E. W. Redding.....	Tallula	Menard
Camden W. McComb	Heyworth	McLean.....
Joseph G. Boeker.....	Bloomington .....	..do
F. R. Jackman	Woodstock	McHenry
Bernhard O. Berge	Ottawa	LaSalle
Alex Tweed.....	Fox Lake	Lake
H. L. Krahle	Aurora	Kane
Wm. B. Risse	Carthage	Hancock
Noah N. Tyner.....	Augusta .....	..do
J. Ren Kennedy.....	Oak Dale	Washington
Willis W. Harris.....	South America.....	Saline
Nathaniel H. Straw	Shannon	Carroll
John Siebenaler.....	Chicago	Cook
Wm. Charles Parker.....	..do .....	..do
Hugo Klitzke.....	..do .....	..do
Emmor M. Hull.....	..do .....	..do
Anna L. Horan.....	..do .....	..do
Geo. W. Clark.....	..do .....	..do

MARCH 24, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles Werno	Chicago	Cook
Gilbert R. Tucker	do	do
John W. Torrance	do	do
Rochelle Sprinkle	do	do
Alfa C. Oldham	do	do
Henry M. Mitchell	do	do
Matt. Johannes	do	do
G. E. Johnson	do	do
A. L. Cram	do	do
Charles G. Peasley	do	do
W. L. Exley	do	do
Thos. E. McBride	Oak Park	do
Frederick B. Harding	East St. Louis	St. Clair
A. E. DeMange	Bloomington	McLean
Thomas A. Baldwin	Abingdon	Knox
John E. Turpin	Plano	Kendall
W. N. Byler	LaHarpe	Hancock
Oscar J. Reese	Hickory Ridge	do
W. D. Cooper	Elliott	Ford
Amos Ball	Gibson City	do
William T. Vandever	Taylorville	Christian
Lou M. Gillan	Watseka	Iroquois
D. H. Gregg	Wenona	Marshall
D. D. Webber	Urbana	Champaign
J. L. Martin	Manlius	Bureau
Kate Klier	Cairo	Alexander

MARCH 25, 1902.

W. E. Spangenburg	Chicago	Cook
Oscar A. Rice	do	do
A. H. Parker	do	do
Julian St. John Nolan	do	do
T. J. McConlogue	do	do
Schuyler F. Lynn	do	do
Charles Van Silcen Jewell	do	do
Geo. W. Williams	Oak Park	do
Wade H. Ownby	LaPlace	Piatt
Thomas Fahey	Peoria	Peoria
J. P. Callans	Aurora	Kane
Henry L. Burk	Garrett	Douglas
Jacob Buch	Champaign	Champaign

MARCH 26, 1902.

Theodore C. Brockhausen	Chicago	Cook
Andrew Irle	do	do
Jacob Sindelar	do	do
Robert W. Parker	do	do
Edward G. Hanberg, Jr.	do	do
Henry Friedman	do	do
Albert Dooley	do	do
Preston I. Davis	do	do
Frank I. Rayburn	Roseville	Warren
J. B. Bennett	Springfield	Sangamon
James S. Sexton	Aledo	Mercer
Joseph A. Suess	Wendelin	Clay
Horace H. Bancroft	Jacksonville	Morgan
Louis Gondreau, Jr.	Kankakee	Kankakee

MARCH 27, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
A. Broletti.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Harry V. Speer.....	do.....	do.....
D. J. Normoyle.....	do.....	do.....
Elizabeth B. Larsen.....	do.....	do.....
John G. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Carroll H. Jones.....	do.....	do.....
Ida M. Hurd.....	do.....	do.....
Charles Franken.....	do.....	do.....
Delavan S. Foote.....	do.....	do.....
Elmer E. Pierce.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
C. H. Brown.....	Ashley.....	Washington.....

MARCH 28, 1902.

L. M. Larsen.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John F. K. Joice.....	do.....	do.....
C. E. Howard.....	do.....	do.....
William H. Heffern.....	do.....	do.....
S. Harvey Helm.....	do.....	do.....
Robert Frater.....	do.....	do.....
Daniel W. Coleman.....	do.....	do.....
Robert F. Brady.....	do.....	do.....
Fritz N. Andren.....	do.....	do.....
H. M. Gemmill.....	Wilmette.....	do.....
Thomas Ferguson.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Samuel W. King.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Ed. R. Allen.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Henry Crosby.....	Visla.....	Mercer.....
Mark C. Keller.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
T. S. Cranwell.....	Mendota.....	LaSalle.....
C. Alex. Stone.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
W. R. Hamilton.....	Sibley.....	Ford.....
Charles F. Strauschild.....	Addison.....	DuPage.....
W. G. Lightfoot.....	Iola.....	Clay.....
D. B. Breed.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
W. I. Cox.....	Allen's Spring.....	Pope.....
George O. Martin.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

MARCH 29, 1902.

Charles A. Nowak.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
August F. Narten.....	do.....	do.....
Charles T. Alford.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Bridges.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph Schenker.....	do.....	do.....
Bernard Rahn.....	do.....	do.....
T. A. Murphy.....	do.....	do.....
Daniel G. Gerst.....	do.....	do.....
Albert Fahnestock.....	do.....	do.....
William H. Doolittle.....	Blue Island.....	do.....
John F. Boyer.....	Evanston.....	do.....
F. J. Scheidenhelm.....	Wilmette.....	do.....
Heye Johnson.....	Secor.....	Woodford.....
Earl D. Reynolds.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
James B. Courtney.....	Potomac.....	Vermilion.....
Henry Davis, Jr.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Henry S. Dooley.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
James K. Furber.....	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....
Emanuel B. Heller.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
Edwin J. Lewis.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt.....
Alfred Guyot.....	Trenton.....	Clinton.....
William J. Waltrip.....	Westfield.....	Clark.....
John H. Robinson.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....
L. S. Willis.....	Sumpter.....	White.....
E. A. Mitchell.....	Chillicothe.....	Peoria.....

MARCH 31, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Ladilas Jozwik	Chicago	Cook
Lillian M. Riley .....	..do .....	..do
Ruby L. DeGraff .....	..do .....	..do
Wm. F. Mertens .....	..do .....	..do
Smith Collins .....	..do .....	..do
J. P. Robinson .....	..do .....	..do
Andrew Hummeland .....	..do .....	..do
Gardner G. Willard .....	..do .....	..do
Axel F. Johnson .....	..do .....	..do
J. R. Sharp	Taylorville	Christian
Adolphus M. Baldwin	Walnut Hill	Jefferson
W. F. Thayer	Aurora	Kane
C. H. Jones	Loxa	Coles
Charles A. Allen	Hoopeston	Vermilion
J. R. Martin	Allenville	Moultrie
B. F. Fountaine	Andalusia	Rock Island
John B. Hart	Hartsville	Pope

APRIL 1, 1902.

Hugh L. Burnham	Chicago	Cook
H. John Stewart .....	..do .....	..do
Julius H. Geweke .....	..do .....	..do

APRIL 2, 1902.

Mary Murphy	Springfield	Sangamon
A. I. Draper	Danville	Vermilion
George Arnold	Mt. Carmel	Wabash
John J. C. Mandioni	Chicago	Cook
Rae E. Callahan .....	..do .....	..do
Peter Meyer .....	..do .....	..do
Mark S. Tapley .....	..do .....	..do

APRIL 3, 1902.

F. S. Pederson	Chicago	Cook
Ferdinand Seppi, Jr.	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Ollie Hansing .....	..do .....	..do
M. C. Rasmussen .....	..do .....	..do
Lionel Ludwig Ohnstein ..	Chicago	Cook
Frank B. Sadt .....	..do .....	..do

APRIL 4, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
DeWitt C. Tanner.....	Chicago	Cook
Kinney Smith	do	do
Harry F. Peterson	do	do
Frank Sayre Osborne	do	do
Samuel Ostrowski	do	do
John T. McGrath	do	do
Frank Little	do	do
Jacob Levin	do	do
Henry Kranter	do	do
Gerhardt Kraft	do	do
Samuel C. Irving	do	do
Emma Friday	do	do
Andrew J. Brennan	do	do
Mortimer W. Mattison	Evanston	do
Arthur C. Ide	do	do
Joseph Koettters	Quincy	Adams
Hugh Snell	Litchfield	Montgomery
R. I. Tatman	Monticello	Piatt
Charles E. Cameron	Belknap	Johnson
Elias Burgess	Unionville	Massac
Editha S. Womelsdorf	Quincy	Adams

APRIL 5, 1902.

Charles A. Werner	Chicago	Cook
Edward J. Stevens	do	do
Eugene A. Rummmler	do	do
Frank Novotny	do	do
Harold W. Letton	do	do
W. J. Gallagher	do	do
Charles J. Faulkner, Jr.	do	do
Hamilton B. Bogue, Jr.	do	do
Timothy Regan	do	do
Morris Moss	do	do
W. E. Shoot	do	do
Oliver K. Johnson	do	do
James H. Heald	Oak Park	do
George H. Crain	Evanston	do
J. B. Blair	do	do
James H. Gowdy	Enfield	White
Hattie M. Kirby	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Charles B. Wright	Woodstock	McHenry
R. A. Sturgeon	Fisher	Champaign
Myrtle E. Dade	Rock Island	Rock Island
William H. Lanterman	Moro	Madison
Wm. G. Feigenspan	Quincy	Adams

APRIL 7, 1902.

John M. Tierney	Chicago	Cook
Mildred B. Stiles	do	do
Henry G. Krumme	do	do
Jerome J. Dittenhoefer	do	do
Henry P. Caldwell	do	do
Barent VanBuren	do	do
Edwin C. Semple	do	do
William Breen	do	do
George A. Bender	do	do
Ella Dunlap	Chicago Heights	do
Charles Lance	Day	Williamson
Harry A. Hammond	Wyoming	Stark
R. D. Woolsey	Polo	Ogle
Larkin C. Keown	Edwardsville	Madison
W. E. Hadley	Collinsville	do
John C. Hall	McLeansboro	Hamilton
David Ross	Peoria	Peoria
R. S. Ludington	Dwight	Livingston
William H. Winn	Dixon	Lee
R. W. Greene	Kane	Greene
R. L. Von Lienen	Somerset	Saline
Frederick Correll	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 8, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Harry H. Kellogg	Chicago	Cook
Eldon R. Haynes	do	do
Charles H. Commons	do	do
Teofil Malinowski	do	do
George S. Matheson	do	do
C. H. Harbert	do	do
Henry S. Fuld	do	do
Henry Levy	do	do
Frederick M. Bowes	do	do
Frank M. Vernor	Nashville	Washington
W. S. Troxell	Springfield	Sangamon
Jacob Messmore	DuQuoin	Perry
R. N. McCormick	Peoria	Peoria
Thomas Lottinville	St. Anne	Kankakee
Charles F. Whitmore	Kankakee	do
Harry A. Rice	Elgin	Kane
Charles A. Scherrer	East St. Louis	St. Clair
E. J. Dunn	Springfield	Sangamon
Henry Mackay	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
Horace D. Hickok	Troy Grove	LaSalle
George S. Calkins	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 9, 1902.

F. C. Wood	Chicago	Cook
Richard T. Wallace	do	do
Henry Thombush	do	do
Walter T. Stanton	do	do
Jesse D. Roop	do	do
Harry McCormack	do	do
Fred Moeller	do	do
Charles W. Holland	do	do
William R. Brand	do	do
William B. Kirtland	do	do
Henry F. Hayden	do	do
Howard H. Brown	do	do
Henry S. Martin	do	do
Joseph W. Hiner	do	do
Henry Bouchier	do	do
Thos. E. Northern	Steger	do
H. K. Wells	Erie	Whiteside
John N. Wilson	Enfield	White
Geo. W. Walker	Richview	Washington
E. Faris	Nebo	Pike
Ed. N. Dangerfield	Elgin	Kane
Thos. Ruggles	Hamilton	Hancock
Fred Boehme	Romeoville	Will
Mary E. Powell	Peoria	Peoria
James P. Jack	Newton	Jasper
William M. Sheets	Georgetown	Vermilion
Dorothy B. Eller	Pekin	Tazewell
William H. Pfingsten	Belleville	St. Clair
James A. McNabb	McNabb	Putnam
Warden Barrere	Canton	Fulton
Robert Docker	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 10, 1902.

Adolph Laukus	Chicago	Cook
Eunice K. Jung	do	do
Charles E. Haile	do	do
F. G. Galentine	do	do
Lucius W. Mallory	do	do
Joseph F. Cox	Alpha	Henry
Henry W. Dana	Marshall	Clark
Maude Craig	Springfield	Sangamon
Stevens R. Baker	Pontiac	Livingston
Minnie Huber	do	do
John C. McClure	Gibson City	Ford
Mary M. Stapleton	Cairo	Alexander

APRIL 11, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Ignatius M. Bransfield.....	Chicago	Cook
Louis Stastny	do	do
L. M. Smith.....	do	do
Myer Silverman.....	do	do
William A. Parkinson.....	do	do
Peter J. O'Sullivan.....	do	do
John P. Hanson	do	do
Walter L. Dwight	Evanston	do
John M. Eckley.....	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Oscar Hoffman	Edgewood	Effingham
Simon Moses	Chicago	Cook
Jonas Ohnstein.....	do	do
Nettie H. Kidd.....	do	do

APRIL 12, 1902.

E. L. Vogel	Chicago	Cook
Alexander B. Shaw.....	do	do
Otto F. Kloechnner.....	do	do
George E. Dierssen	do	do
Charles G. Surriner.....	do	do
Edward Newman.....	do	do
Oscar F. Kosche	do	do
Henry J. Harz.....	do	do
George L. Pfeiffer.....	New Trier	do
D. L. Miller	Sterling.....	Whiteside
Frederick W. Burley.....	Winslow	Stephenson.....
Wm. H. Edwards.....	Galatia	Saline
J. H. Whitehead.....	Centralia	Marion
J. J. Schoolfield.....	Iuka	do
Charles W. Keck	Fairbury	Livingston
S. A. Blaine.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Samuel G. Lehman.....	Sidney	do
Jacob Miller	Princeton	Bureau
R. W. Ropiequet.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair
Edward Auten	Princeville	Peoria
David A. Brunton	Bethalto	Madison
James R. Sumpter.....	Sumpter	White
E. H. Barron.....	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 14, 1902.

M. F. Strider.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles M. Olk	do	do
Wm. H. McClellan	do	do
Charles T. Munson	do	do
Henry J. Kramer.....	do	do
Charles E. Henry	do	do
Stephen L. Grablinski	do	do
Henry Zelotes Durand.....	do	do
Fletcher Dobyns	do	do
Ernest L. Gramlich	do	do
John H. Dymond	do	do
Rudolph C. Nehls.....	Arlington Heights.....	do
Erle P. Field.....	Monmouth	Warren
S. A. Breston.....	Danville	Vermilion
Geo. S. Hoff.....	do	do
George T. Spurck	Peoria	Peoria
James A. Reeves.....	Russell	Lake
Zenas K. Carson.....	Rock Island	Rock Island.....
Albert F. Monroe	Bloomington	McLean
Ray W. Judy.....	do	do
Byron Pontious	Macomb	McDonough
Frank A. Strickler	Good Hope	do
Herbert A. Piper	Sumner.....	Lawrence.....
Harry L. Kelly.....	Fisher	Champaign.....
Charles Rees	Spring Valley.....	Bureau

APRIL 15, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Oscar M. Torrison.....	Chicago	Cook
V. G. Thompson.....	..do .....	..do
John R. McShane .....	..do .....	..do
R. Wilson More .....	..do .....	..do
Clarence A. Toolen.....	..do .....	..do
William Hindley .....	..do .....	..do
E. Allen Frost .....	..do .....	..do
James P. Grier .....	..do .....	..do
W. H. Anderson.....	Evanston .....	..do
James R. Jackman	Colfax	McLean
Jay N. Faulk	Nunda	McHenry
Roy J. Mason	Edgewood	Efingham
John D. G. Oglesby	Waukegan	Lake
James N. Longan	Elkhart	Logan
M. J. Springer.....	Hartsburg .....	..do
	Elgin	Kane.....

APRIL 16, 1902.

Nathaniel A. Mayer.....	Chicago	Cook
William L. Champlin .....	..do .....	..do
Rose Lenit.....	..do .....	..do
Henry Bernahl .....	..do .....	..do
Charles R. Fuller.....	..do .....	..do
Agnes Carr .....	..do .....	..do
Frank Block .....	..do .....	..do
Charles Carroll Bartlett .....	..do .....	..do
Robert L. Scott.....	..do .....	..do
H. C. DeMunn	Belvidere.....	Boone.....
H. L. Sheldon	Rock Falls.....	Whiteside
Lee T. Aldrich	East St. Louis	St. Clair
N. R. Lessley.....	Houston	Randolph
William M. Scanlan.....	Peru	La Salle.....
Fred S. Smith	Mt. Carroll	Carroll.....

APRIL 17, 1902.

Herbert E. Bradley	Chicago	Cook
L. H. Baldwin .....	..do .....	..do
Leonard F. Mathis .....	..do .....	..do
Samuel H. Putnam.....	..do .....	..do
Charles B. Campbell.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
Edwin J. Udeil	Rantoul	Champaign
A. W. Fisk	DeKalb	DeKalb
A. G. White	Sandwich.....	..do

APRIL 18, 1902.

William I. Willsie.....	Chicago	Cook
Neil Satterlee.....	..do .....	..do
George F. Repp.....	..do .....	..do
William R. Manlove.....	..do .....	..do
August Benz.....	..do .....	..do
M. E. Trego.....	..do .....	..do
M. A. LaRue.....	..do .....	..do
Jonas W. Olson.....	Galva	Henry
Benoni Mendenhall	Dallas City.....	Hancock
Thomas D. Slater	Garrett	Douglas
Emily Kelley	Aurora	Kane.....
Will McConnell.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
Philip Lindgren	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 19, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frederick A. Spooler.....	Chicago	Cook
Abe Lowenhaupt.....	..do .....	..do
George R. Stege.....	..do .....	..do
Michael Levy.....	..do .....	..do
Henry Wingart.....	Lena	Stephenson
Sewall Dodge.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
A. J. Whitney.....	Buffalo Prairie.....	..do
Ira M. Mallory.....	Nunda	McHenry.....
James Fitzgerald.....	Maple Park.....	Kane.....
Jos. P. Gulick.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Lee James Tallmadge	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 21, 1902.

Andrew Spear, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook
Gertrude L. Neff.....	..do .....	..do
William G. Latimar.....	..do .....	..do
Jacob Geneser.....	..do .....	..do
Anastazius X. Cintella .....	..do .....	..do
Konrad Ricker .....	..do .....	..do
Henry H. Boesenbergl.....	..do .....	..do
Geo. W. Young	Joliet	Will
Frank E. Roberts	Mt. Erie.....	Wayne
James L. Pollock	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
W. W. Sedgwick.....	Sandwich.....	DeKalb
F. H. Wilhite	Zion City	Lake
A. A. Steenburg	Farmington	Fulton
August A. Timke	Elmhurst	DuPage

APRIL 22, 1902.

M. L. Thackaberry	Chicago	Cook
George S. Pines.....	..do .....	..do
John J. Kirby .....	..do .....	..do
Frank W. Hoyt.....	..do .....	..do
George R. Harbaugh.....	..do .....	..do
Albert M. Burch .....	..do .....	..do
Chas. A. Bond .....	..do .....	..do
August R. Knockenmus.....	..do .....	..do
V. P. Cory .....	..do .....	..do
J. S. Bartlett.....	..do .....	..do
James B. Archer.....	..do .....	..do
Francis Stoehlke.....	Manheim .....	..do
James M. James	Pekin	Tazewell
George Sitter	Beechwood	Pulaski
James A. Hawks	Atwood	Piatt
Eugene L. Hollard.....	Highland	Madison
Louis A. Towner	Manteno	Kankakee
M. W. Eckard.....	Greenup	Cumberland
F. W. Lueker	Nashville	Washington
S. W. Crews.....	New Canton.....	Pike
Charles J. Duhamel	Chicago	Cook

APRIL 23, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Geo. J. Schmidt	Chicago	Cook
George W. Rugby	do	do
Willard H. Pate	do	do
Vaclav Klenha	do	do
Wm. D. Fischer	do	do
A. McIntosh, Jr.	do	do
F. B. Fellows	do	do
Sandor Thomsen von Colditz	do	do
Minnie Snitkoff	do	do
Paul F. Lobanoff	do	do
Wallace P. Hill	do	do
Cole D. Welton	Franklin Park	do
J. A. Colby	Charleston	Coles
Frederick H. Weber	Mechanicsburg	Sangamon
Alexander C. Belinski	Chicago	Cook
William H. Connolly	do	do

APRIL 24, 1902.

J. Casper Sauer	Chicago	Cook
David Sinclair	do	do
Jay C. Lytle	do	do
J. Hamilton Jackson	do	do
James J. Burtch	do	do
G. A. Smith	Alvin	Vermilion
Nellie L. Weible	East St. Louis	St. Clair
T. E. Bottenberg	Rushville	Schuyler
John J. Badry	Aurora	Kane
Dayton E. Bowers	Hidalgo	Jasper

APRIL 25, 1902.

Melbourne N. Parsons	Beardstown	Cass
D. W. Jones	Chicago	Cook
James M. Brodie	do	do
Max Behrend	do	do
John K. Lyon	do	do
Charles B. Haffenberg	do	do
David C. Fitzgerald	do	do
Charles Curtis	do	do
Michael W. Hogan	do	do
Wm. B. Hanelin	do	do
Elton G. Rice	do	do
E. H. S. Martin	do	do
Archie W. Campbell	Harvey	do
J. W. McKindley	Morris	Grundy
Frederick W. Brown	Rockwood	Jackson
Wm. Pictor	St. Marie	Jasper
Peter Fina	Kankakee	Kankakee
F. W. Becker	Lincoln	Logan
James Chambers	Henry	Marshall
Geo. C. Eggmann	East St. Louis	St. Clair

APRIL 26, 1902.

William Clancy	Chicago	Cook
Theodore A. Hessel	do	do
Matthew W. Jack, Jr.	do	do
Henry O. Heitmann	do	do
W. D. Dunning	do	do
William C. Wise	do	do
John V. Hofreiter	do	do
Thomas L. Francis	Braidwood	Will
Chas. G. Macklin	Morrison	Whiteside
Clarendon B. Eyer	Evanston	Cook

APRIL 28, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Louis G. Frank.....	Chicago	Cook
Arthur J. Smith.....	do	do
William F. Sullivan.....	do	do
R. D. Martin.....	do	do
Robert F. Linn, Jr.....	do	do
William F. Fahnestock.....	Glasford.....	Peoria
William R. Jennings.....	Walpole.....	Hamilton
Thos. M. Cox.....	Xenia.....	Clay
John E. Erwin.....	Dixon.....	Lee
Levi B. Dell.....	Lovejoy.....	Madison
William C. Wood.....	Chicago.....	Cook
William F. Harman.....	Olmsted.....	Pulaski
Socrates Trexler.....	Latona.....	Jasper
Joseph Ashurst.....	Garrett.....	Douglas
A. L. Olmsted.....	Vandercook.....	Vermilion
John H. Miller.....	Chicago.....	Cook
Etta R. Chick.....	LeRoy.....	McLean.....
Samuel M. Bower.....	Tolono.....	Champaign.....
Joseph W. Corey.....	Chicago.....	Cook
Ellen W. Falk.....	do	do
Alace J. Boggs.....	do	do
Jennie M. Nelson.....	do	do
A. J. Merklin.....	do	do
Chas. S. Spritz.....	do	do
Martin Connor.....	do	do

APRIL 29, 1902.

J. K. Moran.....	Chicago	Cook
William C. Wehnert.....	do	do
Herbert Edgar Herrod.....	do	do
John H. Boehm.....	do	do
Louis Reynolds.....	do	do
Stella W. Tenney.....	do	do
O. B. Holloway.....	do	do
Chas. Henry Havard.....	do	do
Jennie E. Reed.....	do	do
Mary F. Johnston.....	Palatine.....	do
Moses Schoonmaker.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
D. H. Lollis.....	Meredosia.....	Morgan
Isaac P. Barton.....	Greenfield.....	Greene
Thomas J. Carpenter.....	Ogden.....	Champaign.....
A. E. Todd.....	Belle Prairie.....	Hamilton
Chas. L. Hunt.....	St. Charles.....	Kane

APRIL 30, 1902.

L. C. Messner.....	Potomac.....	Vermilion
Mary Dooley.....	Highland Park.....	Lake
Benjamin J. Rubendall.....	Brookville.....	Ogle
Wm. S. Mason.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle
Geo. W. Rhodes.....	Mt. Carmel.....	Wabash
F. M. Nance.....	Avon.....	Fulton
Daniel G. Avery.....	Chicago.....	Cook
Percy Q. Cook.....	do	do
Earl E. Adcock.....	do	do
Walter K. Fifield.....	do	do
Harry B. Earhart.....	do	do
George I. McElDowney.....	Chicago Heights.....	do
Frederick W. Job.....	Chicago.....	do
A. W. Schleretre.....	do	do
Theodora Horton.....	do	do

MAY 1, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward Grusendorf.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Ladislav A. Kapsa.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas J. Dawson.....	do.....	do.....
H. F. Shepherd.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph Alexander.....	do.....	do.....
Math. Kersting.....	do.....	do.....
Mae C. Allen.....	do.....	do.....
Elias W. Heilbrun.....	do.....	do.....
H. G. Batchelor.....	do.....	do.....
Ralph Hays.....	Thayer.....	Sangamon.....
Cora L. Campbell.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Roy Johnson.....	Silvan.....	Brown.....
C. C. Hutchinson.....	Lisbon.....	Kendall.....
B. Denny.....	Walshville.....	Montgomery.....
John Evans.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
George W. Hutchinson.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....
Herman Vollmer.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

MAY 2, 1902.

J. M. Stevens.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Harry G. Homan.....	do.....	do.....
Wm. S. Broadhurst.....	do.....	do.....
Vaclav Antowski.....	do.....	do.....
Potter Palmer, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Noble C. Shumway.....	do.....	do.....
John Lyle Vette.....	do.....	do.....
John M. Gray.....	do.....	do.....
Edgar L. Jayne.....	do.....	do.....
Raffaele Parevte.....	do.....	do.....
James P. Sullivan.....	do.....	do.....
Raymond D. Dooley.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Geo. C. Powers.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Charles M. Karns.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
W. C. Ake.....	Mt. Erie.....	Wayne.....

MAY 3, 1902.

Ada C. Williams.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Constancia Wachowski.....	do.....	do.....
Henry Ed. Nothomb.....	do.....	do.....
Oscar Moller.....	do.....	do.....
Elizabeth R. King.....	do.....	do.....
Thomas F. Kennedy.....	do.....	do.....
William F. Hoffman.....	do.....	do.....
Mabel Haseltine.....	do.....	do.....
Ira M. Harries.....	do.....	do.....
William R. Grant.....	do.....	do.....
Christian Elsen.....	do.....	do.....
D. L. Carmichael.....	do.....	do.....
H. Clay Calhoun.....	do.....	do.....
A. C. Borroff.....	do.....	do.....
Wm. W. Appler.....	do.....	do.....
Ernest Appleton.....	do.....	do.....
Carlos J. Ward.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
Lillian Rundquist.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
James French.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
W. I. Baird.....	Jamaica.....	Vermilion.....
Henry Schildnecht.....	O'Fallon.....	St. Clair.....
Flora H. Cullen.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
Fletcher Carney.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
C. Van Housen.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
E. P. Deames.....	Brocton.....	Edgar.....

MAY 5, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Wandell Topping	Chicago	Cook
Milton A. Sherman	do	do
Minnie B. Koehler	do	do
Ella B. Klenha	do	do
Arthur C. Bloyney	do	do
Louis L. Legg	Monmouth	Warren
O. J. Egnell	Paxton	Ford
George Church	McLean	McLean

MAY 6, 1902.

Alfred E. Rose	Chicago	Cook
Emil Weeger, Jr.	do	do
Adalbert Stein	do	do
Harry Lea Dodson	do	do
John B. Crabtree	Dixon	Lee
Anna C. Riesz	Peoria	Peoria
William Randecker	Bloomington	Du Page
Sylvester Halbrooks	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson

MAY 7, 1902.

Emma W. Spengler	Chicago	Cook
Joseph Roth	do	do
Joseph Meyer	do	do
Guido E. Lob	do	do
Peter P. Hauber	do	do
John F. Hecox	do	do
George H. Shay	do	do
Vincent G. Ponc	do	do
James W. Jordan	do	do
Fred C. Goodspeed	do	do
Thomas C. Rose	New Milford	Winnebago
H. J. Gripp	Moline	Rock Island
M. J. Flanigan	Peoria	Peoria
B. G. Richmond	Elburn	Kane
A. F. Moore	Sheldon	Iroquois
I. A. McCollom	Kingston	DeKalb
Howard Wood Hayes	Chicago	Cook
Charles Spaeth	do	do
C. H. Perrigo	do	do
Sheldon H. Haddock	do	do
W. E. Atkinson	Urbana	Champaign

MAY 9, 1902.

Ernst M. Schultz	Chicago	Cook
Edwy Logan Reeves	do	do
Joseph C. Pisha	do	do
John F. Otto	do	do
John F. Norton	do	do
Robert S. McClure	do	do
Burton F. Lewis	do	do
Douglas C. Gregg	do	do
Rudolph Dobry	do	do
William F. Dietzel, Jr.	do	do
Frank A. Dailey	do	do
George Burkart	do	do
Leon A. Bereznjak	do	do
C. A. Atkinson	do	do
Benjamin P. Hinman, Jr. .	Kenilworth	do
John J. Peters	Gross Point	do
Elsie C. Sculley	East St. Louis	St. Clair
John G. Pletsch	Granville	Putnam
Wm. F. Ross	Galeonda	Pope

May 9, 1902—Continued.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Elijah Etter	Waverly	Morgan.....
William C. Voss.....	Geneseo	Henry
John W. Boyd.....	Rantoul	Champaign.....
J. H. Allio.....	Mulberry Grove	Bond
Charles L. Bartlett.....	Quincy	Adams
James T. Stafford.....	Cobden	Union.....
Will H. McConnell.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Geo. E. Martin.....	Mound City	Pulaski.....
Philip N. Granville	Galesburg	Knox
John R. Moore.....	Kewanee	Henry
John P. Sverak.....	Chicago.....	Cook

MAY 10, 1902.

Austin O. Sexton.....	Chicago	Cook
Cora C. Powell.....	do	do
Henry C. Munstermann	do	do
Samuel B. Lingle.....	do	do
G. Adam Bruck.....	do	do
Charles Bock, Jr.	do	do
John W. Bennett.....	do	do
Franz Schack.....	do	do
Christopher J. Reed.....	do	do
E. H. Elliott.....	do	do
Phelps B. Hoyt.....	do	do
Henry W. Boerner.....	do	do
Robert E. Barbee.....	do	do
Allison Clark.....	Creal Springs.....	Williamson
Thomas F. Holifield.....	Temple Hill.....	Pope
Peter Lux.....	Lovington.....	Moultrie.....
Philipp Volk.....	Marine.....	Madison
John W. Scott.....	North Chicago.....	Lake
George W. Odell.....	Burnt Prairie.....	White.....
Alval F. Kennelly.....	Decatur	Macon
Geo. V. Helfrich.....	Carthage	Hancock.....
Jennie Kirk.....	Grove City	Christian.....
Walter I. Manny.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown

MAY 12, 1902.

Bessie K. Niestadt.....	Chicago	Cook
Theodore K. Long.....	do	do
Edgar R. Hawley.....	do	do
Loretto Dillon.....	do	do
Henry Weil.....	do	do
Herman W. Stroker.....	do	do
Robert L. Pitte.....	do	do
Adolph Pike.....	do	do
Oscar A. Lewis.....	do	do
M. H. Hoey.....	do	do
A. E. Kurch.....	Metropolis.....	Massac
W. H. Palmer.....	Peters Creek.....	Hardin
S. F. Schecter.....	Danville.....	Vermilion
John R. Robinson.....	Farmer City	DeWitt.....
Minnie M. Hallam.....	Monmouth.....	Warren
Frank S. Strattan.....	Chicago	Cook

MAY 13, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
I. J. Stuart.....	Chicago	Cook
Paul E. Zimmerman	do	do
Henry O. Day	do	do
Herbert H. Reed.....	do	do
Theodore C. Mayer.....	do	do
E. C. Hamburger.....	do	do
Gustav Tegeler.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island
Arthur Nelson.....	Galesburg	Knox
William D. Keenan.....	Annapolis	Crawford
W. O. Cadwallader.....	London Mills	Fulton
Jennie S. Dittus.....	Union Hill.....	Kankakee
N. F. Anderson.....	Galva	Henry

MAY 14, 1902.

Frank A. Forbich.....	Chicago	Cook
C. E. Pitcher, Jr.	do	do
Howard Earl Young	do	do
Eva M. Talcott.....	do	do
Frank S. Pagin.....	do	do
Chester B. Masslich.....	do	do
Joseph W. Hays.....	do	do
Charles L. Ewert.....	do	do
C. K. Dewar.....	do	do
William Clettenberg.....	do	do
Jesse Black, Jr.	Pekin	Tazewell
C. E. Gard.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
Herbert F. Atkins.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
Lottie B. Rankin	Normal	McLean
Oscar Allen.....	Lincoln	Logan
Frank M. Caldwell.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson
George R. Berriman.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon

MAY 15, 1902.

Henry J. Jacobs.....	Chicago	Cook
William G. Fuller.....	do	do
Adolph Erickson.....	do	do
Nicholas J. Dalliden	do	do
John Adamowski.....	do	do
Henry Westheim.....	do	do
M. R. Rochford.....	do	do
Robert Lewis Ames.....	do	do
Walter Butz.....	Wilmette	do
Fred F. Fargo.....	Dixon	Lee
Morrison H. Vail.....	do	do
M. H. Carr.....	Hidalgo.....	Jasper

MAY 16, 1902

N. L. Piotrowski.....	Chicago	Cook
Henry Pike.....	do	do
J. Frank Neff.....	do	do
James McEnerny.....	do	do
Wesley H. Mains.....	do	do
R. A. Vandenburg.....	do	do
Hart J. Fitzgerald.....	do	do
Henry Drucker.....	do	do
Jessie H. Rankin.....	Oak Park	do
E. Curtis Dudley.....	Evanston.....	do
Isaac S. Storm.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby
Flora E. Phillips.....	Shirland.....	Winnebago
Robert Alsop.....	New Douglas.....	Madison
Henry K. Coale.....	Highland Park.....	Lake
Harry E. Schroeder.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....

MAY 17, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank T. Winslow.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Walter Ayer.....	..do.....	..do.....
Nicholas F. Relewicz.....	..do.....	..do.....
John Ploss.....	..do.....	..do.....
H. W. Plantz.....	..do.....	..do.....
William H. Holden.....	..do.....	..do.....
G. M. Loosley.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
M. M. Morrissey.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Ira C. Gibbons.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Lloyd L. Grable.....	Naples.....	Scott.....
R. P. Easton.....	Herscher.....	Kankakee.....

MAY 19, 1902.

Albert W. Gottschalk.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Carl M. Pedersen.....	..do.....	..do.....
Emanuel Weil.....	..do.....	..do.....
P. H. Luethje.....	Streator.....	LaSalle.....
Edward R. Morgan.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Thos. E. Burrus.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
August Schoeverling.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Rosabelle E. Priddat.....	..do.....	..do.....

MAY 20, 1902.

Dudley Taylor.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
F. C. Taylor.....	..do.....	..do.....
Nicholas R. Finn.....	..do.....	..do.....
C. E. Becker.....	..do.....	..do.....
Louis D. Arford.....	..do.....	..do.....
Walter F. Lewis.....	Evanston.....	..do.....
C. H. Harbert.....	..do.....	..do.....
Horace J. Eggmann.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Joseph I. Lang.....	Woodstock.....	McHenry.....
Frances E. Colburn.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.....
Hale Johnson.....	Newton.....	Jasper.....
Thomas Watts.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
James T. Morris.....	Eden.....	..do.....
Carrie D. Merrill.....	Carthage.....	Hancock.....
Leonard E. DeWolf.....	Wheaton.....	DuPage.....
Fred Ball.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt.....
William Scaife.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....

MAY 21, 1902.

William H. P. Weston.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Rupert J. Livesey.....	..do.....	..do.....
Matthew F. Blondell.....	..do.....	..do.....
Warren E. Colburn.....	..do.....	..do.....
Frank B. Bicknell.....	..do.....	..do.....
D. J. Hull.....	Riverside.....	..do.....
C. H. Denison.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....
William F. Clendenin.....	Sparta.....	Randolph.....
Geo. R. Haines.....	Baylis.....	Pike.....
W. L. Palmer.....	Thompsonville.....	Franklin.....
Samuel G. Parks.....	DuQuoin.....	Perry.....
Henry L. Bozeman.....	Carmi.....	White.....
Maud H. Clucas.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Charles Baker.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John Minta.....	..do.....	..do.....

MAY 22, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Conrad Heegn.....	Chicago	Cook.....
M. M. Mitchell.....	do.....	do.....
Emil H. Seeman.....	do.....	do.....
Harvey E. Wynekoop.....	do.....	do.....
J. C. Scheddy.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Percival.....	do.....	do.....
Frank A. Kwasigroch.....	do.....	do.....
Cyrus W. George.....	do.....	do.....
Daniel E. Devlin.....	do.....	do.....
William Stewart Bell.....	do.....	do.....
Edward E. Rollins.....	East Lynn.....	Vermilion.....
G. Albert Johnson.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Owen Anderson.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
P. J. Lucey.....	Streator.....	do.....
Frank W. Crane.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown.....
Harry E. Dickinson.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Geo. Buckler.....	Oakland.....	Coles.....
W. R. Heckert.....	Johannesburg.....	Washington.....

MAY 23, 1902.

Mary Burke.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Burt Brown Barker.....	do.....	do.....
Theodore Johnson.....	do.....	do.....
John P. Gehring.....	do.....	do.....
Wells M. Cook.....	do.....	do.....
Grace E. Gordon.....	Morgan Park.....	do.....
J. N. Bozorth.....	Keenville.....	Wayne.....
Wm. J. Rainey.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Geo. A. Sentel.....	Sullivan.....	Moultrie.....
S. L. Thomson.....	Little York.....	Warren.....
Gertrude C. Koch.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
Max F. Leibel.....	Manlius.....	Bureau.....
John L. Bunch.....	Greenville.....	Bond.....

MAY 24, 1902.

Frank A. Cole.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Edwin J. Mosser.....	do.....	do.....
Edward J. Tobin.....	do.....	do.....
Mathew F. Raftree.....	do.....	do.....
Max Feilschmidt.....	do.....	do.....
Fred W. Brummel.....	do.....	do.....
S. Falk.....	do.....	do.....
Christian R. Walleck.....	do.....	do.....
John H. Waters.....	do.....	do.....
H. M. Ruggles.....	do.....	do.....
Peter Niland.....	do.....	do.....
Henry E. Marble.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur Luehr.....	do.....	do.....
G. Langhenry.....	do.....	do.....
Lionel Greenburg.....	do.....	do.....
William G. Hoag.....	Evanston.....	do.....
Harry Bickford Doten.....	Chillicothe.....	Peoria.....
Wm F. Vogel.....	North Peoria.....	do.....
Aaron A. O'Kane.....	Polo.....	Ogle.....
Frank E. Lacey.....	Havana.....	Mason.....
Will M. Stewart.....	Geneseo.....	Henry.....
David N. Clandon.....	Meadows.....	McLean.....

MAY 26, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edwin H. Duensing.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas W. Prindeville.....	do	do
Louis Schmalz	do	do
John Schurz.....	do	do
S. W. Scott.....	do	do
A. H. Cowing	Peotone	Will
Charles A. Kimmel.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
W. P. Aldridge	New Haven	Gallatin
H. B. Dines.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Mathias J. Kramp	Springfield	Sangamon
Bella M. James.....	Centralia	Marion
John A. Brown	Decatur	Macon.....
Rosa Voelcker.....	do	do
William H. Conrad.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
Edward Shaw	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Alexander C. Ramsay.....	Chicago	Cook
John J. McGurn.....	do	do
Sylvester A. McCartney	do	do

MAY 27, 1902.

Todd Lunsford	Chicago	Cook
William G. Diederich.....	do	do
Maurice L. Ash.....	do	do
E. C. Shelly.....	do	do
Isaac Rodrick.....	do	do
H. D. Ogden.....	do	do
Christian H. Hanson.....	do	do
J. A. Burhans.....	Evanston	do
Oscar E. Taylor.....	Grossdale	do
Kate F. O'Connor	Rockford	Winnebago
L. C. Flanders.....	Upper Alton	Madison
John Stout.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
John H. Brevoort	Bennington	Marshall.....
Albert H. Mathier.....	Lincoln	Logan
H. C. Coykendall	Elmwood	Peoria.....

MAY 28, 1902.

J. F. Hess	Chicago	Cook
L. W. May	do	do
D. C. McLain	do	do
John Q. A. Rugg	do	do
H. F. Kayser.....	Litchfield	Montgomery
George F. Ort.....	Chicago	Cook
Margaret C. Wich.....	Quincy	Adams.....

MAY 29, 1902.

T. F. Andrews.....	Chicago	Cook
Cassius C. Cezad	do	do
Charles A. Olson	do	do
Payson Thompson	do	do
Matta Barr.....	Joliet	Will
Robert Bickenbach	Freeport	Stephenson.....
James A. Wallace.....	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Thomas C. Skaryszewski.....	Chicago	Cook

MAY 31, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
R. D. Vandermeer.....	Chicago	Cook
H. Worthington Judd.....	..do .....	..do
Harlan W. Cooley.....	..do .....	..do
R. J. Champlin .....	..do .....	..do
Ownly Furman	Harrisburg.....	Saline
James H. Sedgwick.....	Peoria	Peoria.....
George L. L. Bentley	Elmwood .....	..do
Wm. N. McNaught	Lexington	McLean
John M. Howerton	New Burnside	Johnson
Fred E. Thompson	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Charles D. Etnyre.....	Oregon	Ogle

JUNE 2, 1902.

Louis A. Mueller	Chicago	Cook
Nora B. Hutchinson .....	..do .....	..do
George D. Emme .....	..do .....	..do
Charles P. Abbey .....	..do .....	..do
Alfred J. Tengwald .....	..do .....	..do
Frederick A. Rowe .....	..do .....	..do
F. A. Nelson .....	..do .....	..do
Samuel Danziger .....	..do .....	..do
W. R. Corgan	DuBois	Washington
Elmer E. Morgan	Moline	Rock Island
John L. Hamilton	Hoopeston	Vermilion
Eliza B. Cowlin	Woodstock	McHenry
Fred H. Reed	Morris	Grundy
William R. Dodge	Belvidere	Boone
David E. Propst	Springfield.....	Sangamon

JUNE 3, 1902.

Martha Elvert	Chicago	Cook
Daniel Morse Elliott .....	..do .....	..do
William J. Chandler .....	..do .....	..do
H. F. Brainard	LaGrange .....	..do
Clarence S. Williams	Yorkville	Kendall
James F. Galvin.....	Aurora	Kane

JUNE 4, 1902.

John C. Walsh.....	Chicago	Cook
Nellie M. Symes.....	..do .....	..do
Axel W. Peterson .....	..do .....	..do
Lydia Kuebler .....	..do .....	..do
Charles N. Goodnow .....	..do .....	..do
Samuel H. Adams.....	..do .....	..do
Samuel Winter .....	..do .....	..do
R. J. Slater .....	..do .....	..do
John Smolik .....	..do .....	..do
Hardin J. Burlingame .....	..do .....	..do
Fred P. Etling	Floraville	St. Clair
M. M. McConaughy	Belleville .....	..do
Edmund Burke	Springfield	Sangamon
William S. Patterson .....	..do .....	..do
John J. Longabaugh	Grays Lake	Lake
W. M. Masters	Ryder	Jefferson
Chas. L. Ritter	Murphysboro	Jackson
E. P. Easterday	Mound City	Pulaski
Herbert S. Guy	Pittsfield	Pike
Allen Ozburn	Pineknayville	Perry
Harry L. Fordham	Compton	Lee
Peter Lycurgus Kohle.....	Metamora	Woodford

JUNE 5, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Philip J. Busch.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
N. H. Boller.....	do.....	do.....
Cameron Barber.....	do.....	do.....
Walter R. Howard.....	do.....	do.....
Jacob M. Leventhal.....	do.....	do.....
Marshall C. Smith.....	do.....	do.....
Luta Skaggs.....	Pekin.....	Tazewell.....
Daniel J. Brady.....	Highwood.....	Lake.....
Alvah S. Green.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
W. C. Downing.....	Capron.....	Boone.....
Emory O. Peck.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....

JUNE 6, 1902.

James M. Bair.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles L. Binns.....	do.....	do.....
William E. Coddling.....	do.....	do.....
Paul Larmer.....	do.....	do.....
Henry Lorenzen.....	do.....	do.....
John L. Manning.....	do.....	do.....
John Jack.....	Cave-in-Rock.....	Hardin.....
Eugene Head.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
Geo. A. Cooke.....	Aledo.....	Mercer.....
William P. Fearer.....	Oregon.....	Ogle.....
Bert Gunn.....	Tonica.....	LaSalle.....
J. J. Ludens.....	Fulton.....	Whiteside.....
Edward Boening.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
J. B. Freeland.....	do.....	do.....

JUNE 7, 1902.

Milton P. Shrock.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Samuel M. Morgan.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Whitfield.....	do.....	do.....
William C. McClain.....	do.....	do.....
Sol. Levisohn.....	do.....	do.....
Frank P. Clark.....	do.....	do.....
Willard Moffett.....	Morgan Park.....	do.....
Walter Bennett.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Ben F. Brady.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
Grace Harder.....	Pittsfield.....	Pike.....
Seth K. Cherrington.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Joseph Nader.....	Kickapoo.....	Peoria.....
G. A. Seutt.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
William F. Grosser.....	Oak Park.....	Cook.....

JUNE 9, 1902.

James B. Gascoigne.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Wesley D. Palmer.....	do.....	do.....
Edwin Terwilliger, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Augustus M. White.....	do.....	do.....
Robert C. Burchell.....	Erie.....	Whiteside.....
D. L. d' Elysee.....	Samoth.....	Massac.....
J. P. Streuber.....	Highland.....	Madison.....
Michael Hanifen.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
Everhart McGilton.....	Clay City.....	Clay.....
Earle L. Peterson.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
J. E. Millard.....	East Peoria.....	Tazewell.....
John C. Quinn.....	Trowbridge.....	Shelby.....
G. E. Harlan.....	Cisco.....	Piatt.....
Fred W. Rogers.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

JUNE 10, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Sadie Wolf.....	Chicago	Cook
William J. Weldon.....	do	do
George H. Taylor.....	do	do
John J. O'Connor.....	do	do
Elma L. Mathews.....	do	do
Thomas Marshall.....	do	do
Herbert F. Lee.....	do	do
D. Alois Jilly.....	do	do
W. Foster Burns.....	do	do
Urbano Urbano.....	Kensington	do
Riley M. Damron.....	Progress.....	Union.....
F. J. Hennessy.....	Chebanse.....	Kankakee
Louis Rabideau.....	Clifton.....	Iroquois
Lennea A. Larson.....	Cambridge.....	Henry

JUNE 11, 1902.

T. N. Cofer.....	Charleston	Coles.....
Addie M. Uran.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
Canby A. Barley.....	LeRoy	McLean
A. G. Abney.....	Harrisburg	Saline
Geo. W. Hoover.....	Oak Park	Cook.....
Thomas Barret.....	Summit.....	do
P. Schultz Tlce.....	Chicago	do
John C. Ahrensfield.....	do	do
Charles W. Espey.....	do	do
Emanuel S. Hartman.....	do	do
James M. Slattery.....	do	do
Frank J. Wisner.....	do	do
H. A. Sternbergl.....	Dundee.....	Kane.....
John Listmann.....	Beardstown	Cass.....
D. Heinsheimer, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook.....

JUNE 12, 1902.

A. S. Larson.....	Chicago	Cook
Wilbur Lucas.....	do	do
Josephine Lynch.....	do	do
Calvin E. Patton.....	do	do
Solon H. Rugg.....	do	do
H. T. Spiesberger.....	do	do
Walter W. Wilcox.....	do	do
Edward R. Davery.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Chas. W. Wedemann.....	Equality.....	Gallatin

JUNE 13, 1902.

Harry J. Simpson.....	Chicago	Cook
Henry Knaus.....	do	do
Harriette Eytenbenz.....	do	do
Edward G. Henkel.....	do	do
Charles A. Lowery.....	Tower Hill.....	Shelby.....
A. B. Whittaker.....	Raymond.....	Montgomery.....
Erhard Latowsky.....	New Douglas.....	Madison.....
Al. F. Schoch.....	Ottawa.....	La Salle
W. H. Fulton.....	Camargo.....	Douglas

JUNE 14, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Iver L. Quailes.....	Chicago	Cook
John W. Cremens	do	do
L. N. Considine	do	do
Anna Colburn	do	do
Franklin P. Jackson	West Grossdale	do
John C. Lampen	Carlyle	Clinton
S. H. Manering	Olmsted	Pulaski
John Nicholls	Decatur	Macon
Wm. R. Rogers	Yorktown	Bureau
Charles M. Clark	Rockford	Winnebago
R. H. Flannigan	East St. Louis	St. Clair

JUNE 16, 1902.

William A. Sheridan	Chicago	Cook
Patrick F. McCarthy	do	do
Ann M. Kleinman	do	do
Elmer W. Adkinson	do	do
Benj. F. Webb	do	do
Elmer E. Pierce	do	do
E. L. Jones	do	do
Hallis A. Fox	do	do
James C. Woodburn	Byron	Ogle
T. J. Friend	Fandon	McDonough
E. L. Kellogg	Kewanee	Henry
Nellie M. Perce	Cairo	Alexander
Lewis Henkell	Granville	Putnam
J. B. Wallbridge	Hoopeston	Vermilion

JUNE 17, 1902.

Andrew Rost, Jr.	Chicago	Cook
W. M. Richards	do	do
Ernest Messner	do	do
Max Koppel	do	do
John C. Hoof	do	do
Charles Maxwell Ackerman	do	do
Geo. E. Brown	do	do
William H. McSurely	do	do
Victor C. Sanborn	do	do
Minnie E. Hughes	Wilmette	do
Tunis Young	Cissna Park	Iroquois
Alonzo Ellis	Winchester	Scott
C. B. Peach	Lebanon	St. Clair
Chan S. Marvin	LaFayette	Stark
Milton Barbee	Shelbyville	Shelby
Reuben J. Goddard	Sparta	Randolph
Carrie M. Norris	Charleston	Coles
Loren M. Briggs	Buck Horn	Brown

JUNE 18, 1902.

Joseph Weissenbach	Chicago	Cook
Mary E. Sweany	do	do
Herbert Preston	do	do
Nicholas J. Demerath	do	do
Louis Rathje	do	do
Chas. P. Mitchell	do	do
Alexander P. Mackinnon	do	do
G. Russell Leonard	do	do
Julius Griesheim	do	do
A. M. Garwood	do	do
Benjamin W. Pope	DuQuoin	Perry
W. B. Prather	Athens	Menard
Glenn Robinson	Philo	Champaign
Charles Watkins	Danville	Vermilion
D. A. Sheehan	Chicago	Cook

JUNE 19, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
G. F. Cecil.....	Chicago	Cook
Maude E. Rominger.....	do	do
John H. Bahlmann.....	Goodenow.....	Will.....
Ernest Hipsley.....	Canton.....	Fulton.....
T. E. Baldwin.....	Stronghurst.....	Henderson.....
Alexander Whitecamp.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....
Thomas Fay.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

JUNE 20, 1902.

Ed. Surentin.....	Chicago	Cook
Harry H. Skinner.....	do	do
Otto P. Schoenwerk.....	do	do
Louis Marks.....	do	do
Alexander H. Doty.....	do	do
John W. Howell.....	Birmingham.....	Schuyler.....
Geo. F. McAllister.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Charles E. Selby.....	do	do
W. W. Hammond.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Geo. I. Van Ness.....	McLean.....	McLean.....
Jake E. Walters.....	Union.....	Cumberland.....
Richard R. Mitchell.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Benjamin F. Ellis.....	Augusta.....	Hancock.....

JUNE 21, 1902.

William Alton, Jr.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles Haussner.....	do	do
Jacob C. Portis.....	do	do
Chandler S. Redfield.....	do	do
E. Howard Rumbold.....	do	do
John Oliver Wagner.....	do	do
John M. Schroeder.....	do	do
John A. H. Kerr.....	do	do
Joseph B. Scudamore.....	Wayne City.....	Wayne.....
R. D. Weitzel.....	Harvard.....	McHenry.....
John W. Matheny.....	Newton.....	Jasper.....
Horace S. Webster.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Arthur Welding.....	Spring Hill.....	Whiteside.....
Fred A. Wirick.....	Rochelle.....	Ogle.....

JUNE 23, 1902.

Harry P. Houghton.....	Chicago	Cook
Theresa Hajicek.....	do	do
Lester Phillips.....	do	do
W. H. Kist.....	do	do
Herman Hachmeister.....	do	do
Lindsay Steele.....	Chester.....	Randolph.....
John C. Swank.....	Coal Valley.....	Rock Island.....
David G. Craig.....	Mound City.....	Pulaski.....
Peter M. Brown.....	Cable.....	Mercer.....
Bertram A. Franklin.....	Lexington.....	McLean.....
F. H. Mapes.....	Macomb.....	McDonough.....
U. G. Smith.....	Bardolph.....	do
William D. Curtis.....	Metropolis.....	Massac.....
W. H. Wing.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....

JUNE 24, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Lyle D. Taylor.....	Chicago	Cook
Conrad Kirchner.....	do	do
William Friedman.....	do	do
David L. Frank.....	do	do
Charles F. Durland.....	do	do
Joseph Cantor.....	do	do
J. Fred McGuire.....	do	do
John S. Derpa.....	do	do
Henry W. Ackhoff.....	do	do
D. C. Brinkerhoff.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
F. E. Farrell.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
George W. Rosebraugh.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Joseph Campbell.....	Coal City.....	Grundy.....
William E. Hender.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
A. J. Steidley.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Samuel R. Henry.....	Elmwood.....	Peoria.....
Daniel P. Truitt.....	Arcola.....	Douglas.....
Helen B. Osborn.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
William L. Brumback.....	Huntsville.....	Schuyler.....

JUNE 25, 1902.

Edgar A. Buzzell.....	Chicago	Cook
Henry C. Cooper.....	do	do
Edmund M. Dunne.....	do	do
Alfred H. Matthews.....	do	do
Allen G. Hawley.....	Lockport.....	Will.....
George H. Lindburg.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Frank Claus.....	Atlas.....	Pike.....
Calvin Green.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Will D. Newton.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Vernie A. Raymond.....	Morris.....	Grundy.....
W. H. Hart.....	Benton.....	Franklin.....
Ivory Quinby.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....

JUNE 26, 1902.

J. C. Thornbury.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles Matthia.....	do	do
M. Josephus Mauritzon.....	do	do
John Kowalski.....	do	do
S. Mayer.....	do	do
Julius Lowitz.....	do	do
George B. Farrar.....	do	do
Winfield S. Bowler.....	O'Fallon.....	St. Clair.....
C. D. Cable.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
O. L. Voigt.....	Olney.....	Richland.....
A. C. McBride.....	Paw Paw.....	Lee.....
Frank B. Zwick.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle.....
Thomas B. Martin.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Benj. C. Paine.....	Fairland.....	Douglas.....
Lawrence Bercek.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Fred Lowenthal.....	do	do
Francis M. Argo.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
Squire E. Marshall.....	Hazel.....	Jasper.....

JUNE 27, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
John T. Booz	Chicago	Cook
Frank G. Wright	do	do
Nathan Unger	do	do
L. W. Clifton	do	do
Clark Holbrook	Chicago Heights	do
D. P. H. Marshall	Perry	Pike
Nathan T. Pusey	Bloomington	McLean
M. M. Deel	Decatur	Macon
L. W. Curtis	Galesburg	Knox
Mabel Reynolds	Carmi	White
James O. Jones	Delavan	Tazewell
Guilford Clements	Camargo	Douglas

JUNE 28, 1902.

William H. Cobb	Chicago	Cook
Ernest Heim	do	do
George R. Kent	do	do
Mabel E. Bowen	do	do
William Schwemm	do	do
John M. Hoskins	do	do
William Mills	do	do
Ray N. Lloyd	do	do
S. E. Dauman	do	do
George A. Binford	do	do
E. J. Suddard	do	do
Wm. H. Voris	do	do
Charles W. Knapp	Spring Valley	Bureau
John M. Herget	Peoria	Peoria
A. J. Worman	Effingham	Effingham
J. Lee Crowder	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
Amos C. Horton	Rockford	Winnebago
Joseph R. Cullledge	Harrisburg	Saline
Garrett H. Baker	Urbana	Champaign
Frank Cole	Marshall	Clark
Bessie Gipps	Peoria	Peoria
Geo. W. Wood	Moline	Rock Island
C. C. Stevens	Pecatonica	Winnebago

JUNE 30, 1902.

Kate A. Costello	Chicago	Cook
Annie Conley	do	do
Edward Allaway	do	do
George Shriber	do	do
John N. Young	do	do
Willis F. Graham	Monmouth	Warren
M. H. Marshall	Marissa	St. Clair
Chas. F. Patterson	Sandoval	Marion

JULY 1, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Emil G. Seip.....	Chicago	Cook
J. B. Kenney.....	do	do
Charles E. Collins.....	do	do
Josef Smaha.....	do	do
L. E. Schiff.....	do	do
John C. Neltner.....	do	do
J. H. Floyd.....	Elgin	Kane.....
Celo B. Murray.....	Carlisle	Clinton
John A. McNeerney.....	Belle Rive.....	Jefferson
Geo. W. Gloss.....	Elgin	Kane.....
Warren W. Hickox.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
E. M. Mooberry.....	Windsor	Shelby
G. A. Hickman.....	Benton	Franklin.....
James C. Cox.....	Chicago	Cook
H. Woolner.....	do	do
Frederick J. Sanford	do	do

JULY 2, 1902.

A. H. Suhr.....	Chicago	Cook
Edmund S. Graf.....	do	do
Mary E. Maloney.....	do	do
Frank D. Mitchell.....	do	do
George T. Dyer.....	do	do
Hiram C. Bernstein.....	do	do
William C. Fricke.....	do	do
S. G. Cooper.....	East Alton	Madison
A. E. Finch.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
Edward J. Sweeney.....	Clinton	DeWitt.....
George W. Karns.....	Eldorado	Saline

JULY 3, 1902.

Michael Dominowski.....	Chicago	Cook
Edmund D. Adeock.....	do	do
L. B. Pennington.....	do	do
E. H. Bell.....	do	do
Carleton M. Vail.....	do	do
Simon Richter.....	do	do
Fred S. Abraham.....	do	do
John A. King.....	do	do
Merritt Martindale.....	do	do
Frank A. Helmer.....	do	do
Charles Scates.....	do	do
Theodore Harz.....	do	do
L. E. Scott.....	Rockford	Winnebago.....
John Haynes.....	Fort Gage	Randolph.....
L. A. Peregrine.....	Braceville	Grundy.....
J. H. B. Renfro.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson
Arthur Bulkley.....	Waukegan	Lake.....
Julia A. Daily.....	Canton	Fulton.....
James F. Lafferty.....	Danville	Vermilion.....
John Homer.....	Carlinville	Macoupin.....
H. C. Chaffin.....	Rinard	Wayne.....
Nathan Mead.....	Marion	Williamson

JULY 5, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
James Smetana.....	Chicago	Cook
Harold H. Rockwell.....	..do .....	..do
Daniel Dorsey.....	..do .....	..do
Joseph E. Ryan.....	..do .....	..do
May F. Huntoon.....	..do .....	..do
John W. Creekmur.....	..do .....	..do
S. Fred Egger.....	..do .....	..do
William A. Newman.....	..do .....	..do
Frederick L. Barker.....	Evanston.....	..do
L. H. Shelley.....	Decatur	Macon

JULY 7, 1902.

Ernest W. Bowles.....	Chicago	Cook
V. G. Palmer.....	Chicago Heights.....	..do
Herman A. Beekow.....	Chicago .....	..do
Montgomery B. Picket.....	River Forest .....	..do
Geo. W. Fithian.....	Newton.....	Jasper
Edmund Jackson.....	Fulton.....	Whiteside.....
William S. Parry.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
Louis H. Myers.....	Cairo.....	Alexander.....
Daniel Crabb.....	Delavan.....	Tazewell.....
D. D. Bruner.....	Industry.....	McDonough.....
G. T. Turner.....	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....

JULY 8, 1902.

W. H. Maple.....	Chicago	Cook
Frank L. Salisbury.....	..do .....	..do
William J. Evans, Jr.....	..do .....	..do
Siegfried F. Hirsch.....	..do .....	..do
L. M. Litzinger.....	..do .....	..do
Dean S. Conger.....	..do .....	..do
Claude N. Saum.....	..do .....	..do
Martin Hamm.....	Strasburg.....	Shelby.....
F. J. Davis.....	Tremont.....	Tazewell.....
O. E. Quade.....	Staunton.....	Macoupin.....
William M. Driggs.....	Watertown.....	Rock Island.....
William A. Wesner.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....

JULY 9, 1902.

Henry Butterfield.....	Chicago	Cook
Fred E. McCreedy.....	..do .....	..do
Jacob Rumpf.....	..do .....	..do
Frank M. Timms.....	..do .....	..do
William Schrieder.....	..do .....	..do
William Henry Boetter.....	..do .....	..do
Jno. W. Starkey.....	Roodhouse.....	Greene.....
Walter B. Riley.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Charles A. Barnes.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
Henry P. Sneed.....	Carmi.....	White.....
C. R. Thurlinell.....	McHenry.....	McHenry.....
Sol Hirsch.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Roy J. Ling.....	Minier.....	Tazewell.....
Miss Julia Buckmaster.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
Sam D. Short.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....

JULY 10, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Felix J. Griffin.....	Chicago	Cook
Lillian Foliart.....	do	do
Will H. Lyford	do	do
Pearl Mack	Carthage	Hancock
Anton Link	Peru	LaSalle
W. L. Ellwood.....	Peoria	Peoria
D. R. McFarlane	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....

JULY 11, 1902.

Frank C. Smith.....	Chicago	Cook
Ed Lewis.....	do	do
John A. Richert	do	do
Frederick G. Laird	do	do
Chas. A. Fern	do	do
W. W. Backman	do	do
Geo. B. Howard	do	do
Jennie M. Ball.....	do	do
Wm. Edwin Newlon.....	do	do
Edgar C. Seckner.....	do	do
Reinhart W. Hartwig	do	do
Shirley A. Jones.....	Springfield	Sangamon.....
Marion S. Whitley.....	Harrisburg	Saline
Ira Blake	Kewanee	Henry
J. Henry Baethke	do	do
J. M. Krebs	Carlyle	Clinton
E. L. DesJardins.....	Highwood	Lake

JULY 12, 1902.

Pierre E. Miller	Chicago	Cook
Otto Holz	do	do
S. J. Cotsworth	do	do
Parker W. Tefft	do	do
Merwin E. McDonald	do	do
Frank I. Moulton.....	do	do
Michael F. Barrett.....	do	do
Eugene G. Bassett	do	do
W. F. Dunham	do	do
Henry Heistand.....	do	do
Robert Y. Wallace	do	do
W. H. Warvel	do	do
Frank H. Wittenberg.....	do	do
E. Wayne Colby.....	Libertyville	Lake
Abbie M. Perkins	Aurora.....	Kane
Viggo Simonson	Downers Grove	DuPage.....

JULY 14, 1902.

Elva L. Abbott	Chicago	Cook
Charles F. Haas.....	do	do
Alice Nelson Lee	do	do
Stephen C. Lewis.....	Sumner.....	Lawrence.....
D. T. Hartwell.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....
William L. Spear	Rankin.....	Vermillion
Elmer E. Roberts	Ottawa	LaSalle
M. U. Woodruff.....	Springfield	Sangamon.....

JULY 15, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
John G. Seelonge.....	Chicago	Cook
Julius Marks	do	do
A. J. Makowski.....	do	do
Isabel C. Lee	do	do
Aaron Heines.....	do	do
A. K. Dempsey	do	do
P. R. Boylan.....	do	do
Carlos S. Andrews.....	do	do
J. N. Montray.....	Springerton.....	White
Wesley M. Owen.....	LeRoy	McLean.....
A. D. Mallory.....	Batavia	Kane
Lewis M. Little.....	Flora.....	Clay

JULY 16, 1902.

Joseph Woelky	Chicago	Cook
Alfred R. Urion	do	do
Sidney S. Pollock.....	do	do
John W. Pain.....	do	do
Burton D. Nichols	do	do
James I. Kilbridge.....	do	do
W. E. W. Johnson.....	do	do
William Houlahan.....	do	do
Isabella F. Hallott.....	do	do
Frank M. Dooley	do	do
Clinton S. Day.....	do	do
Mary M. Riefenstahl.....	Pekin	Tazewell
John L. Murphy.....	Spring Valley.....	Bureau
Richard D. Mills.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
John O'Dowd.....	Monmouth	Warren

JULY 17, 1902.

James A. Long.....	Chicago	Cook
L. P. Johnson.....	do	do
John C. Smith.....	do	do
Charles M. Waarich.....	do	do
James L. Daugherty.....	Streator	LaSalle
R. K. Shelledy.....	Paris.....	Edgar
J. K. Bumgardner.....	Taylorville.....	Christian
John H. Hogenson.....	Chicago	Cook
Edwin H. Helmig.....	Peru	LaSalle

JULY 18, 1902.

Edwin A. Sherburne.....	Chicago	Cook
Andrew J. Geary	do	do
Frederick H. Richardson.....	Tampico.....	Whiteside
Walter T. Gunn.....	Danville	Vermilion
Arthur L. Dates.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Marie Herman.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Charles C. Cromwell.....	do	do
M. L. Sniff.....	Princeville	Peoria
Gust. Gottfred.....	Rockford	Winnebago
Merville A. Carmack.....	Woodstock	McHenry
Samuel Stein.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas J. Peden.....	do	do
Josie E. Charlton.....	do	do

JULY 19, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William H. Richardson.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles W. Mills	do	do
George W. Hern.....	do	do
Vaclav Svatek.....	do	do
Olaf E. Ray.....	do	do
Geo. J. Langowski	do	do
Luella Lattin	do	do
William M. Johnston.....	do	do
M. M. Trumbauer	Polo	Ogle
Paul Kerz	Galena.....	Jo Daviess
Melborne S. Murphy.....	Warren	do
W. A. Rittenhouse	Ridgway	Gallatin
Geo. A. Van Dyke.....	Paris.....	Edgar
Lunda E. Ford.....	Vermilion	do
Jno. C. Hogsett.....	LaPrairie.....	Adams
A. F. Heineman.....	Bloomington	McLean.....

JULY 21, 1902.

Berger C. Jensen.....	Chicago	Cook
J. R. Mitchell.....	do	do
Levi Sprague.....	do	do
August J. Stepina.....	do	do
Frank E. Starr	do	do
George T. Steen	do	do
Bernard P. Webber	do	do
A. A. Westengard.....	do	do
William H. Werner	Blue Island	do
Anthony Gregson	Essex.....	Kankakee.....
J. I. Foreman.....	Quincy	Adams
Grace C. Crawley.....	Moline.....	Rock Island
John Lickiss.....	Steeleville.....	Randolph.....
Harry M. Miller	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Moses R. Cooper	Oquawka	Henderson

JULY 22, 1902.

William Henry Young.....	Chicago	Cook
Harold B. Webster.....	do	do
Austin L. Munsell	do	do
Richard Kennedy	do	do
John T. Gose	do	do
Chas. F. Schumacher, Jr	do	do
Josephine E. Foster	do	do
W. S. Ellis, Jr	LaGrange	do
Wm. T. Galt	Sterling	Whiteside
Elvin E. Parmenter.....	Rock Island	Rock Island.....
James O'Mara.....	Decatur	Macon.....
R. A. Webber.....	Urbana	Champaign.....
Emmet Griner.....	Witt	Montgomery
R. V. Field.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
George D. Kitch.....	Niantic	Macon.....
Chas. W. Benz.....	Chicago	Cook

JULY 23, 1902.

John P. Henninger.....	Chicago	Cook
Philip Jackson.....	do	do
Mary Perkinson.....	do	do
Mark E. Sherman	do	do
Louis C. Vogel	do	do
M. Weinschenk.....	do	do
T. L. Berry.....	Evanston	do
E. L. Emerson.....	New Windsor	Mercer
William B. Carlock	Bloomington	McLean.....
Christine Jacobsen.....	Chicago	Cook

JULY 24, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
J. H. Schlund.....	Chicago	Cook
George H. Peaks.....	do	do
Newton A. Partridge.....	do	do
Joseph C. Hoffmann.....	do	do
Harry W. French.....	do	do
James Franklin Witter.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Eugene A. Pearse.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
Thos. P. McDonnell.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Walter H. Hogle.....	Watseka.....	Iroquois.....

JULY 25, 1902.

Josef Tuma.....	Chicago	Cook
V. A. Geringer.....	do	do
Annie C. Courtenay.....	do	do
J. B. Sikking, Jr.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
J. P. Mountz.....	Williamsville.....	Sangamon.....
A. M. Duff.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....

JULY 26, 1902.

Albert R. Miller.....	Chicago	Cook
F. T. Guiteau.....	do	do
Francis Albert Russell.....	do	do
Edward S. Gard.....	do	do
Samuel Weisberg.....	do	do
A. H. Knoche.....	do	do
J. B. Guthrie.....	do	do
Nicholas Buschwah.....	do	do
E. R. Saylor.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Wilton Parsons.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
Frank L. Bunn.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Geo. W. Peters.....	Helena.....	Lawrence.....
J. T. Kretzinger.....	Latham.....	Logan.....
James M. Pillers.....	Steeleville.....	Randolph.....
Harmon P. Bozarth.....	Omaha.....	Gallatin.....

JULY 28, 1902.

Alvin W. Wise.....	Chicago	Cook
Edward G. Throckmorton.....	do	do
C. G. Nichols.....	do	do
William D. McKenzie.....	do	do
Donald M. Carter.....	do	do
Eugene C. Long.....	do	do
Adolph Levy.....	do	do
Henry Lewis.....	do	do
R. Burchim.....	do	do
Fred H. Magill.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt.....
P. Y. Smith.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
John M. Loges.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
A. W. Jamison.....	do	do
Harry E. Chace.....	Hoopeston.....	Vermillion.....

JULY 29, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles E. Wyman.....	Chicago	Cook
Ernest B. Graham	do	do
Lillian E. Gielen.....	do	do
J. Means Smith.....	do	do
Frank Fuchs.....	do	do
Gabriel Davoust.....	do	do
George H. Crowell	Paris.....	Edgar.....
Jonas W. Tucker	Downers Grove	DuPage
Robert L. Davis.....	Chicago	Cook
Mary E. Culver.....	Peoria	Peoria
Grace Alsip.....	Ogden	Champaign.....
Leonard E. Telleen	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....

JULY 30, 1902.

Harry Rubens.....	Chicago	Cook
Robert J. Fellingham.....	do	do
C. C. W. Rohrbeck	do	do
Thomas M. McHale	do	do
Rose Crummett	do	do
Louisa A. Alani	do	do
John Soffel.....	Maywood	do
M. R. Meents	Ashkum	Iroquois
Wm. H. Miller	Chillicothe	Peoria
H. H. Robinson	Rockford	Winnebago
G. R. Miller	do	do
A. J. Boutelle.....	Galesburg	Knox
J. H. Hanna	Monmouth	Warren
Isaac Mansbach	Chicago	Cook

JULY 31, 1902.

J. Bertram Wyckoff.....	Chicago	Cook
David T. Walsh	do	do
Francis E. Blalock	do	do
Carl W. Lemon.....	Clinton	DeWitt
William Sullivan.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

AUGUST 1, 1902.

Abijah O. Cooper.....	Chicago	Cook
Wm. V. Farrell	do	do
Edward Holy.....	do	do
Celestin Hurt.....	do	do
Margaret I. Sands	do	do
Andrew Campbell.....	West Chicago	DuPage.....
John W. Ellis.....	Rock	Pope
Frank E. Pomeroy	Carmi.....	White
John Hulsizer	Joliet	Will
E. W. Knoblauch	Eureka	Woodford
E. M. Sweeney	Williamsfield	Knox

AUGUST 2, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank J. Pechota.....	Chicago	Cook
Max Robinson.....	do	do
Otto S. Martin.....	do	do
William J. Enright.....	do	do
Frederich W. B. Coleman	do	do
S. N. Allyne.....	do	do
Alfred Comings.....	Cairo	Alexander
Hally Haight.....	Naperville.....	DuPage
Joseph A. Reuss	do	do
Geo. W. Jones.....	Carthage	Hancock.....
Robert Lathrop	Rockford	Winnebago
Hosmer P. Holland	do	do
George F. Jordan	Bloomington	McLean.....
Nellie L. Moore.....	Salem.....	Marion.....
Howard D. Gilman	Homer.....	Champaign.....
Andrew L. Chezen	Charleston	Coles

AUGUST 4, 1902.

Philipp Hanus.....	Chicago	Cook
Jas. E. Hartwell.....	do	do
Charles B. Chisholm	do	do
Lucius Teter	do	do
Fred Gerlach	Oak Park.....	do
Eugene Bauman	Quincy	Adams.....
Gustave A. Bauman	do	do
John P. Hartman.....	Versailles	Brown.....
August A. Nelson.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
A. F. Maunder.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
R. R. Fowler	Marion.....	Williamson

AUGUST 5, 1902.

Merton L. Pope.....	Chicago	Cook
Ludwig Loewenstein.....	do	do
Hattie J. Brown.....	do	do
Herman H. Breidt.....	do	do
C. P. Stratford	do	do
F. E. Wilson.....	Yates City.....	Knox.....
William E. Mabbs.....	Maryville	Madison.....
George Montooth.....	Ray	Schuyler
W. M. Mount.....	Delavan	Tazewell

AUGUST 6, 1901.

J. Aaron Adams.....	Chicago	Cook
Michael S. Madden.....	do	do
George A. McCorkle.....	do	do
Edward E. Perley.....	do	do
Harrison Kelley.....	do	do
Edward S. Smith.....	Batavia.....	Kane.....
James M. McKinney	Spring Garden	Jefferson.....
W. C. Huffman.....	Lawrenceville	Lawrence.....
James K. P. Ferrell.....	Karber's Ridge	Hardin.....
John A. Record.....	Arcola	Douglas.....
Hugh W. Pence.....	Fairbury	Livingston.....
C. P. Comegys.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....

AUGUST 7, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
W. H. Taylor	Greenville.....	Bond.....
Norman A. Jay	Steeleville.....	Randolph.....

AUGUST 8, 1902.

Thomas F. Spooner	Chicago	Cook
Philip E. Ilett	do	do
Siegmund Hecht	do	do
Frederick H. Kilbourn	do	do
Malcolm C. Harper	Evanston	do
F. E. Able	East St. Louis	St. Clair
J. T. McGaughey	Worden	Madison
J. F. Blankenship	Vandalla	Fayette
Rose A. Salat	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 9, 1902.

John Henry Maxwell	Chicago	Cook
Mark F. Madden	do	do
George P. Kirkpatrick	do	do
Jennie Johnson	do	do
Ferdinand K. Benzing	do	do
Charles H. M. Tobey	do	do
Edward McCann	do	do
John H. Williams	Elgin	Kane
Oscar F. Maxon	Danville	Vermillion

AUGUST 11, 1902.

Mary T. Hager	Chicago	Cook
Frank H. Novak	do	do
C. A. Franzen	Bensenville	DuPage

AUGUST 12, 1902.

M. J. Dunne	Chicago	Cook
Albert A. Johnston	do	do
Franz Koelling	do	do
Samuel Piris	do	do
Louis Sloman	do	do
Alexander Callender	Eureka	Woodford
W. L. Hipsley	Table Grove	Fulton
W. V. Hallford	Litchfield	Montgomery
Arthur G. Harris	Dixon	Lee
Thomas E. Brown	Danville	Vermillion
F. L. Carr	Wauconda	Lake
L. A. Cranston	Gibson City	Ford
Fred H. Sinclair	Martinsville	Clark
Benjamin J. Schiff	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 13, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Austin J. Rooney.....	Chicago	Cook
Harry F. Roberts.....	do	do
Bernard Petchaft.....	do	do
Gustav R. Wagner.....	do	do
Arthur M. Smith.....	do	do
J. J. Schaefer.....	do	do
Millie J. Frost.....	Clyde	do
Herman Struck.....	Pekin	Tazewell
Lewis Eiler.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Fred Zick.....	Polo	Ogle
Thomas V. Finney.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan
John Favorite.....	Charleston	Coles
Edward A. Wettergren.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
George W. Powell.....	Canton.....	Fulton
H. M. Vaught.....	Pinkstaff.....	Lawrence.....
J. I. Maple.....	Glasford.....	Peoria.....

AUGUST 14, 1902.

S. E. Dickinson.....	Chicago	Cook
Katherine Goulden.....	do	do
Cora B. Lamb.....	do	do
Joseph Ryan.....	do	do
H. S. Williams.....	Harvard.....	McHenry

AUGUST 15, 1902.

William H. Schroeder.....	Chicago	Cook
A. C. Tisdelle.....	do	do
Raymond O. Barnum.....	do	do
Rocco Giorgio.....	do	do
W. G. Hatch.....	do	do
James A. Hemingway.....	do	do
Phil S. Clinard.....	Oakland.....	Coles
Oscar Becherer.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....
Charles L. Capen.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
Daniel B. Kelly.....	Beverly.....	Adams.....
Frank S. Matousek.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Henry J. Goodrich.....	do.....	do.....

AUGUST 16, 1902.

M. S. Jones.....	Chicago	Cook
Felix Wyson.....	do	do
Albert Hellman.....	do	do
Clarence J. Blaker.....	do	do
D. W. Choisser.....	Harrisburg.....	Saline.....
John L. Duker.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
W. M. Briggs.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Silas G. Alexander.....	Clay City.....	Clay.....
Wm. D. Godfrey.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....

AUGUST 18, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry S. Lee	Chicago	Cook
Charles G. Sachse .....	..do .....	..do
Thomas F. Scully .....	..do .....	..do
W. A. Courtright .....	..do .....	..do
William H. Shapaker .....	..do .....	..do
Aaron Abel	Mattoon	Coles
James Milligan	Smithshire	Warren
Tomas Lupac	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 19, 1902.

Francis A. Barnes	Chicago	Cook
Henry Horner, Jr .....	..do .....	..do
Annie M. Knowles .....	..do .....	..do
Geo. W. W. Lytle .....	..do .....	..do
Harry S. Ross .....	..do .....	..do
Mary R. Walsh .....	..do .....	..do
John Reed Williams .....	..do .....	..do
Jacob L. King	Mill Creek	Union
Paul F. Grote	Pittsfield	Pike
John H. Gunn	Olney	Richland
Ella M. Farrington	East Peoria	Tazewell

AUGUST 20, 1902.

George R. Brown, Jr	Chicago	Cook
Arthur L. Greenberg .....	..do .....	..do
Harrie U. Hayden .....	..do .....	..do
Marinus Mathiesen .....	..do .....	..do
Walter O. Morse .....	..do .....	..do
James F. Hogue	Kansas	Edgar
Eva M. Martin	Litchfield	Montgomery
Jos. P. Durkin	Peoria	Peoria
John A. Wilkinson .....	..do .....	..do
Adam J. Kraft	Belleville	St. Clair
Frank Norwood	Elgin	Kane

AUGUST 21, 1902.

Olaf Egeland	Chicago	Cook
Peter Slakis .....	..do .....	..do
William A. Shryer .....	..do .....	..do
Samuel T. Bolin	Sullivan	Moultrie
Fred G. Oeltjen	Carlinville	Macoupin
T. A. White	Springfield	Sangamon
Frank H. Genesing	Moline	Rock Island

AUGUST 22, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Irene Johnson	Chicago	Cook
Louis Salinger	do	do
E. C. Zander	do	do
Gerald Barry	do	do
Otto Bergmann	do	do
Andrew F. Crane	do	do
M. W. Barrett	Sterling	Whiteside
Frank W. Harding	Monmouth	Warren
Jos. S. Mertz	Mound City	Pulaski
J. W. Haythorn	Richmond	McHenry
William P. Boynton	Alton	Madison
Richard Latham	Lincoln	Logan
Charles Horack	Streator	LaSalle
Arthur R. Hall	East Lynn	Vermilion
Calma Martin	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 23, 1902.

August Ehlebracht	Chicago	Cook
Henry Lesch	do	do
Edith Tyrrell	do	do
Frederick A. Schaaf	do	do
Charles B. Moore	do	do
Matthias W. Gallistel	do	do
Edmund W. Froehlich	do	do
Henry Doebler	do	do
Charles F. Davies	do	do
Benj. H. Canby	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Harry S. Kramer	do	do
W. C. Frank	Galesburg	Knox
Ed. B. Nolen	Benton	Franklin
Harriet L. Walton	Paxton	Ford
Clarence W. Danks	Clinton	DeWitt
M. Easterday	Cairo	Alexander
Frank Y. Hamilton	Bloomington	McLean
William Spensley	Galena	Jo Daviess
W. C. Sanders	Canton	Fulton

AUGUST 25, 1902.

Charles L. Grobecker	Chicago	Cook
Walter D. Herrick	do	do
Warren A. Lathrop	do	do
Henry H. Davis	do	do
L. J. Kendall	LaMoille	Bureau
J. W. Rue	Elgin	Kane
Helen A. David	Carlinville	Macoupin
Joseph McClelland	Harvard	McHenry
Andrew J. Seeley	Prophetstown	Whiteside
Jason L. Wilson	Joliet	Will
F. H. Barnes	Taylorville	Christian

AUGUST 26, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Herman F. Thurow	Chicago	Cook
Charles Forrest McLean	do	do
J. A. Ainsworth	do	do
Emilio A. Marchal	do	do
Albert B. George	do	do
John E. Hunt	Oak Park	do
Edward C. Schumacher	Bradley	Kankakee
George S. Doughty	Bushnell	McDonough
Robert Connolly	Springfield	Sangamon
Albert S. Radcliff	do	do
L. V. Snider	Dongola	Union
O. A. Krebs	Belleville	St. Clair

AUGUST 27, 1902.

Russell Wiles	Chicago	Cook
Arthur Stein	do	do
Ralph L. Rainbow	do	do
Wm. S. Mills	do	do
Samuel Kraus	do	do
Cora E. Hazlett	do	do
Emil J. Dirks	do	do
Arthur B. Jones	do	do
Arthur W. Draper	do	do
Augustus Binswanger	do	do
John T. Hunt	Macedonia	Hamilton
Ernest H. Black	Bloomington	McLean
R. M. Pollock	Gilman	Iroquois
J. B. Campbell	Stonefort	Saline
Stefan Abel	Chicago	Cook
Frank Schreiber	do	do

AUGUST 28, 1902.

William H. Banks	Chicago	Cook
Joseph C. Blaha	do	do
Webster H. Burke	do	do
William J. Kirk	do	do
James A. Shalek	do	do
Ed Arnold	Newton	Jasper
Charles F. Core	Homer	Champaign
John Terando	Spring Valley	Bureau
John A. Settle	Monmouth	Warren

AUGUST 29, 1902.

Daniel Truesdell Hickey	Chicago	Cook
David J. Hoskins	do	do
Nancy D. Sibley	do	do
Lynn Alfred Williams	do	do
Leroy Piper	Short	Greene
Tomasz Bednarek	Chicago	Cook

AUGUST 30, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles E. Stanley	Chicago	Cook
Emily W. Reich	do	do
Charles P. Miller	do	do
George W. Elder	do	do
John J. Cochran	do	do
Gertrude Niles	do	do
Walter G. Kraft	Oak Park	do
Sam L. Crane	Pittsfield	Pike
Fred H. Haskell, Jr.	Mendota	LaSalle
Estelle Messinger	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Harry M. Snape	Springfield	Sangamon

SEPTEMBER 2, 1902.

Paul Ariess	Chicago	Cook
Henry W. Fischer	do	do
Louis E. Hart	do	do
Paul Steinbrecker	do	do
W. A. Beeker	do	do
Ulrich Daniels	do	do
Emilio Longhi	do	do
Franklin C. Funk	Bluffs	Scott
Frank Trefzger	Peoria	Peoria
Caleb C. Johnson	Sterling	Whiteside
Ark Tenney	Johnsonville	Wayne
John M. Crayton	Potomac	Vermilion
S. M. Henderson	Waterman	DeKalb
Robert A. Patton	Prairie Home	Shelby
J. H. Jones	Elgin	Kane
H. M. Braun	French Village	St. Clair

SEPTEMBER 3, 1902.

Oscar H. Sippel	Chicago	Cook
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SEPTEMBER 4, 1902.

Harry Goodman	Chicago	Cook
August F. Siebel	do	do
Thomas C. Clendenning ..	do	do
John A. Walther	do	do
Jack Buchl	do	do
Grace Fancher	Springfield	Sangamon
A. H. Polk	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson

SEPTEMBER 5, 1902.

Clinton F. Rudolf	Chicago	Cook
J. Avis Bright	do	do
Michael Gesas	do	do
Peter A. Grossman	do	do
Albert J. Stone	do	do
L. G. Doyle	do	do
Charles K. Ladd	Kewanee	Henry
John S. Schnepf	Springfield	Sangamon
Wm. E. Scholz	Zion	Lake
J. Aug. Carlstrom	Rockford	Winnebago
S. P. Jenison	Rockton	do

SEPTEMBER 6, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
H. W. White.....	Chicago	Cook
Harry Wheeler Stone.....	do	do
Norman Speight	do	do
Ann L. O'Toole.....	do	do
J. A. Mayon.....	do	do
John E. Hoff.....	do	do
Harry W. Cooper.....	do	do
Timothy F. Byrne.....	do	do
Frank B. Buszin	do	do
Edward Brauer	do	do
Charles D. Sears	Illiopolis	Sangamon
Arthur H. Shay	Streator	LaSalle.....
Emma E. Messer	Onarga	Iroquois
Emery C. Graves.....	Geneseo	Henry
J. M. Hendricks.....	Avon.....	Warren
W. F. Spiller.....	Benton	Franklin
Fred Emmel.....	Vandalia	Fayette

SEPTEMBER 8, 1902.

Charles F. Taylor.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas E. Lannen.....	do	do
Adolph Kurz	do	do
Julius R. Kline	do	do
Frank K. Allen	do	do
William E. Williams.....	do	do
Sidney A. Clemons.....	do	do
Clyde Zumbrecher	do	do
Charles W. Huggins	do	do
John S. Felmley.....	Griggsville	Pike
John K. Crawford.....	Barry	do
Isaac M. Hornbacker	Peoria	Peoria
Strawther Givens	Abingdon.....	Knox
Foster I. Parks	Kankakee	Kankakee
John R. Shuey	Westfield	Clark
Pinckney J. Walker.....	Galatia	Saline

SEPTEMBER 9, 1902.

Samuel J. Ascher	Chicago	Cook
Charles E. Davis	do	do
Charles E. McKenzie	do	do
Adelor J. Pett.....	do	do
Verne S. Pease.....	do	do
E. D. Sigler.....	do	do
Charles S. Tuttle.....	do	do
N. Barsaloux	do	do
Lewis W. Mills	Wheaton	DuPage.....
Arthur R. Melton	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair

SEPTEMBER 10, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
P. S. Webster.....	Chicago	Cook
John Tainsh.....	..do .....	..do
Gerald C. Nichol .....	..do .....	..do
David F. Matchett.....	..do .....	..do
Morse Ives.....	..do .....	..do
George I. Haight.....	..do .....	..do
Lou M. Porter .....	..do .....	..do
David E. Terriere .....	..do .....	..do
Judson Peasley .....	..do .....	..do
W. A. Mehan	Mason City.....	Mason
Seymour Andrews	Centralla.....	Marion
Louis D. White.....	Decatur.....	Macon
James E. Jones.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee
Albert E. Bell	Casey.....	Clark
Josephine F. Bulkley.....	Joliet.....	Will
Thomas H. Land.....	Carmi.....	White
Ben C. Bond.....	Roseville.....	Warren
James M. McCulloch.....	Brownfield	Pope
Laura L. Fox.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt
Franklin M. McCann.....	Quincy.....	Adams
Michael Fahy.....	Toluca.....	Marshall
Eugene E. Bone.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
James D. Talbott.....	..do .....	..do

SEPTEMBER 11, 1902.

Lester Troup	Chicago	Cook.....
Mary E. Squire.....	..do .....	..do
Frank S. Righeimer.....	..do .....	..do
William J. McCullough.....	..do .....	..do
Wm. R. Johnson.....	..do .....	..do
Otto E. Jelinek.....	..do .....	..do
Ira A. Beck .....	..do .....	..do
M. R. Alton .....	..do .....	..do
John W. FitzGibbons	Joliet.....	Will.....
Lewis J. Hodge.....	Wenona.....	Marshall
Bertha S. Mellanson.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee
Edward A. Wood.....	..do .....	..do
William H. Fischer.....	Wheaton	DuPage

SEPTEMBER 12, 1902.

Clinton A. Stafford.....	Chicago	Cook
J. R. Seney.....	..do .....	..do
Christopher E. Millar.....	..do .....	..do
Samuel G. Hamblen.....	..do .....	..do
J. C. Binga.....	..do .....	..do
Wm. B. Miller .....	..do .....	..do
Martin Fanning.....	..do .....	..do
Patrick W. Byrne .....	..do .....	..do
Henry E. Moore	Wilmette.....	..do
George H. Wilson.....	Quincy.....	Adams
Joseph G. Hallahan.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
George K. Ingham.....	DeWitt.....	Clinton
Melvin A. Kidder.....	Monmouth.....	Warren
Charles J. Major.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Geo. E. Howard.....	..do .....	..do
J. T. Cleveland.....	..do .....	..do

SEPTEMBER 13, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Martin R. W. Russell	Chicago	Cook
Henry Roth	do	do
Morris Kompel	do	do
E. J. Batten	do	do
Francis V. Putnam	do	do
L. Compondu	do	do
Otto W. Wittke	do	do
Henry Weiss	do	do
John C. Neely	do	do
Charles Jahnke	do	do
W. F. Henderson	do	do
W. M. Cook	do	do
Benj. S. Cable	do	do
W. D. Upton	Mill Shoals	White
Edward P. McDaniel	Bloomington	McLean
William K. Bracken	do	do
James F. Sperry	Champaign	Champaign
Jules B. Guignon	East St. Louis	St. Clair
R. B. Morton	do	do
E. A. Siefert	Belleville	do
J. L. Hammerich	Moline	Rock Island
James W. Short	Percy	Randolph
Edward B. Clark	Golconda	Pope
J. B. Cundiff	Utica	LaSalle
Albert H. Sears	Plano	Kendall
Lizzie A. Rifenerick	Quincy	Adams

SEPTEMBER 15, 1902.

Charles Weinfeld	Chicago	Cook
William Pettis	do	do
C. C. Mitchell	do	do
Albert Kocourek	do	do
Henry A. Klein	do	do
Ernest W. Bock	do	do
John Bednorz	do	do
Rudolph A. Wolke	do	do
William E. Renich	do	do
William W. Bell	do	do
T. R. Bolt	Viola	Mercer
J. E. Barnes	Kilbourne	Mason
Arthur A. Lowry	Pontiac	Livingston
Chas. A. Shuey	Westfield	Clark
Michael J. Welch	Bureau	Bureau
Ed. D. Griggs	Jerseyville	Jersey
Miles A. Barber	Dix	Jefferson
Walker Holland	Loami	Sangamon
George W. Rodgers	Chicago	Cook
Otto E. Weber	do	do

SEPTEMBER 16, 1902.

Charles I. Button	Chicago	Cook
Harry C. Edmonds	do	do
Joseph Fox	do	do
Annie R. Wallace	do	do
Winfield Scott Smyth, Jr	do	do
George H. Lambert	do	do
C. M. Feigel	do	do
William F. Keith	Elmwood	Will
William L. Ludolph	Rock Island	Rock Island
Robert L. Watson	Aledo	Mercer
F. W. Meister	Mt. Pulaski	Logan
W. S. Eaton	Stockton	Jo Daviess
Jesse H. Despain	Danville	Vermilion
Charles T. Bouillon, Sr	Carlinville	Macoupin
Lulu Beebe	Kankakee	Kankakee
B. F. Thacker	Beardstown	Cass

SEPTEMBER 17, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Albert V. de Roode.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
William M. Jenkins.....	do.....	do.....
D. P. Kinsella.....	do.....	do.....
Stewart M. Murdoch.....	do.....	do.....
W. H. McGeashon.....	do.....	do.....
Fred A. Ring.....	do.....	do.....
W. B. Hummer.....	LaSalle.....	LaSalle.....

SEPTEMBER 18, 1902.

Eugene D. Elliott.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Morris M. Ferguson.....	do.....	do.....
Harry Greenburg.....	do.....	do.....
Louis R. Hirsh.....	do.....	do.....
Sol. H. Marks.....	do.....	do.....
Milton P. Randall.....	do.....	do.....
Oscar Rabe.....	do.....	do.....
T. S. Tredwell.....	do.....	do.....
Henry H. Davis.....	do.....	do.....

SEPTEMBER 19, 1902.

Donald M. Cameron.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Harry F. Curry.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Godfree.....	do.....	do.....
L. A. Knuth.....	do.....	do.....
M. E. Mattingly.....	do.....	do.....
Samuel Z. Pincus.....	do.....	do.....
William A. C. Smith.....	do.....	do.....
Clifford N. White.....	do.....	do.....
Ole J. Nelson.....	Morris.....	Grundy.....

SEPTEMBER 20, 1902.

Byron Boyden.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George H. Detlor.....	do.....	do.....
George L. Ford.....	do.....	do.....
E. C. Glenn.....	do.....	do.....
Cassius Shotwell, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
William I. Snow.....	do.....	do.....
Samuel J. Howe.....	do.....	do.....
Richard Halm.....	do.....	do.....
John Gray.....	do.....	do.....
Sue E. Sanders.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Ed. M. Spiller.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....
John J. Crowder.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
O. L. Armstrong.....	Hidalgo.....	Jasper.....
H. S. Burbes.....	Chester.....	Randolph.....

SEPTEMBER 22, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Joseph A. Gibbons	Chicago	Cook
Harriet M. Smith .....	..do .....	..do
Frank Stewart .....	..do .....	..do
Enos W. Shaw .....	..do .....	..do
George Manierre .....	..do .....	..do
H. H. Hewes .....	..do .....	..do
Fred C. Bell .....	..do .....	..do
P. M. James	Amboy	Lee
Delos Robinson	Sheridan	LaSalle
Chester M. Turner	Cambridge	Henry
R. R. Barnett	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Maud Barter	Harrisburg	Saline
Leroy G. Whitmer	Bloomington	McLean
John A. Montelius, Jr.	Piper City	Ford

SEPTEMBER 23, 1902.

William France Anderson	Chicago	Cook
Joseph Devlin .....	..do .....	..do
Edward J. Doyle .....	..do .....	..do
B. J. Fitzgerald .....	..do .....	..do
Clara B. Kappes .....	..do .....	..do
Peter Madsen Lagoni .....	..do .....	..do
Charles E. Rausch .....	..do .....	..do
William T. Rankin .....	..do .....	..do
Perry Ulrich .....	..do .....	..do
Geo. Norris Woodley	Evanston .....	..do
E. J. Scarborough	Shelbyville	Shelby
H. J. Morehouse	Mahomet	Champaign
J. T. Robertson	Virginia	Cass
Herbert A. Ragland	Springfield	Sangamon
W. E. Brand	Highland Park	Lake
N. R. Gilmore	Galesburg	Knox
Geo. A. Searl	Chicago	Cook

SEPTEMBER 24, 1902.

Charles N. Morehouse	Chicago	Cook
John F. Haas .....	..do .....	..do
Chas. C. Bodensab .....	..do .....	..do
William J. Blonien .....	..do .....	..do
H. W. Cross .....	..do .....	..do
Archelaus G. Warner .....	..do .....	..do
Frank M. Mares .....	..do .....	..do
Alex. Friend .....	..do .....	..do
Myrtle B. Kirk	Clinton	DeWitt
John M. Steen	Braidwood	Will
Edward D. Foster	Plainfield .....	..do
Frank E. DeLong	Joliet .....	..do
Burke Vancil	Springfield	Sangamon
Austin F. Johnson	Peoria	Peoria
John R. Powers	Elgin	Kane
Harvey L. Jones	Christopher	Franklin
W. C. Rush	Prairie City	McDonough

SEPTEMBER 25, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Abraham I. Jacobson	Chicago	Cook
D. I. Jarrett	do	do
Rudolph G. Mueller	do	do
C. B. Trimmer	do	do
Sadie E. Lathrop	Springfield	Sangamon
Richard Gault	Marengo	McHenry
Oscar B. Ryon	Streator	LaSalle
William J. Sincos	Scales Mound	Jo Daviess
Sherman L. Marshall	Ipava	Fulton
Charles J. Neal	Chicago	Cook

SEPTEMBER 26, 1902.

George E. Fink	Chicago	Cook
F. B. Griffing	do	do
John F. Holland	do	do
Edward L. Iles	do	do
George Kalb	do	do
Karl C. Loehr	do	do
A. W. Stanmeyer	do	do
Lewis H. Stephens	do	do
Frederic Ullmann	do	do
Edwin L. Waugh	do	do
William H. Gruver	Wilmette	do
Lottie L. Rugaber	Chicago Heights	do
William H. Hoagland	El Paso	Woodford
A. R. Morgan	Rockford	Winnebago
Lucian Bullard	Forrest	Livingston
J. M. McKie	Altona	Knox
John W. Gannaway	Charleston	Coles

SEPTEMBER 27, 1902.

Bertha M. Billings	Chicago	Cook
Chas. W. Jenkins	do	do
Joseph Kohn	do	do
Alex. S. Leszczynski	do	do
Michael Montague	do	do
Harrison M. Munday	do	do
Alvin L. McCombs	do	do
Alexander C. McKay	do	do
John Stuart Watson	do	do
Stanley Idzikowski	do	do
Isidor Juda	do	do
Helen M. Kearns	do	do
Maurice W. Loeb	do	do
Marion Hayes McKinney	do	do
A. C. Rossee	do	do
James Schruta	do	do
Edward Shannon	Quincy	Adams
John Parker	Clinton	DeWitt
T. DeWitt Garretson	DeKalb	DeKalb
John H. Oleary	Bath	Mason
W. J. Chapman	Medora	Macoupin
George H. Kenney	Percy	Randolph
Wm. A. Hockaday	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Henry Engelhardt	Chicago	Cook

SEPTEMBER 29, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
George F. Borman	Chicago	Cook
Charles R. LaMena.....	do	do
E. G. Vreeland.....	do	do
Nels J. Johnson	do	do
Owen W. Batrum	Chenoa	McLean.....
G. D. Negley.....	Grayville	White.....
Jno. A. Batson.....	Dennison	Clark.....
James B. Heaberlin.....	Boulder.....	Clinton

SEPTEMBER 30, 1902.

Virgil B. Marrs.....	Chicago	Cook
James B. Heffernan.....	do	do
John O. Knight.....	do	do
J. J. Dillon.....	do	do
Charles Stephenson.....	do	do
John W. Richey.....	do	do
Annie E. Cotter.....	Alton	Madison
Edward Atfield.....	Chicago	Cook
Isaac Johnson	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
J. N. Finnegan.....	Sycamore	DeKalb
H. R. Gladden.....	Mansfield.....	Piatt.....
J. C. Langley.....	do	do

OCTOBER 1, 1902.

Benjamin F. Waldorf.....	Chicago	Cook
Joseph F. Kinsella.....	do	do
Andrew F. Hughes.....	do	do
Hester A. Hoover.....	do	do
Henry R. Zimful.....	do	do
E. E. Nourse.....	do	do
Wm. H. A. Munns.....	do	do
Wm. K. Pattison	do	do
Cora A. Carr.....	do	do
W. H. Donovan.....	Chicago Heights.....	do
W. S. Holmes.....	Effingham	Effingham
Sarah G. Mead.....	Galesburg	Knox.....
Edward H. Guyer.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
Edward B. Kreis.....	do	do
James G. Williams.....	Cosam.....	Jefferson
Wm. McGalliard.....	Lincoln	Logan

OCTOBER 2, 1902.

George Fulk.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Eugene Cook.....	do	do
David Vollrath.....	do	do
Moses Rees.....	Warren	Jo Daviess.....
James M. Pace.....	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
Wm. Lynch.....	Muncie	Vermillion
T. C. Hill.....	Nortonville.....	Morgan.....
James M. Morse.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....

OCTOBER 3, 1902.

Benj. Berntsen.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles F. Linzee.....	DuQuoin	Perry
W. J. Richardson	Tower Hill	Shelby
Henry P. Jones.....	Delavan	Tazewell

OCTOBER 6, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Alexander White.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Leverett B. Sidway.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph P. Merkel.....	do.....	do.....
Samuel J. Marks.....	do.....	do.....
Edith W. Locke.....	do.....	do.....
Mary L. Kelley.....	do.....	do.....
Graziella Picard.....	do.....	do.....
C. V. Howell.....	do.....	do.....
Sadie B. Foster.....	do.....	do.....
Elijah R. Ealy.....	do.....	do.....
Otto Doederlein.....	do.....	do.....
Wallen L. Daniels.....	do.....	do.....
Charles D. Burroughs.....	do.....	do.....
Benjamin N. Branch, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
George Birkhoff, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Alice M. Billings.....	do.....	do.....
Benjamin C. Bachrach.....	do.....	do.....
Seymour A. Bacon.....	do.....	do.....
Charles H. Warren, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Hugo von Obstdfelder.....	do.....	do.....
Mathias Luecker, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
William C. Keefer.....	do.....	do.....
Martin P. Huyck.....	do.....	do.....
D. Fletcher Haymes.....	do.....	do.....
Ning Eley.....	Des Plaines.....	do.....
William G. Hempstead.....	Evanston.....	do.....
George L. Tarlton.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
Alice H. Tindall.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
John H. Lewman.....	Danville.....	Vermilion.....
George Conover.....	Monica.....	Peoria.....
Fred W. Potter.....	Henry.....	Marshall.....
John H. Becker.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
R. W. Watson.....	Murphysboro.....	Jackson.....
Edward B. Mitchell.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt.....
C. H. Wallace.....	Homer.....	Champaign.....
Peter R. Kennedy.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.....
Edwin A. Clark.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
F. H. Farrand.....	Griggsville.....	Pike.....
J. L. Swearingen.....	Canton.....	Fulton.....

OCTOBER 7, 1902.

Lee Mitchell.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
C. B. Miller.....	do.....	do.....
Charles F. Ippel.....	do.....	do.....
John M. Hubka.....	do.....	do.....
John George.....	do.....	do.....
Joseph T. Wachowski.....	do.....	do.....
Myles J. O'Kelly.....	do.....	do.....
Nicholas W. Hacker.....	do.....	do.....
Edward N. D'Ancona.....	do.....	do.....
C. B. DeLong.....	Fithian.....	Vermilion.....
Henry Bierschwale.....	Niles.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 8, 1902.

Henry Larsen.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Rolland J. Hamilton.....	do.....	do.....
Louis Newmark.....	do.....	do.....
A. W. V. Eastburn.....	do.....	do.....
Edwin W. Aris.....	do.....	do.....
J. C. Naracon.....	do.....	do.....
John H. O'Neil.....	do.....	do.....
William Grinton.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
Albert G. Burr.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
Albert J. Perry.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
J. M. Greene.....	Wapella.....	DeWitt.....
Jos. S. Peak.....	Flora.....	Clay.....
Willard Y. Baker.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown.....
Elza M. Ragan.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Jas. C. Roach.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
William H. Wyckoff.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 9, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Laurence Pierpont.....	Chicago	Cook
Mamie C. Kennedy.....	do	do
S. W. Gehr.....	do	do
F. R. Elliott.....	do	do
Charles I. Critchett.....	do	do
Hiram McCullough.....	do	do
William W. Clark.....	Deerfield	Lake
George D. Hicks.....	Pittsfield	Pike
Marion E. Garmory.....	Rockford	Winnebago
W. C. Trestry.....	Eldorado	Saline
James P. Lodge.....	Monticello.....	Piatt
D. J. Peffers, Sr.....	Aurora	Kane
Lewis Prather.....	Urbana	Champaign.....

OCTOBER 10, 1902.

George M. Clark.....	Chicago	Cook
George Hoffmann.....	do	do
Charles L. Heine.....	do	do
Leonard Ficklen.....	do	do
Jacob J. Demling.....	do	do
Elam Converse.....	do	do
E. C. Westwood.....	do	do
Austin E. Torney.....	do	do
Ashbel V. Smith.....	do	do
David K. Smith.....	do	do
Edward J. Queeny.....	do	do
Frank L. Hupp.....	do	do
Homer G. Howard.....	do	do
Louis S. Gibson.....	do	do
George A. Stickney.....	Evanston	do
Richard F. Purcell.....	Streator	LaSalle
Fred D. Guker.....	Red Bud.....	Randolph.....
Barlow A. McCoy.....	Versailles	Brown
Stanislaw Stylinski.....	Chicago	Cook

OCTOBER 11, 1902.

James H. Wilkerson.....	Chicago	Cook
Jacob Verburg.....	do	do
Maude Schmidt.....	do	do
Theo. C. Robinson.....	do	do
Stanislaus Pliszka.....	do	do
V. M. C. Nelson.....	do	do
F. E. Krause.....	do	do
Gilbert Hollman.....	do	do
Albert G. Farr.....	do	do
Glenn S. Noble.....	do	do
John L. Novak.....	do	do
R. E. Lindstrom.....	do	do
G. C. Lambert.....	do	do
Robert A. Hintze.....	do	do
John T. Maddux.....	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Alice Kasbeer McCleary.....	Kasbeer	Bureau
A. A. Luckey.....	Farmington	Fulton

OCTOBER 13, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Louis M. Hopkins.....	Chicago	Cook
Clarence W. Day	do	do
McKenzie Cleland	do	do
L. K. Wilkinson	do	do
William W. Weare	do	do
George H. Schneider	do	do
August Kaiser	do	do
Carle C. Hungerford	do	do
Spencer H. Wilson	Eldorado	Saline
J. J. Welsh	Galesburg	Knox
K. L. Swenson	Rockford	Winnebago
Henry C. Wahlmann	Red Bud	Randolph
Minnie E. Black	Macomb	McDonough
Della M. Anderson	Mt. Pulaski	Logan
Willis Brinkerhoff	Redmon	Edgar
Solon Philbrick	Champaign	Champaign

OCTOBER 14, 1902.

Alois J. Stodola	Chicago	Cook
Robert H. Rennie	do	do
Lucy Frera	do	do
Henry G. Lauerman	do	do
Charles W. Chase	do	do
Harlan P. Stimson	do	do
John M. McCabe	do	do
Alex J. Jones	do	do
Nathan Friend	do	do
Leonard L. Foster	do	do
Eugene M. Bumphrey	do	do
Bruce B. Barney	do	do
Thomas J. McGrath	Blue Island	do
William J. Morrissey	Jacksonville	Morgan
Robert E. Williams	Bloomington	McLean
D. J. Peffers, Jr	Aurora	Kane
G. E. Stott	Genoa	DeKalb
V. L. Cole	Marshall	Clark
James R. Jafray	Belvidere	Boone

OCTOBER 15, 1902.

I. J. Smith	Chicago	Cook
Irene Putnam	do	do
Alice D. Powers	do	do
Charles E. Pope	do	do
Edward McTiernan	do	do
Sol. Kurz	do	do
D. Avery Kimbark	do	do
J. B. Hutchinson	do	do
Harvey L. Hanson	do	do
Samuel S. Williams	do	do
James Abbott	do	do
John H. Hardin	Evanston	do
Geo. N. Blatt	Elwood	Will
John H. Ward	Joliet	do
Ephriam M. Ebersole	Sterling	Whiteside
Aaron E. Warren	East St. Louis	St. Clair
C. C. H. Cowen	Warrensburg	Macon
George J. Gleim	Ottawa	LaSalle
Geo. L. Davidson	Seneca	do
H. A. Webb	Aurora	Kane
Robert Caldwell	Sheldon	Iroquois
T. F. Heckert	St. Elmo	Fayette
Geo. W. Hall	Hinsdale	DuPage

OCTOBER 16, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Cornelius J. Ton	Chicago	Cook
Roy L. Reichert	do	do
Charles E. M. Newton	do	do
J. F. Kahout	do	do
Frank E. Humeston	Rockford	Winnebago
John Laydon	Plainfield	Will
Mary Scott	Galesburg	Knox
Geo. H. Haumesser	Shumway	Effingham

OCTOBER 17, 1902.

Elijah N. Zoline	Chicago	Cook
John G. Tucker	do	do
E. P. Pratt	do	do
Victor M. Harding	do	do
Robert G. Goodwillie	do	do
Paul Devine	do	do
George Packard	do	do
A. A. Mirick	do	do
William Loehde	do	do
John M. Kerr	do	do
Max Kanter	do	do
Edward O. Brown	do	do
Jacob Young	Glasgow	Scott
James P. Hickey	Camp Grove	Marshall

OCTOBER 18, 1902.

Nils Bergman	Chicago	Cook
A. S. Cobb	do	do
Carl A. Johnson	do	do
Charles C. Johnston	do	do
Isaac B. Jones	do	do
Joseph A. Kucera	do	do
Fred C. Lusche	do	do
J. Julius Neiger	do	do
Jersey F. Rannier	do	do
Sophia Salomon	do	do
Augustus J. C. Timm	do	do
E. H. Taylor	do	do
Cora Hatch	do	do
Abraham Singer	do	do
C. W. Dyniewicz	do	do
William H. Emrich	do	do
Berthold Boenicke	do	do
Frank R. Seelye	Evanston	do
Ben. P. Schenck	Pekin	Tazewell
Louis E. Wangelin	Belleville	St. Clair
Frank D. Thomas	Golconda	Pope
Newton H. Bailly	Verona	Grundy
Samuel H. Fish	Hinsdale	Du Page
H. B. Peterson	Princeton	Bureau
D. H. Mudge	Edwardsville	Madison
O. H. Russell	Lenox	Henderson
Marguerite Rettman	Chicago	Cook
F. E. Spoerer	do	do

OCTOBER 20, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles O'Brien.....	Chicago	Cook
Martha Witt	do	do
Bird L. Blair	do	do
Robert Crawford	do	do
Adolph W. Eckert.....	do	do
James A. Warren.....	Winchester	Scott
Ezra Tobias	Peoria	Peoria
J. E. Keene	do	do
Frank J. Meller.....	Galena	JoDavieess.....
Alfred M. Swengel	Princeton	Bureau
Fancred P. Eggmann	East St. Louis	St. Clair.....
John W. Vent.....	Cerro Gordo.....	Piatt
Chas. E. Vance.....	Danvers.....	McLean.....

OCTOBER 21, 1902.

Louis H. Thoepe	Chicago	Cook
E. A. Timmermann	do	do
Andrew T. Juul	do	do
John F. Pletz	do	do
David Stickles.....	do	do
John R. McCabe.....	do	do
Jesse N. Marsh.....	do	do
G. D. Curtis.....	do	do
A. W. Hostetter	do	do
James Ingemanson.....	do	do
Wm. H. Bussey.....	Chicago Heights.....	do
Henry Banzet.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
John A. Dowdall.....	DeKalb	DeKalb
Lorenzo Browning	Dorchester	Macoupin.....
T. B. Stewart.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson
Charles T. Heald.....	Canton	Fulton
Horace Hull	Ottawa	LaSalle

OCTOBER 22, 1902.

Louis Wolf.....	Chicago	Cook
Chas. G. Wirths	do	do
Wilnot Whitaker	do	do
Charles E. Varley.....	do	do
Edward D. Pomeroy	do	do
Herbert Jones.....	do	do
Roy O. Gilbert.....	do	do
John E. Gay	do	do
Furness Wm. Elliot.....	do	do
William C. Flook.....	do	do
Max Borchardt	do	do
Peter Bernard.....	do	do
Henry C. Bartling.....	do	do
Samuel H. Axman.....	do	do
Omar Steele	Chicago Heights.....	do
Leon A. Colp	Marion	Williamson.....
W. M. Acton	Danville	Vermilion
Peter E. McDonald.....	Freeport	Stephenson
Marie Hartman.....	Aurora.....	Kane
L. R. Parker	do	do
William C. Phipps.....	Benton	Franklin.....
C. B. Wiggins.....	Homer	Champaign.....
U. H. Keath.....	Quincy	Adams.....

OCTOBER 23, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Wm. V. Tyler.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
S. Reittler.....	do.....	do.....
Walter J. Gunthorp.....	do.....	do.....
Charles B. Carleman.....	do.....	do.....
C. G. Schroeder.....	El Paso.....	Woodford.....
W. F. Price.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
William Bogardus.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Fred J. Wilkerson.....	Gilman.....	Iroquois.....

OCTOBER 24, 1902.

George N. Neise.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John W. Thomas.....	do.....	do.....
Otho S. Gaither.....	do.....	do.....
Homer H. Craig.....	do.....	do.....
Arthur M. Cox.....	do.....	do.....
James E. Abell.....	do.....	do.....
John D. Huey.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
C. R. Pope.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
M. Schoonmaker.....	Reynolds.....	Rock Island.....
Charles Crossland.....	Bowen.....	Hancock.....
Samuel Graham.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
N. P. Mouton.....	East Dubuque.....	JoDavies.....

OCTOBER 25, 1902.

John Perry.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
James N. Jarvis.....	Troy.....	Madison.....
C. Oscar Carlson.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George H. Dilcher.....	do.....	do.....
Chester McNeil.....	do.....	do.....
A. C. Stockton.....	do.....	do.....
Louise Serage.....	do.....	do.....
W. T. Smith.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
James H. Lewis.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 27, 1902.

John B. Porter.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
J. H. Holbrook.....	do.....	do.....
Hutcheons B. Durham.....	do.....	do.....
Jno. E. Cooke.....	do.....	do.....
Harry G. Barnum.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Johnson.....	do.....	do.....
S. Harnstrom.....	do.....	do.....
Julius H. Schroeder.....	do.....	do.....
C. F. Meyer.....	Oak Park.....	do.....
H. E. Walter.....	Princeton.....	Bureau.....
Joseph D. Kern.....	Sandwich.....	DeKalb.....
John W. Herzog.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

OCTOBER 28, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Edward T. Cushing.....	Chicago	Cook
Hulda M. Erickson.....	do	do
Benbow B. Ferguson.....	do	do
George W. Hall.....	do	do
F. W. Hochspeier.....	do	do
James H. McMinn.....	do	do
Henry M. Shabad.....	do	do
Martin E. Troutman.....	do	do
C. Arch Williams.....	do	do
George H. Zimmer.....	do	do
John Thompson.....	Dwight	Livingston
C. C. Hoit.....	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson
Laura Nicholson.....	Peoria	Peoria
Nettie Hill.....	do	do
Helena L. Donnelly.....	do	do
C. F. Tritle.....	Winnebago	Winnebago

OCTOBER 29, 1902.

Charles Pilling Engelmann	Chicago	Cook.....
Franklin W. Ganse.....	do	do
Aymer F. Gaylord.....	do	do
Gustaf Gronlund.....	do	do
Herman L. Krinker.....	do	do
George H. Naper.....	do	do
Alexander A. Norton.....	do	do
Will W. Nyberg.....	do	do
Theron Durham.....	Oak Park.....	do
Patrick J. Purcell.....	Cairo.....	Alexander
R. E. Holben.....	Mt. Auburn	Christian
Edwin J. Faull.....	Kewanee	Henry
Henry A. Bent.....	Oglesby	LaSalle
Simon N. Stadge.....	Claremont.....	Richland
A. C. Stotlar.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....

OCTOBER 30, 1902.

W. Hellyer.....	Riverside	Cook
Charles G. Hawley.....	Chicago	do
Josef O. Pinc.....	do	do
Wm. W. Hurley.....	do	do
Nellye M. Gregory.....	Macomb	McDonough

OCTOBER 31, 1902.

Charles C. Dose.....	Chicago	Cook
James H. McConkey.....	do	do
M. P. Lorentzen.....	do	do
Millard R. Powers.....	do	do
Willis T. Ullmann.....	do	do
Charles S. Wall.....	do	do
Edgar W. Carne.....	Oak Park.....	do
James M. O'Toole.....	Joliet.....	Will
John A. Ward.....	Sterling	Whiteside
Walter Roberts.....	Metropolis	Massac
E. A. Eckstrand.....	Ludlow.....	Champaign.....

NOVEMBER 1, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles M. Atkinson.....	Chicago	Cook
Otto L. Meyer	do	do
Jackson F. Randolph	do	do
David Steinberg.....	do	do
John W. Franklin.....	Diona	Coles
N. R. Yeargin.....	Paris	Edgar
Beecher Jakes.....	Adrian	Hancock
Volney Dickey.....	Grant Park	Kankakee
W. H. Hazelton.....	Sumner	Lawrence
George Conover.....	Maroa	Macon
Charles T. Kellam.....	Decatur	do
William Wilson	Alton	Madison
D. O. Allen.....	Carriers Mills.....	Saline
Herbert D. Carpenter.....	Joliet	Will
A. L. Ray.....	Roanoke	Woodford
H. Clay Wilson.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon
H. H. Chesley	Louisville	Clay.....

NOVEMBER 3, 1902.

Phiney B. Brown.....	Chicago	Cook
L. O. Eagleton.....	Peoria	Peoria

NOVEMBER 4, 1902.

Albert L. Carson	Chicago	Cook
Edward C. Cronkrite	do	do
Elphick R. Ede.....	do	do
Arthur Woodcock.....	do	do
F. E. Wilson.....	Lacon	Marshall.....

NOVEMBER 5, 1902.

Frank S. Wheeler.....	Chicago	Cook
John E. Vannatta.....	do	do
George Schroeder.....	do	do
James B. Pell.....	do	do
L. P. Mead.....	do	do
Leopold Karpen.....	do	do
Frank E. Hoag	do	do
James C. Hood.....	do	do
Harry W. Hadley.....	do	do
George L. Hagadone.....	do	do
Louis A. Elisburg.....	do	do
Charles M. Eddy.....	do	do
Mabel Coleman.....	do	do
Ernst Bornfel.....	do	do
August Benario.....	do	do
Cora G. Bailey.....	do	do
George Weimer.....	Lemont	do
Albert B. Pine.....	Evanston.....	do
L. M. Reckhow.....	Rockford	Winnebago
S. S. Irwin.....	Rankin	Vermilion
Jay Edward Elliott.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
R. C. Pollock.....	Baylis	Pike
George C. Gale.....	Galesburg.....	Knox
Fred L. Schneider.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
J. T. Rittmann.....	Newton	Jasper
William M. Raftree.....	Hinsdale	DuPage
W. H. Bush.....	Hindsboro.....	Douglas.....
John S. Hall.....	Mattoon	Coles
Minnie M. Lindenau.....	Chicago	Cook
Julia McGee.....	do	do

NOVEMBER 6, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
George H. Kettelle	Chicago	Cook
Edw. M. Ames	do	do
Glenn G. Roe	Springfield	Sangamon
W. E. Lewis	Watseka	Iroquois
S. H. Morris	Davis	Stephenson
Bruce A. Campbell	Albion	Edwards
Albert F. Smith	Evanston	Cook
Pere L. Wickes, Jr.	Chicago	do
Albert May	do	do
Otto A. Kreml	do	do
F. J. Karasek	do	do
Nicholas V. Fischer	do	do
Alex. V. Coldby	do	do

NOVEMBER 7, 1902.

Arista B. Williams	Chicago	Cook
W. H. Smith	do	do
Charles F. Nigg	do	do
Louis F. Mueller	do	do
Sophia G. Kelley	do	do
Frank E. Condron	do	do
Henry G. Zander	do	do
Chas. J. Agnew	do	do
Carola M. Weil	do	do
Daniel A. Friel	do	do
John C. Bradford	do	do
Ralph A. Barenther	Mattoon	Coles
Horatio D. Sturtevant	Quincy	Adams
Everitt Crain	Woodson	Morgan
B. A. Knight	Rockford	Winnebago
Vincent Ferando	Braidwood	Will
Wm. Gray	Speer	Stark
M. F. Goodman	Elco	Alexander
W. R. Hidy	Champaign	Champaign
L. Gammel	Danville	Vermilion

NOVEMBER 8, 1902.

Wilford C. Shurtleff	Wilmette	Cook
Joseph P. Dunne	Chicago	do
E. C. Dekker	do	do
H. B. Washington	do	do
Rudolph J. Schlesinger	do	do
William M. Roberts	do	do
Wm. Nelson	do	do
Court R. Merrill	do	do
P. V. Fitzpatrick	do	do
J. Leroy Bennett	do	do
Alan C. McIlvaine	do	do
Julius S. Marx	do	do
C. A. Doty	do	do
William T. Dickerman	do	do
Percy B. Davis	do	do
Justus Chancellor	do	do
S. B. Knepper	East St. Louis	St. Clair
William T. Cussins	Decatur	Macon
W. A. Howell	Geneva	Kane
A. M. Phillips	West Liberty	Jasper
John Stapleton	Bloomington	McLean
W. M. Crosthwait	Bushnell	McDonough
Jaroslav Viterna	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 10, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Helen C. Calta.....	Chicago	Cook
D. C. McKee.....	do	do
Isam M. Light.....	do	do
Fred C. Doerffel.....	do	do
Richard W. Wolfe.....	do	do
Frank B. Brom.....	do	do
Fred C. Hill.....	Clinton	DeWitt
M. T. Quirk.....	Arcola	Douglas
John C. Rambo.....	Peoria	Peoria
Benjamin L. Goodheart.....	Bloomington	McLean
Maurice K. Smith.....	Onarga	Iroquois
Wm. Graham.....	Portland.....	Franklin
Jacob K. Grismer.....	Dudley.....	Edgar
W. Emery Lancaster.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
J. E. Gallagher.....	Mode.....	Shelby

NOVEMBER 11, 1902.

Nicholas Reder.....	Chicago	Cook
William T. Steers.....	do	do
Percival Steele.....	do	do
August Steuer.....	do	do
Frederick N. Peck.....	do	do
Chas. P. Hirstenstein.....	do	do
Charles L. Daly.....	do	do
H. Pope Chancellor.....	do	do
Delphine Knapp.....	Oak Park.....	do
J. E. Wallar.....	Enfield.....	White.....
Stephen A. Thayer.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
J. H. Vincent.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson
Henry B. Miner.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Henry F. Gehant.....	West Brooklyn	Lee.....
Thomas W. Kinzer.....	Sorento.....	Bond.....
B. L. Shuey.....	Cleveland	Henry

NOVEMBER 12, 1902.

T. Broughan Baker.....	Chicago	Cook
George B. Cruickshank.....	do	do
C. E. Feigel.....	do	do
William C. Geist.....	do	do
Theo. J. Johnson.....	do	do
Wm. C. Krauter.....	do	do
Thomas J. Cassidy.....	do	do
A. J. Dooley.....	do	do
John C. Schuett.....	Evanston	do
F. M. Riggle.....	Unity.....	Alexander.....
Lucius D. Turner, Jr.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
William L. Seeley.....	Ottawa.....	La Salle
Andrew J. O'Connor.....	do	do
Vincent J. Duncan.....	do	do
E. J. Fellows.....	St. Charles.....	Kane.....
A. C. Amsler.....	Longview	Champaign.....

NOVEMBER 13, 1902.

Harry S. Berger.....	Chicago	Cook
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NOVEMBER 14, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Alfred W. Walson.....	Chicago	Cook
Carl J. Stuckrath.....	do	do
Cyril Jandus.....	do	do
Amos Dresser, Jr.....	do	do
Wilbur F. Blackford.....	do	do
Arthur M. Kracke.....	do	do
E. M. Stephenson.....	do	do
Oscar Seiter.....	do	do
Frederick H. Bartlett.....	do	do
John W. Walker.....	Oak Park.....	do
C. F. L. Winzer.....	Steeleville.....	Randolph.....
Lewis B. Thomas.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.....
W. F. Mead.....	Marengo.....	McHenry.....
J. G. Vivion.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Edmund H. Glos.....	St. Charles.....	Kane.....
Wm. Wilson.....	Aurora.....	do
Izri Hagler.....	Makanda.....	Jackson.....
John Vidano.....	Carbon Hill.....	Grundy.....
Benjamin F. Kagay.....	Effingham.....	Effingham.....
F. E. Van Tassel.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....

NOVEMBER 15, 1902.

Fred G. Forbes.....	Chicago	Cook
Louis Hannemann.....	do	do
Clint C. Hine.....	do	do
Rudolph W. Lotz.....	do	do
Gerry L. Taylor.....	do	do
William H. Truax.....	do	do
W. O. Weihe.....	Nashville.....	Washington.....
C. E. Chamberlin.....	Lebanon.....	St. Clair.....
Charles R. Rose.....	Golconda.....	Pope.....
Frank I. Mitchell.....	Havana.....	Mason.....
W. T. V. D. Voorhees.....	London Mills.....	Fulton.....
Melville G. Soule.....	Monmouth.....	Warren.....
E. M. Webster.....	Salem.....	Marion.....
Wm. R. Dexheimer.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....

NOVEMBER 17, 1902.

Julia Buehler.....	Chicago	Cook
Otto Polanek.....	do	do
Edward N. Sherburne.....	do	do
Charlotte Pfeiffer.....	do	do
Thomas C. Matlack.....	do	do
Frederick M. Fett.....	do	do
Gustav Dreier.....	do	do
Fremont Hoy.....	Woodstock.....	McHenry.....
Henry E. Jacobs.....	Henry.....	Marshall.....
John R. Trevett.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

NOVEMBER 18, 1902.

H. W. Thorp.....	Chicago	Cook
Moses B. Mergentheim.....	do	do
H. D. Ludlow.....	do	do
Martin J. Hogan.....	do	do
George W. Montgomery.....	Clayton.....	Adams.....
C. M. Hoover.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....
Carl E. Sheldon.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside.....
William H. Motz.....	Laura.....	Peoria.....
Robert E. Lee Mott.....	Elsah.....	Jersey.....
Martin J. Dillon.....	Galena.....	Jo Daviess.....
J. O. Harmon.....	Chicago	Cook

NOVEMBER 19, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County
Wm. S. Cameron	Chicago	Cook
Chas. E. Farnsworth	do	do
William J. Fox	do	do
E. Russell Huston	do	do
Orville D. Orton	do	do
Barbara Schottler	do	do
Lyman M. Sikes	do	do
Louis King	do	do
Edward S. Whitney	do	do
W. C. Flick	Ransom	LaSalle
Thomas B. Stephenson	Sparta	Randolph
Isaac C. Abney	Creal Springs	Williamson
Theodore A. Gross	Atwood	Piatt
R. F. Henkle	Canton	Fulton

NOVEMBER 20, 1902.

William A. Senter	Chicago	Cook
Oscar B. McGlasson	do	do
Abner A. Hodges	do	do
Martha J. Hanson	do	do
Frank H. Hathaway	do	do
Norman E. Catlin	Rockford	Winnebago
James A. Farmer	Belleville	St. Clair
Chas. W. Diets	Bloomington	McLean
E. F. Beaupre	Aurora	Kane
Wm. F. Congdon	do	do
George W. Thoma	Elmhurst	DuPage
Charles Harlan	Newbern	Jersey

NOVEMBER 21, 1902.

William D. Barge	Chicago	Cook
Joseph Westerberg	do	do
Henry Tift	do	do
Julius C. D. Ross	do	do
M. R. Osburn	do	do
Charles F. Wagner	do	do
Erskine H. Jackson	do	do
Fred C. Hale	do	do
Selig Greenbaum	do	do
Leander D. Condee	do	do
A. S. Hamilton	Galesburg	Knox
Jas. A. Godard	Yorkville	Kendall
C. W. Williams	Carbondale	Jackson
A. M. Barnett	Lewistown	Fulton
W. E. Eddy	LaMoille	Bureau
W. H. A. Renner	Mt. Carroll	Carroll
David G. Cairns	Ottawa	LaSalle
J. D. Dove	Jamesburg	Vermilion
Abram K. Trusdell	Dixon	Lee
P. H. O'Donnell	Belvidere	Boone

NOVEMBER 22, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Wilson O. Stahl	Chicago	Cook
F. Schroeder	do	do
F. C. Pietsch	do	do
Chester L. Perrin	do	do
Eugene A. Moran	do	do
Frederick C. Hageman	do	do
A. F. Hallmann	do	do
Edgar B. Kellogg	do	do
E. Evelyn Ballard	do	do
Charles H. Gould	Riverside	do
A. Philip Smith	Rockford	Winnebago
Joseph M. Booten	Derby	Saline
Charles F. Hinrichs	Joliet	Will
Ralph E. Rich	Union	McHenry
Benjamin F. Manley	Harvard	do
Thos. J. Rushton	Elgin	Kane

NOVEMBER 24, 1902.

D. C. Thorsen	Chicago	Cook
Feliks Malak	do	do
Joseph Iwinski	do	do
Blanche Hovey	do	do
Donald Fraser	do	do
John E. Crawford	do	do
A. Boffetti	do	do
Louise Beckwith	do	do
Frederick H. Brammer	Evanston	do
Noble B. Teal	Fairbury	Livingston
Jennie M. Cooper	Kankakee	Kankakee
Theodore Worcester	Aurora	Kane
Oliver Hayden Richards	Jerseyville	Jersey
James Kewley	Onarga	Iroquois

NOVEMBER 25, 1902.

John H. Jennings	Chicago	Cook
Frank A. Richards	do	do
Percy B. Eckhart	do	do
Alice M. McColly	Chicago Heights	do
Chas. W. Staley	Congerville	Woodford
Leonard M. Eckart	Princeton	Bureau
Emeret S. Hardy	Blomington	McLean
Francis Thomas Norbury	Harvard	McHenry
C. C. Brooks	Dixon	Lee

NOVEMBER 26, 1902.

Wm. S. Crosby	Chicago	Cook
Florence C. Betts	do	do
William F. Baker	do	do
Royal J. Whitlock	do	do
William J. Bryar, Jr.	do	do
Wellington F. Stewart	do	do
Richard Lowrie	do	do
Esther A. Dunshee	Wilmette	do
Mrs. R. Howard Kelly	Chicago	do
Edmund D. Carter	do	do
F. W. Cleveland	do	do
Philip W. Barnes	Lawrenceville	Lawrence

NOVEMBER 28, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Charles F. Steinmetz	Chicago	Cook
P. J. Harmon .....	..do .....	..do
Eudora Fish .....	..do .....	..do
Harry A. Magill .....	..do .....	..do
Armond J. Unger .....	..do .....	..do
Edward J. Bartelme .....	..do .....	..do
Frank Boldman .....	..do .....	..do
Henry H. Weiler	Tioga	Hancock
Albert F. Kinney	Taylorville	Christian
Edward S. Baker	Robinson	Crawford
Wm. D. Fullerton	Ottawa	LaSalle
J. G. Forsthove	Quincy	Adams
J. W. Upton	Springerton	White
Geo. W. Dowell	Elkville	Jackson

NOVEMBER 29, 1902.

Jennie Smith	Chicago	Cook
Harry Hammond .....	..do .....	..do
Joseph H. Andrews .....	..do .....	..do
W. H. Payne	Oglesby	LaSalle
Fred A. Hatheway	Ottawa .....	..do
Wm. T. Hollenbeck	Marshall	Clark
Henry Soffell	Maywood	Cook
A. P. Lorton	Auburn	Sangamon

DECEMBER 1, 1902.

Clarence A. Pratt	Chicago	Cook
Emanuel Rau .....	..do .....	..do
Henry A. Sent .....	..do .....	..do
Joseph P. Tracy .....	..do .....	..do
Orren V. Stockley .....	..do .....	..do
Fred W. Kraft .....	..do .....	..do
Charles W. Johnson .....	..do .....	..do
J. Elliott Jennings .....	..do .....	..do
Isaac Taylor	Peoria	Peoria
John L. Eldred	Carrollton	Greene
Jay P. Smith	Wheaton	DuPage
L. C. Race	Pana	Christian
Jas. W. Gore	Vienna	Johnson

DECEMBER 2, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Frank C. Smith.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Paul C. Schussman.....	do.....	do.....
Robert F. Rose.....	do.....	do.....
Chas. D. Long.....	do.....	do.....
Frank G. Hoyne.....	do.....	do.....
I. J. Chileski.....	do.....	do.....
L. E. Sunderland.....	Fairfield.....	Wayne.....
Addison Bidwell.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
George Koch.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
J. E. Thompson.....	Murrayville.....	Morgan.....
Hugo Bremser.....	Waterloo.....	Monroe.....
E. M. Caldwell.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
Byron E. Eastwood.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
F. H. Albers.....	Carlyle.....	Clinton.....

DECEMBER 3, 1902.

W. T. Hansen.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Flora B. Holt.....	do.....	do.....
Christ Jensen.....	do.....	do.....
Charles L. Mahoney.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. A. Turell.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
T. A. Orndorff.....	Marshall.....	Clark.....
John W. Andrews.....	Kemp.....	Douglas.....
Henry N. Fristoe.....	Sr. James.....	Fayette.....
Patrick H. Sanford.....	Knoxville.....	Knox.....
John Cousins.....	Fosterburg.....	Madison.....
Joseph F. Henderson.....	Aledo.....	Mercer.....
Joseph B. Albert.....	Florid.....	Putnam.....
Gustavus A. Shallberg.....	Moline.....	Rock Island.....
T. J. Nuckolls.....	Auburn.....	Sangamon.....
E. J. Pemberton.....	Rushville.....	Schuyler.....
William Hanft.....	New Athens.....	St. Clair.....
George Vernor.....	Nashville.....	Washington.....

DECEMBER 4, 1902.

J. Philip Vidal.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
J. C. Murphy.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
Ed L. Parks.....	Ellisville.....	Fulton.....

DECEMBER 5, 1902.

D. L. York.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
James C. Ridgway.....	do.....	do.....
David J. A. Ritchie.....	do.....	do.....
Herman C. Mueller.....	do.....	do.....
Elmer E. Hills.....	do.....	do.....
John A. Zimmer.....	do.....	do.....
Otto M. Wermick.....	do.....	do.....
Charles P. Lofgren.....	do.....	do.....
Walter G. French.....	do.....	do.....
M. J. Coffey.....	do.....	do.....
Frank Crozier.....	do.....	do.....
Jas. Crawford.....	Pinckneyville.....	Perry.....
Geo. Klink.....	Garrett.....	Douglas.....

DECEMBER 6, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry B. Koller	Willow Springs.....	Cook
Albert E. Wilson	Chicago	do
Samuel R. Wells	do	do
Edward C. Tyler	do	do
Charles G. Rose	do	do
Ph. Koehler	do	do
Charles W. Jungk	do	do
Courtney R. Gleason	do	do
Louis H. Granzon	do	do
Frank J. Gatrell	do	do
William Scott Bond	do	do
Chas. H. Avery	do	do
M. J. Stanton	do	do
Robert T. Nelson	do	do
William C. McHenry	do	do
Ivor Jeffreys	do	do
W. F. Hayden	do	do
A. S. Culver	do	do
Geo. E. Chipman	do	do
Arthur A. Bliss	do	do
Fannie J. Ginders	Rockford	Winnebago
A. R. Samuel	Danville	Vermilion
D. L. Mourning	Rushville	Schuyler
Jessie E. Spencer	Rock Island	Rock Island
E. H. Donaldson	Fillmore	Montgomery
Henry Riebeling	Columbia	Monroe
Samuel H. Blane	Petersburg	Menard
John Hartley	Henry	Marshall
Chas. M. Hunt	Galesburg	Knox
E. T. Shire	Oblong	Crawford
F. C. Charlesworth	Charleston	Coles
Joseph W. Maple	Peoria	Peoria
James Kerr	Lake Villa	Lake
R. A. Ewen	Flora	Clay
G. Wm. Brandt	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 8, 1902.

Laura H. Osterman	Chicago	Cook
Nicholas J. Haynes	do	do
Henry Marcus	do	do
Otto Dobroth	do	do
Andrew Cooke	do	do
Minnie E. Mack	Shelbyville	Shelby
Jas. F. McCormick	Mendota	LaSalle
Arthur Roe	Vandalia	Fayette
A. D. Mulliken	Champaign	Champaign
A. C. Denham	Benton	Franklin
R. C. Gower	do	do
John W. Lewellen	Neoga	Cumberland
D. A. Milligan	Shelbyville	Shelby

DECEMBER 9, 1902.

M. F. Peters	Chicago	Cook
Robert O'Dwyer	do	do
Nathan Hefter	do	do
John C. Brown	do	do
Arthur Josetti	do	do
James M. Purcell	do	do
Paul Hartneck	do	do
W. H. Ryon	Streator	LaSalle
R. M. Morrison	Ridgway	Gallatin
W. J. Stone	Ludlow	Champaign
M. D. Tomlinson	Cable	Mercer
John H. Dillon	Edwardsville	Madison
William Fraser	Kankakee	Kankakee
H. J. Slagle	Rockford	Winnebago
John W. Sheehan	Springfield	Sangamon
James McCracken, Jr.	Reno	Bond

DECEMBER 10, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Walter C. Faraday	Chicago	Cook
Theodore Levering .....	..do .....	..do
George Sale .....	..do .....	..do
W. N. Sampson .....	..do .....	..do
John C. Smith .....	..do .....	..do
Louis C. Wagner .....	..do .....	..do
F. W. Stewart	Princeton	Bureau
W. P. Spalding	Champaign	Champaign
R. S. C. Reaugh	Flora	Clay
Francis M. Bolt	Ramsey	Fayette
W. F. Kenaga	Kankakee	Kankakee
L. F. Wertman	Galesburg	Knox
Ira J. Lewis	Knoxville .....	..do
William B. Goddard	Sparta	Randolph
George E. Swisher	Rushville	Schuyler
H. C. Frings	Pekin	Tazewell
John R. Jones	Carmi	White
Isaac B. Hammers	El Paso	Woodford
Rose H. Carney	Rockford	Winnebago
Harry F. McAllister	Oquawka	Henderson

DECEMBER 11, 1902.

Richard W. Robinson	Chicago	Cook
James C. Gavin .....	..do .....	..do
J. K. Arnold .....	..do .....	..do
W. P. Seeber	Benton	Franklin
C. A. King	Streator	LaSalle
John Stamey	Hull	Pike
John T. Stafford	Rock Island	Rock Island
Hugh L. Lucas	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 12, 1902.

Orrin A. Rice	Chicago	Cook
Lillian M. Rhode .....	..do .....	..do
John Haluska .....	..do .....	..do
George E. Foulkes .....	..do .....	..do
William H. Brickel, Sr. ....	..do .....	..do
Gottfried F. Wittekind .....	..do .....	..do
Walter J. Thrumston .....	..do .....	..do
Walter E. Beckwith	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Geo. R. Cooper	Hillsboro	Montgomery
Geo. O. Hodge	Wenona	Marshall
Reinhold Gossrau	Alton	Madison
J. M. Babcock	Shirland	Winnebago
Abner M. Upham	Jacksonville	Morgan
E. H. Munsterman	Watseka	Iroquois

DECEMBER 13, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Helen E. Bradbury	Chicago	Cook
Harry E. Harvey	do	do
Elmer E. Jackson	do	do
Josef Lepsa	do	do
Ellsworth T. Martin	do	do
Lily F. McCrea	do	do
Henry J. Pieper	do	do
Charles Reichardt	do	do
Henry D. Schmidt	do	do
Albert C. Helbrig	do	do
Robert J. Wright	do	do
William F. Thoma	do	do
Menz. I. Rosenbaum	do	do
N. Atchison	do	do
Benjamin Bonneau	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Henry Clay	Tamaroa	Perry
Frank T. O'Hair	Paris	Edgar
Ona E. McGovney	Mokena	Will
L. M. Kagy	Salem	Marion
Alice L. McKerman	Collinsville	Madison
James Vause, Jr.	Mattoon	Coles
Don R. Fraser	Mt. Carroll	Carroll

DECEMBER 15, 1902.

O. S. Chapman	Chicago	Cook
John L. Frazier	do	do
William R. Griswold	do	do
D. W. Heffron	do	do
Herman G. Redwanz	do	do
S. Earle Tompkins	do	do
Stalham L. Williams, Jr.	do	do
Frances Lehmann	Harlem	do
B. D. Abbott	Mahomet	Champaign
E. D. Scott	Braceville	Grundy
S. H. Brown	Geneseo	Henry
E. M. Vail	Kewanae	do
William H. Hall	Edwardsville	Madison
Wm. Johnson	Rockford	Winnebago
Robert A. Shepherd	do	do

DECEMBER 16, 1902.

Andrew M. Strong	Chicago	Cook
Joshua R. H. Potts	do	do
John Kammerman	Joliet	Will
W. H. Driggs	Canton	Fulton
Truman L. Crowder	Carlinville	Macoupin
Edwin Winter	Danville	Vermilion
P. J. Carr	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 17, 1902.

Henry Beck	Chicago	Cook
Grant Carpenter	do	do
Harry C. Godfrey	do	do
William K. Wells	do	do
Edward C. Prentiss	Oak Park	do
Thos. D. Murdoch	Galesburg	Knox
Henry A. Butzon	Watseka	Iroquois
Harry J. Rickelman	Effingham	Effingham
Fredwick W. Schaeffer	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 18, 1902.

Name	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry E. Steinweg.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas A. Barber.....	do	do
Laura C. Allen.....	do	do
A. G. Conklin.....	do	do
Clark B. Hampton.....	Wilmette	do
Charles A. Prout.....	Wheaton.....	DuPage.....
George M. Mattis.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....

DECEMBER 19, 1902.

Gangolf Sesterheim.....	Gross Point	Cook
Julius L. Brown.....	Chicago	do
James R. Campbell	do	do
William Madlung	do	do
Bert E. Nussbaum	do	do
Julius F. Thompson.....	do	do
John F. Thompson	do	do
E. P. Williams.....	do	do
M. G. Bullene.....	do	do
James J. Tynan.....	do	do
Charles J. Burgess	do	do
Joseph Cerny	do	do
Lillian D. Meyers	do	do
Wm. A. Rowley.....	do	do
Stuart G. Shepard.....	do	do
William W. Speer.....	do	do
Albert L. Wood.....	Granite City.....	Madison
Joseph Shinn.....	Griggsville.....	Pike
M. D. Massie.....	New Canton.....	do
W. N. Cronkrite.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson
John D. Purvis.....	Sullivan.....	Moultrie.....
A. Judson Phillips.....	Anna.....	Union.....

DECEMBER 20, 1902.

Geo. J. Gerak.....	Chicago	Cook
Robert D. Lay.....	do	do
Frank Kirkman	do	do
Ludmil Kandlik	do	do
M. P. Hartney	do	do
H. T. Warnes.....	do	do
George W. Woodbury.....	do	do
Frederick W. Fritz.....	Greenville.....	Bond.....
B. S. Smith.....	Murphysboro	Jackson
J. C. Bohn.....	Dundee.....	Kane.....
Paul C. Brev.....	Waterloo.....	Monroe.....
William H. Laird.....	Maysville.....	Pike.....

DECEMBER 22, 1902.

Lloyd G. Kirkland	Chicago	Cook
Nils Olson.....	do	do
Simeon B. Wait.....	do	do
Henry F. Atwood.....	Morgan Park.....	do
Pearl Legge.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson
T. T. Wing.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Fred W. Meyer.....	Petersburg	Menard
Albert F. Pasquay.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
L. J. Farmer.....	Tamaroa.....	Perry.....
Frederick C. Denkmann.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
M. N. Swan.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....
Mary Callahan.....	Rockford.....	Winnnebago.....
Jesse F. Harris.....	Durand.....	do
Frank J. Petrie.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
L. G. Hoyt.....	do	do

DECEMBER 23, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Chas. A. E. Allen	Chicago	Cook
John Orson Barber	do	do
James C. Denvir	do	do
Geo. J. Lawton	do	do
May F. Monahan	do	do
Charles White	do	do
Harold F. White	do	do
John S. Cruttenden	Quincy	Adams
Tessie K. Carroll	Cairo	Alexander
J. W. Dixon	Yates City	Knox
W. H. Sexton	Monmouth	Warren
Lydia J. Kittle	Cherry Valley	Winnebago
E. O. Weldin	Chicago	Cook

DECEMBER 24, 1902.

Addie Smith	Chicago	Cook
Marcus T. Moody	do	do
I. A. Cassers	do	do
Fred L. Harris	do	do
P. Sarsfield Dunne	do	do
Ed. C. Engel	Eureka	Woodford
Thos. M. Gore	Anna	Union
Newton S. Forsyth	Mason City	Mason
Frank C. Meserve	Lawrenceville	Lawrence
E. L. Gilbert	Cairo	Alexander
J. H. Pearce	Harrisburg	Saline
O. A. Williams	Monmouth	Warren
Adolph S. Froehlich	Chicago	Cook
S. Edith Hawe	do	do
John A. McAnrow	do	do

DECEMBER 26, 1902.

William J. Kozlowski	Chicago	Cook
C. Henry Lahan	do	do
Joseph B. Maun	do	do
Rex Mackenzie	do	do
J. Leroy Shaw	do	do
William O. Trainer	do	do
Geo. W. Duley	Hoopeston	Vermilion
Robert H. Patton	Springfield	Sangamon
William H. Morley	Macomb	McDonough
Adam Armstrong	Oswego	Kendall
S. N. Haverfield	Assumption	Christian
Mary Abbot Prince	Quincy	Adams

DECEMBER 27, 1902.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
H. S. Brackett.....	Chicago	Cook
Ignatius Chap.....	do	do
James W. Davis.....	do	do
Henry H. Harr	do	do
Edward R. Litzinger.....	do	do
James D. Lynch.....	do	do
Frank I. Packard.....	do	do
Carl A. Ross.....	do	do
Dwight B. Carmichael.....	do	do
Edwin H. Chandler.....	do	do
John H. Curtis.....	do	do
Peter McCulloch Munn.....	do	do
F. H. McCuen.....	do	do
Benjamin F. Mitchell.....	do	do
Adolph G. Voss	do	do
John M. Shonkwiler	Atwood	Douglas
Lewis Grubb.....	Buffalo	Sangamon.....
James B. Hinman.....	Speer	Stark
O. H. Gabel.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
S. M. Oakford	Walnut.....	Bureau

DECEMBER 29, 1902.

George Engelking.....	Chicago.....	Cook
E. Dinkelman.....	do	do
H. Roland Curtis.....	Oak Park	do
Helen Church.....	Evanston	do
Joseph T. Fouke.....	Greenville	Bond.....
Fremont C. Blandin.....	Rutland	LaSalle.....
Charles H. Pluess.....	Millington	do
Charles P. Taylor.....	Ottawa	do
James E. Wyckoff.....	Saybrook	McLean.....
Joseph B. Miller	Normal.....	do

DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Ernest Saunders.....	Chicago	Cook
P. J. O'Keefe.....	do	do
William N. Marshall	do	do
Henry Heine.....	do	do
Walfred S. Haller.....	do	do
E. F. L. Gauss.....	do	do
P. Ford.....	do	do
Frank Gillespie.....	Bloomington	McLean.....
H. B. Carson.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
Jennie Davis.....	Galesburg	Knox.....

DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Maggie Anderson.....	Chicago	Cook
B. J. Roe.....	do	do
Frederick W. Proudfoot.....	do	do
Henry Krueger.....	do	do
John H. Hume.....	do	do
Robert W. Martin	Joliet	Will.....
Eli Drum.....	Cerro Gordo	Piatt.....
Sherman T. Mattice.....	Raleigh	Saline.....
Horace N. Woodward.....	Odin	Marion
Cora M. Holderman.....	Morris	Grundy
Charles C. Whiteside.....	Buckhorn	Brown
Thornton G. Capps.....	Greenfield	Greene.....
Frank N. Oberhart.....	Chicago.....	Cook

JANUARY 2, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Rocco DeStefano.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles J. Lund.....	do	do
William A. Sutton.....	do	do
Stewart Steele.....	do	do
Ida Platt.....	do	do
Lewis J. Miller, Jr.....	do	do
August C. Schulz.....	Darmstadt.....	St. Clair.....
A. J. Fryer.....	Charleston.....	Coles.....
Isaiah Berninger.....	Lancaster.....	Wabash.....
Louis Lagger.....	Joliet.....	Will.....

JANUARY 3, 1903.

Adolph L. Benner.....	Chicago	Cook
Thomas F. Drabek.....	do	do
Frank M. Fairfield.....	do	do
Cyrus W. Gossert.....	do	do
Theodore J. Hoch.....	do	do
William L. Martin.....	do	do
Max E. Peltzer.....	do	do
Addie S. Potts.....	do	do
George T. Preschern.....	do	do
Joseph W. Serhant.....	do	do
F. W. Winkler.....	do	do
Edwin Wynn.....	do	do
L. E. Emmons.....	Quincy.....	Adams.....
W. M. Hazen.....	Philo.....	Champaign.....
J. O. Henderson.....	Pana.....	Christian.....
A. T. Welman.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
Edwin F. Heidemann.....	Elmhurst.....	DuPage.....
H. E. Shepherd.....	Hume.....	Edgar.....
D. Byron Piper.....	Altamont.....	Effingham.....
O. O. Pettit.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Jefferson.....
James H. Wolfe.....	Nilwood.....	Jacoupin.....
Tom H. Buckthorpe.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
Thomas J. Mitchell.....	Bement.....	Piatt.....
James A. Simpson.....	New Liberty.....	Pope.....
George B. Rhoads.....	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....
Charles H. Woodburn.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside.....
F. A. Hoover.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
John E. Carr.....	Lake Creek.....	Williamson.....
Frank Friedl.....	Durand.....	Winnebago.....
Charles H. Knapp.....	Rockford.....	do
Arthur R. Haley.....	do	do

JANUARY 5, 1903.

Samuel L. Waters.....	Chicago	Cook
Charles L. Rafoth.....	do	do
Edward E. Meister.....	do	do
David H. Lipsey.....	do	do
Oscar Brodfuehrer.....	do	do
Francis E. Broomell.....	do	do
John W. Simpson.....	do	do
Theodore J. Miller.....	do	do
Charles T. Mason.....	do	do
Arthur Jacobi.....	do	do
S. Ephraim.....	do	do
Hanna M. Kennedy.....	Delavan.....	Tazewell.....
S. C. Fugate.....	Viola.....	Mercer.....
James H. Murphy.....	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....
Henry W. Johnson.....	Ottawa.....	LaSalle.....
E. F. Mann.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
G. A. Deterding.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
C. M. Briggs.....	Hoopeston.....	Vermilion.....
Henry L. Glos.....	Elmhurst.....	DuPage.....

JANUARY 6, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Wm. Cassin.....	Chicago	Cook
John J. Hennessy	do	do
Edward Heller	do	do
David Maier	do	do
Jacob Miller	do	do
William G. Moore	do	do
Frank L. Shepard	do	do
Edgar B. Still	Fairdale	DeKalb
Frank G. Plain	Aurora	Kane
Lawrence L. Flinn	Springfield	Sangamon
Henry Voss	East St. Louis	St. Clair
B. W. Wright.....	Lacon	Marshall

JANUARY 7, 1903.

William S. Welch	Chicago	Cook
Thomas G. Vent	do	do
Jay C. McCally	do	do
James M. McArthur	do	do
Martha M. MacDonald	do	do
Albert W. Holmes	do	do
Arthur Gunther	do	do
Thomas J. Clark	do	do
N. K. Zlotnicki	do	do
Nathaniel H. Sutherland	do	do
H. Wallace Beals	do	do
Joseph Bonnefoi	do	do
J. Henry Krause	do	do
William H. Maclean	Wilmette	do
L. F. Wingard	Champaign	Champaign
Wm. H. Coffman	do	do
W. M. Fogler	Vandalia	Fayette
James H. Rennick	Toulon	Stark
O. J. Burns	Sidell	Vermilion
Albert R. Baird	Morrison	Whiteside
C. C. Hill	Fairfield	Wayne
J. Joseph Cooke	Beardstown	Cass
Charles W. Firke	Mansfield	Piatt
Hezekiah Place	Mattoon	Coles
Edward M. Rhodes	Champaign	Champaign

JANUARY 8, 1903.

Charles H. Trainer	Chicago	Cook
James Sheehan	do	do
T. Fred Laramie	do	do
Charles B. James	do	do
John L. Hagadorn	do	do
P. G. Corey	do	do
E. E. Black	Pekin	Tazewell
Wm. Watson	Sparta	Randolph
Geo. L. Armstrong	Olive Branch	Alexander
Joseph A. Roy	Quincy	Adams
Randall Jackson	Cairo	Alexander
Will L. Lingle	Jonesboro	Union
Erasmus D. Humphreville	River Forest	Cook

JANUARY 9, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Herman Simons.....	Chicago	Cook
Robert Rueping.....	..do .....	..do
Ella A. Lemke.....	..do .....	..do
William Ferderber.....	..do .....	..do
A. W. Axtell.....	..do .....	..do
Frank L. Joy.....	..do .....	..do
John M. Follinger.....	..do .....	..do
Percy V. Castle.....	..do .....	..do
Elmore H. Stafford.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
William O. Edwards.....	Pinckneyville.....	Perry
Isaac R. Spilman.....	DuQuoin .....	..do
Wm. E. Dietzel.....	Dorsey	Madison
Stephen A. Foley.....	Lincoln	Logan
L. S. Crossland.....	Bowen	Hancock
John F. Regan.....	Mt. Sterling.....	Brown
W. T. McIntosh.....	Green Valley.....	Tazewell.....
Francis I. Henry.....	Vandalia	Fayette.....

JANUARY 10, 1903.

Frithjof Asche.....	Chicago	Cook
R. W. Churchill.....	..do .....	..do
Charles Crowley.....	..do .....	..do
Martin J. Isaacs.....	..do .....	..do
Morris Kadansky.....	..do .....	..do
John Marsh.....	..do .....	..do
Joseph W. Mattes.....	..do .....	..do
James E. McCann.....	..do .....	..do
John M. O'Connor.....	..do .....	..do
Thomas J. Smith.....	..do .....	..do
C. E. Smith.....	..do .....	..do
Russell Thompson.....	..do .....	..do
Sol E. Wolf.....	..do .....	..do
August H. Wehmeyer.....	Quincy	Adams
Carl E. Epler.....	..do .....	..do
Thomas J. Smith.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
B. J. Schmitz.....	Germantown	Clinton
Frank C. Schroeder.....	Martinton	Iroquois
Stella A. Burr.....	Murphysboro	Jackson
D. Blanchard Blewett.....	Galena.....	Jo Daviess.....
W. H. Sulzberger.....	Ransom	LaSalle
William A. Covey.....	Mason City.....	Mason
August Boeker.....	Bloomington	McLean
Joseph W. Potts.....	Raymond.....	Montgomery
W. H. Dilatush.....	DeLand.....	Platt
John G. Wetzel.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside.....
Chas. H. Ireland.....	Washburn.....	Woodford
Frank Lockett.....	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Louis W. Torpe.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 12, 1903.

Henry C. Garasha.....	Chicago	Cook
Louis H. Mahnke.....	..do .....	..do
Alfred E. Manning.....	..do .....	..do
Edith Hill.....	..do .....	..do
William L. Walker.....	..do .....	..do
Albert T. Snow.....	..do .....	..do
Reuben W. Garrett.....	Ritchey.....	Will
Clarence L. Sheldon.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside
Joseph Kopf.....	Streator	LaSalle
William J. Brock.....	Kankakee	Kankakee
M. W. Kelly.....	Westville.....	Vermilion
G. W. Huffer.....	Coffeen	Montgomery
Martin A. Brennan.....	Bloomington	McLean
John E. Pollock.....	..do .....	..do
J. C. Reintges.....	Granite City.....	Madison
George J. Metzger.....	Shobonier.....	Fayette.....

JANUARY 13, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Archibald M. Watt.....	Chicago	Cook.....
Thomas E. Telfer.....	do	do
Estelle V. Pease	do	do
P. J. O'Shea.....	do	do
Walter M. Jackson.....	do	do
Marquis Eaton.....	do	do
A. L. Thompson	do	do
C. B. Weith	do	do
Matthew J. Huss.....	do	do
Lottie M. Athy	do	do
John W. Dodson	Danville	Vermilion
A. P. Rodewald	Rushville.....	Schuyler
William W. Reeves.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas
P. C. Burlington.....	Jewett.....	Cumberland.....
Franz J. Goehring.....	Delafield.....	Hamilton.....
Edward M. Burst.....	Sycamore	DeKalb

JANUARY 14, 1903.

John B. Piggott	Chicago	Cook
August Peters.....	do	do
Harry F. Thompson.....	do	do
Owen D. Sweinhart.....	do	do
Charles W. Schaack.....	do	do
Ray K. Pomeroy.....	do	do
Thomas J. Harper.....	do	do
Sigmund R. Frankel.....	do	do
Daniel Barone.....	do	do
Georgia M. McGrew.....	Clinton.....	DeWitt
Frank E. Alexander.....	Macedonia.....	Franklin
O. A. Holcomb.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
Frank X. Werling.....	Peru.....	LaSalle.....
Andrew Cook	Danvers.....	McLean.....
Geo. C. Greenwood.....	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 15, 1903.

Wm. P. Weber.....	Chicago	Cook
E. C. Stout.....	do	do
Henry B. Spurlock.....	do	do
Joseph S. Loftis.....	do	do
J. F. Goergin.....	do	do
J. A. Cozzens.....	do	do
Max E. Mueller.....	Wilmette.....	do
Wm. McEniry.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....
E. V. Orvis.....	Waukegan.....	Lake
Henry C. Schaffer.....	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....

JANUARY 16, 1903.

Israel Shrimski	Chicago	Cook
Frank A. Rockhold.....	do	do
Dominick F. Curley.....	do	do
Leonard Fiske.....	do	do
Henry A. Osborn.....	do	do
Albert F. Dunavan.....	Harvey.....	do
William R. McIlwain.....	Sparta.....	Randolph.....
Peter N. Holm.....	Chester.....	do
Wm. H. White.....	Paxton.....	Ford
R. J. N. Johnson.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas
A. B. Fink.....	Peoria.....	Peoria
W. E. Ainsworth.....	Mason City.....	Mason
B. F. Shankland.....	Pontiac.....	Livingston.....
Roy L. Rogers.....	Geneva.....	Kane.....

JANUARY 17, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Geo. H. Woods.....	Chicago	Cook
Fred S. Loomis.....	do	do
W. Archer Lake.....	do	do
Carl A. Jurgens.....	do	do
John Ritter.....	do	do
Lillie M. Hicks.....	do	do
Charles D. Evans.....	do	do
Gustav A. Bodwig.....	do	do
Arthur F. Browning.....	Time.....	Pike.....
Nelson Lewis.....	Alton.....	Madison.....
M. J. Higgins.....	Odell.....	Livingston.....
William E. Hoke.....	do	do
Charles J. Marhoefer.....	Elmhurst.....	DuPage.....
Lotan S. Manville.....	West Chicago.....	do
V. A. Dieter.....	Naperville.....	do
Peter Loser.....	Spring Bay.....	Woodford.....
W. H. Campbell.....	Norris City.....	White.....
Edward N. Stephenson.....	Woodhull.....	Henry.....
Nicholas Nilles.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....

JANUARY 19, 1903.

Charles H. Blatchford.....	Chicago	Cook.....
E. T. Goodrich.....	do	do
Wm. Elmore Foster.....	do	do
Frank D. Huth.....	do	do
Wm. A. Jones.....	do	do
A. F. Musgrave.....	do	do
W. F. M. McRaith.....	do	do
Andrew Ringman.....	do	do
Harry B. Boyer.....	Champaign.....	Champaign.....
Franklin Files.....	Darwin.....	Clay.....
Samuel C. Dayton.....	Flora.....	do
Brown E. Melvaine.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas.....
Solomon Aydt.....	Dahlgren.....	Hamilton.....
Elizabeth Snow.....	Sugar Grove.....	Kane.....
Clay H. Lynch.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.....
Albert A. Pawling.....	Braidwood.....	Will.....

JANUARY 20, 1903.

William Balger.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Charles W. Commons.....	do	do
James H. Lobdell.....	do	do
James F. Slapak.....	do	do
Charles A. Shipley.....	do	do
Fred L. Tidd.....	do	do
Fred J. Colburn.....	Oak Park.....	do
Charles Hogue.....	Mattoon.....	Coles.....
Arthur B. Dimond.....	Arcola.....	Douglas.....
E. A. Vandervere.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....
Henry Ream.....	Peru.....	LaSalle.....
I. R. Titus.....	Steward.....	Lee.....
W. E. Wire.....	Hebron.....	McHenry.....
A. J. Grimes.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
James E. Dowling.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Edith M. Richards.....	do	do

JANUARY 21, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William W. S. Carpenter	Chicago	Cook
Carleton N. Gary .....	..do .....	..do
Helen E. Gerrish .....	..do .....	..do
Albert Grubbe .....	..do .....	..do
St. Clair L. Hitt .....	..do .....	..do
Charles W. Nelson .....	..do .....	..do
C. H. Oburheide .....	..do .....	..do
C. P. Packer .....	..do .....	..do
Gail I. Bunger	Quincy	Adams
John P. Pallissard	Watseka	Iroquois
W. M. Fike	Lewistown	Fulton
W. H. Boys	Streator	LaSalle
Mahlon R. Forsyth	Dixon	Lee
G. M. Chaney	Pontiac	Livingston
Americus C. Dunaway	Buffalo Hart	Sangamon
Harry L. Bivins	Shelbyville	Shelby
E. C. Winters	Rock Falls	Whitesidel
Arthur W. Vercoe	Chicago	Cook

JANUARY 22, 1903.

Otto Bock	Chicago	Cook
Hugo R. Brenke .....	..do .....	..do
George Ralph Sutherland	Wilmette .....	..do
Oscar U. Sisson	Chicago .....	..do
William E. Whaples	Neponset	Bureau

JANUARY 23, 1903.

William T. Arlen	Chicago	Cook
May Barber .....	..do .....	..do
James M. Blazer .....	..do .....	..do
Horatio E. Cain .....	..do .....	..do
Charles J. Gordon .....	..do .....	..do
P. J. Hursen .....	..do .....	..do
Jacob Kolb .....	..do .....	..do
Ovide Langlois .....	..do .....	..do
M. J. McInerney .....	..do .....	..do
Elizabeth McQuiston .....	..do .....	..do
Edwin H. Smith .....	..do .....	..do
C. Pruyn Stringfield .....	..do .....	..do
Jacob H. Tiedemann .....	..do .....	..do
Henry L. Wallace .....	..do .....	..do
F. A. Woodbury .....	..do .....	..do
Emery Andrews	Mattoon	Coles
H. P. Thompson	Fosterburg	Madison
Tony O'Farrell	Collinsville .....	..do
Lewis B. Howe	Peoria	Peoria
B. D. Connelly	Rock Island	Rock Island
Mabel Allen	Springfield	Sangamon
George F. Hillman	Tremont	Tazewell
H. L. Brittingham	Danville	Vermilion
Maurice L. Morel	Clifton	Iroquois
W. I. McMullin	Lovington	Moultrie
C. A. Sherman	Chicago	Cook
Chas. M. Crayton	Potomac	Vermilion

JANUARY 24, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Arthur W. Cupler.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Henry J. Hetherington.....	do.....	do.....
John E. Johnson.....	do.....	do.....
Julius Limbach.....	do.....	do.....
Frederick C. Pratt.....	do.....	do.....
Geo. Rhines, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Lucien O. Renfro.....	do.....	do.....
Walter W. Strong.....	do.....	do.....
Jos. F. Trzil.....	do.....	do.....
Iven Axen.....	Grant Works.....	do.....
Charles A. Rhodes.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.....
N. M. Joslin.....	Sycamore.....	De Kalb.....
Adam M. Glos.....	Wayne.....	DuPage.....
N. R. Johnson.....	Aurora.....	Kane.....
Cyrus E. Bates.....	Mendota.....	LaSalle.....
Richard A. Wilson.....	Decatur.....	Macon.....
T. O. Pratt.....	Padua.....	McLean.....
Alf Griffin.....	Nokomis.....	Montgomery.....
Grace A. Miller.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....
Joseph T. Weisbruch.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
David Yost.....	Olney.....	Richland.....
Albert T. Barnes.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....
Oscar R. Zipf.....	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....
Samuel W. McGuire.....	Rossville.....	Vermilion.....
Frank J. Bowman.....	Sterling.....	Whiteside.....
W. P. Lightfoot.....	Arenzville.....	Cass.....

JANUARY 26, 1903.

John N. Brucks.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
John S. Burns.....	do.....	do.....
John Goldman.....	do.....	do.....
Clayton H. Robinson.....	do.....	do.....
Edw. F. Wach.....	do.....	do.....
H. L. Webber.....	do.....	do.....
L. B. Saffer.....	Urbana.....	Champaign.....
X. F. Siler.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.....
T. J. Trogdon.....	Paris.....	Edgar.....
John S. Bridges.....	Vienna.....	Johnson.....
Robt. Simpson.....	Galesburg.....	Knox.....
Charles Tjaden.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
J. B. Kennedy.....	Pulaski.....	Pulaski.....
W. F. Slater.....	Marion.....	Williamson.....
James Taylor.....	Tamaroa.....	Perry.....
Catherine M. Murphy.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
H. J. Pearlman.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 27, 1903.

Nathan Corwith.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
George E. Dawson.....	do.....	do.....
Claude R. Egan.....	do.....	do.....
Lawrence M. Ennis.....	do.....	do.....
Fred N. Keeler.....	do.....	do.....
T. H. Patterson.....	do.....	do.....
Peter J. Pinger, Jr.....	do.....	do.....
Ernst Sontag.....	do.....	do.....
William H. Wells.....	do.....	do.....
Edgar N. Walker.....	do.....	do.....
Ernst Lorenz.....	Dewey.....	Champaign.....
James M. Fuller.....	Tuscola.....	Douglas.....
Ashbel G. David.....	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....
Chris L. Daly.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.....
James F. Galvin.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....
William W. Lacey.....	Long Prairie.....	Wayne.....
Frank Jamison.....	Prophetstown.....	Whiteside.....
John B. Chapman.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....
Ralph Prime Pooley.....	do.....	do.....

JANUARY 28, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William N. Danks	Chicago	Cook
Louis Grollman	do	do
W. E. Keeley	do	do
Walter B. Swigert	do	do
C. A. VanHorne	do	do
H. C. Vernon	do	do
Allen Curry	Louisville	Clay
C. L. Stinson	Sandwich	DeKalb
Lawson S. Bliss	Dallas City	Hancock
John V. Streed	Cambridge	Henry
R. J. Kasserman	Newton	Jasper
Charles E. Powell	Aurora	Kane
C. A. White	Galesburg	Knox
Hjalmar Kohler	Moline	Rock Island
Henry Moecker	Homewood	Cook

JANUARY 29, 1903.

Wheeler W. Carpenter	Chicago	Cook
William E. Dodson	do	do
J. B. Edmondson	do	do
Fred C. Engel	do	do
Alvah S. Hopkins	do	do
John Orchard	do	do
Arthur H. Scharff	do	do
Albert Silverman	do	do
Samuel A. Holmes	Fieldon	Jersey
Charles A. Bartlett	Edwardsville	Madison
Harry Gilkesson	Peoria	Peoria
Andrew H. Butler	Lockport	Will

JANUARY 30, 1903.

C. E. Cleveland	Chicago	Cook
William J. Cook	do	do
Edward B. Everard	do	do
Antoinette Funk	do	do
Dan Greene	do	do
John Pecha	do	do
S. Sankstone	do	do
Harlan P. Wood	Dover	Bureau
John F. Davis	Rardin	Coles
Bertha Storm	Carbondale	Jackson
A. E. Werts	Abingdon	Knox
August Pfeiffer	Peoria	Peoria
George F. Roth	Rock Island	Rock Island
John M. Pfeiffer	New Berlin	Sangamon
Hugh J. Graham	Springfield	do
Joseph A. Smejkal	Chicago	Cook
Henry Ullrich	do	do
Dempsey A. Moore	Parish	Franklin
Andrew J. Anderson	Rockford	Winnebago

JANUARY 31, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry J. Barr	Chicago	Cook.....
Fred Michael	do	do
Daniel J. O'Connor	do	do
T. L. Pollock	do	do
Otto Raschke	do	do
John R. Robertson	do	do
Louis Seelig	do	do
Herbert J. Shannon	do	do
Oliver L. Watson	do	do
L. R. Illyes	Heathsville	Crawford
S. P. Ingram	Thompsonville	Franklin
J. W. Whitcomb	Downs	McLean
Albert E. Ritscher	Meredosia	Morgan
F. T. Cahill	Peoria	Peoria
James Y. Kelly	Springfield	Sangamon
George W. Whyte	Danville	Vermilion
Howard A. Swallow	do	do
James W. Fritz	Decatur	Macon

FEBRUARY 2, 1903.

Walter A. Barker	Chicago	Cook
John E. Burns	do	do
Frank H. Culver	do	do
Arthur F. Durand	do	do
Rudolph Frankenstein	do	do
Harry E. Hallenbeck	do	do
Jacob M. Hoyt	do	do
William A. Howe	do	do
Kurt Rosenthan	do	do
Isaac Rosenthal	do	do
C. J. Sullivan	do	do
Charles L. Sackett	LaGrange	do
A. D. Hawley	Pleasant Mound	Bond
Harry Anderson	McLeansboro	Hamilton
Daniel J. Murphy	Jerseyville	Jersey
Charles E. Blankenship	Patoka	Marion
W. P. Landon	Rochelle	Ogle
M. Wolkenstein	Peoria	Peoria
L. R. Phillips	Chillicothe	do
R. M. Riggs	Winchester	do
Thomas Clark	Wilmington	Will

FEBRUARY 3, 1903.

Sophia Cartmell	Chicago	Cook
Imo Cartmell	do	do
Ida M. Costello	do	do
Sophus Dabelstein	do	do
Lambert F. Eiterman	do	do
Harry M. Fisher	do	do
James F. Forsyth	do	do
Wilson B. Golden	do	do
John A. Rybezynski	do	do
John C. Spengler	do	do
C. Clarence Poole	Evanston	do
W. W. Reed	Rantoul	Champaign
B. R. Blankenbeker	Lindsay	Clark
Dan F. Raum	Peoria	Peoria
James H. Hopkins	Princeville	do
Adam A. Krape	Lena	Stephenson
William P. Green	Nashville	Washington
Thomas Gilmore	Rockford	Winnebago
W. H. Cornell	Belvidere	Boone
Emilie Tuma	Chicago	Cook
Edith Baumgardner	do	do

FEBRUARY 4, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice address.	County.
Edmund H. Chloupek.....	Chicago	Cook
V. W. Foster.....	..do .....	..do
Walter I. Hall.....	..do .....	..do
John C. Kinney.....	..do .....	..do
Thomas Williams .....	..do .....	..do
M. E. Scott.....	Cuba	Fulton
T. H. Wicoff.....	Palmouth.....	Jasper
Nellie C. Abrahams.....	Pekin	Tazewell.....
Edna H. Beebe.....	Joliet.....	Will.....
John P. Lewis.....	Marion.....	Williamson
Frank Chester.....	Bonfield.....	Kankakee
G. A. Bevard.....	Carterville	Williamson
Charles N. Keith.....	Princeton	Bureau.....
Harry E. Packer.....	Chicago	Cook
James Hall.....	..do .....	..do

FEBRUARY 5, 1903.

Andrew J. Ernst.....	Chicago	Cook
J. H. Solderwedel.....	Pekin	Tazewell.....
Shelby C. Dorwin.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Edward E. Wingert.....	Dixon.....	Lee.....
Alvah R. Jordan.....	Morris.....	Grundy.....
Frank V. Partridge.....	Springfield	Sangamon
Samuel O. Boyd.....	Dongola	Union.....

FEBRUARY 6, 1903.

Edward A. Dixon	Chicago	Cook
Chas. M. Friesenecker.....	..do .....	..do
John J. M. Ginty .....	..do .....	..do
Fred A. Klein.....	..do .....	..do
Charles H. Pease.....	..do .....	..do
W. M. Todd.....	Nokomis.....	Montgomery
A. J. Clarity.....	Lena.....	Stephenson
W. H. Schulte.....	Hopedale	Tazewell.....
William J. Mangold.....	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 7, 1903.

Roy G. Bishop.....	Chicago	Cook
John W. Ellis.....	..do .....	..do
Maud Foudray.....	..do .....	..do
George H. Griswold.....	..do .....	..do
Lulu E. McCormick.....	..do .....	..do
George T. Olsen.....	..do .....	..do
W. J. Peters.....	..do .....	..do
Frederick P. Read.....	..do .....	..do
George K. Schmidt.....	..do .....	..do
Henry C. Wallace.....	..do .....	..do
John Humphrey.....	Orland.....	..do
Alphonso W. Shera.....	Charleston	Coles
Oliver N. Owen.....	McHenry.....	McHenry
Samuel H. Crawford.....	Honey Bend.....	Montgomery
W. K. Whitfield.....	Sullivan.....	Moultrie
Gustav E. Hoffman.....	Peoria.....	Peoria
William B. Hall.....	DuQuoin.....	Perry
Ben P. Allen.....	Oconee.....	Shelby
Wm. P. Schall.....	Monmouth.....	Warren
Paul F. Kunde.....	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 9, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Albert J. Brockman.....	Chicago	Cook
Cecil Cluss.....	..do.....	..do.....
James Duffy.....	..do.....	..do.....
Martin J. Farrell .....	..do.....	..do.....
Edward E. Gossick .....	..do.....	..do.....
James S. Handy.....	..do.....	..do.....
Herbert D. Howe.....	..do.....	..do.....
Patrick F. Kotal.....	..do.....	..do.....
William Lay.....	..do.....	..do.....
Mrs. Mabel Ranger .....	..do.....	..do.....
John J. Reagan.....	..do.....	..do.....
J. P. McMannis.....	..do.....	..do.....
Malcomb B. Sterrett .....	..do.....	..do.....
John H. VanDyke.....	..do.....	..do.....
John M. Speer.....	Apple River.....	JoDaviess
T. Woods Smurr.....	Ottawa	LaSalle
S. W. McIntosh.....	St. Francisville.....	Lawrence.....
J. S. Merrill.....	Jacksonville	Morgan.....
John P. Mullane.....	East St. Louis	St. Clair
C. C. Secrist	Monmouth	Warren
James A. Holland.....	Norris City.....	White.....
Francis M. Wicker.....	Ball .....	..do.....
John Watson	Chicago	Cook

FEBRUARY 10, 1903.

Edward Clifford.....	Chicago	Cook
Oscar Durante .....	..do.....	..do.....
Aug. H. Kloehr .....	..do.....	..do.....
L. A. McDonald.....	..do.....	..do.....
Scott J. McDermott.....	..do.....	..do.....
Arthur S. Nathan.....	..do.....	..do.....
Wm. Edwin Nichols.....	..do.....	..do.....
George A. Reuss .....	..do.....	..do.....
George Remus.....	..do.....	..do.....
John F. Steiner .....	..do.....	..do.....
Harry E. Stager.....	..do.....	..do.....
John C. Williams .....	..do.....	..do.....
Lillie F. Wilson .....	..do.....	..do.....
Chas. C. Willson .....	..do.....	..do.....
Charles Ewing	Maywood .....	..do.....
William A. Neville	Kewanee	Henry
Wave Miller	Bloomington	McLean
J. E. Jennings	Sullivan	Moultrie
Dora E. Caughlan.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair
William Stout	Deer Creek.....	Tazewell
Abraham Halpin	Chicago	Cook
Emily M. Haskins	LaSalle.....	LaSalle
Stephen Arnold	Ottawa .....	..do.....

FEBRUARY 11, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
Henry B. M. Berentson	Chicago	Cook
Frank A. Denison .....	..do .....	..do
Edgar L. Hance .....	..do .....	..do
Joseph A. Hunter .....	..do .....	..do
B. Lundberg .....	..do .....	..do
Frank J. Quintenz .....	..do .....	..do
Chas. E. Selleck .....	..do .....	..do
Peter P. Thorson .....	..do .....	..do
J. A. Harrell	Fairland	Douglas
Henry C. Gerke, Jr.	Edwardsville	Madison
Newton S. Campbell	Blandinsville	McDonough
Andrew L. Rodgers	Monticello	Piatt
Andrew E. Ericson	Chicago	Cook
Frank O. Gustafson	Galesburg	Knox
Joseph P. Harrah	Charleston	Coles
Joseph Cohen	Chicago	Cook
Joseph J. Roetter .....	..do .....	..do
R. A. Board	Dallas City	Hancock
Thomas M. Keegan	Rochelle	Ogle
Edgar A. Harlan	Springfield	Sangamon

FEBRUARY 12, 1903.

C. W. Svenson	Chicago	Cook
Claude F. Smith .....	..do .....	..do
Edith Olson .....	..do .....	..do
Luke T. O'Brien .....	..do .....	..do
Alanson C. Noble .....	..do .....	..do
Elizabeth M. Lonergan .....	..do .....	..do
Flora R. Brady .....	..do .....	..do
George J. Jochem	Peoria	Peoria
Oliver R. Barrett .....	..do .....	..do

FEBRUARY 13, 1903.

Max Guthman	Chicago	Cook
Joseph H. Donlan .....	..do .....	..do
Henry F. Reuter	Nashville	Washington
Louis H. Hanna	Monmouth	Warren
James W. Clendenin .....	..do .....	..do
Frank J. Heine	Jacksonville	Morgan
Albert M. Sweetland	Newark	Kendall
F. N. Boyer	Olney	Richland
John W. Culter	Odin	Marion
S. A. Prater	Vandalia	Fayette
Henry S. Merrill	Chicago	Cook
Leigh H. Jackson .....	..do .....	..do

FEBRUARY 14, 1903.

R. H. Bartholomee	Chicago	Cook
John A. L. Durr .....	..do .....	..do
Roger S. Gorman .....	..do .....	..do
Ezra D. Neal .....	..do .....	..do
Clarence S. Piggett .....	..do .....	..do
M. Walker .....	..do .....	..do
Leon Zolotkoff .....	..do .....	..do
Wm. L. Twining	Maywood .....	..do
Frederick T. Horseman	Dixon	Lee
Thad. Smith	Ashton .....	..do
Joseph D. Mitchell	Pontiac	Livingston
William P. Wall	Staunton	Macoupin
Ferris L. Gaines	Crete	Will
S. M. Fowler	Marion	Williamson

FEBRUARY 16, 1903.

Name.	Postoffice Address.	County.
William F. Bauch	Chicago	Cook
William L. Barnum	do	do
Abel Davis	do	do
Etta Donovan	do	do
Herman B. Nirison	do	do
Ralph M. Ringland	do	do
Albert Schock	do	do
Harry S. Silverberg	do	do
Burt G. Thompson	do	do
Chas. J. Wilson	do	do
John C. White	Seatonville	Bureau
Paul R. Walters	Atkinson	Henry
A. V. Allen	North Chicago	Lake
Archie Cook	Præmption	Mercer
Wm. A. Mitchell	Chillicothe	Peoria
Arthur Kreisman	Peoria	do
Turney English	Springfield	Sangamon
Leroy S. Scott	Monmouth	Warren
Augustus F. Jelinek	Chicago	Cook

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Albertsen presented a petition from Delavan Post No. 155, G. A. R., concerning the Vicksburg Memorial,

Which on motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 3, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a board of fire and police commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 7,000 nor more than 100,000 and prescribing the powers and duties of such board," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 99, for "An act to amend section 1b of an act entitled, 'An act for the relief of disabled members of the police and fire departments in cities and villages,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by act approved May 10, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 100.

A bill for "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act to amend section three and said section eight of said act entitled as aforesaid, approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 101.

A bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,'" approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,'" approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 109.

A bill for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to provide for additional judges of the Circuit and Superior courts of the county of Cook,'" approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Lundberg offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 9.

WHEREAS, The people of northern Sweden and Finland, by reason of total crop failure, are suffering from widespread want and destitution far beyond the ability of their own fellow countrymen to alleviate and relieve; and,

WHEREAS, The spirit of our free institutions recognizes in every suffering human being a neighbor and a brother and commits our people and State to the broadest principles of humanity; and,

WHEREAS, The countries, whose people are now suffering, have contributed largely to this republic, not only in material assistance in times of distress in this State and elsewhere, but also in the sturdy character of the men and women who have left their shores to add to the population and wealth of this nation;

Therefore, be it resolved, by the Senate, of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Governor be, and he is hereby, requested to appoint a committee of citizens who shall coöperate with other committees and organizations working for the same cause in collecting and transmitting to the sufferers in the famine stricken districts of Sweden and Finland money and supplies which may be contributed for said cause; and,

Be it resolved, further, that the Governor be, and he is hereby, requested to issue a proclamation to the people of the State urging them to give of their bounty for the relief of the starvation and suffering in said northern districts of Sweden and Finland.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 158, for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 159, for "An act regulating and licensing barbers, barber shops, and regulating the practice and occupation of barbers,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 160, for "An act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block for losses sustained by him, and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 161, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 162, for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 163, for "An act making appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Rainey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 164, for "An act to repeal sections 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183,

184. 184a, 184b, inclusive of article 6, chapter 122, of the Revised Statutes of 1874, entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, and all acts supplementary to and amendatory thereof, and providing for the organization of all cities having 100,000 inhabitants and over, into separate school districts, and for the establishment, maintenance and government of public schools therein, and all repealing acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rainey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. McKenzie introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 165, for "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of the evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation, and to repeal a certain act therein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Albertsen, (by request,) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 166, for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 167, for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Andrus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 168, for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Andrus, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 169, for "An act to make an appropriation and appoint commissioners to erect a

monument upon the State House grounds to the memory of the former Governor of, and United States Senator from, the State of Illinois, Honorable Richard J. Oglesby,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Farrelly introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 170, for "An act to make appropriation and appoint commissioners to erect a monument upon the State House grounds to the memory of the former Governor of Illinois, Honorable Walter Carlin,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farrelly, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 171, for "An act to amend section 3 of 'An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 172, for "An act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named, approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 173, for "An act to make appropriation and appoint commissioners to erect a monument upon the State House grounds to the memory of the former Governor of, and United States Senator from, the State of Illinois, Honorable John M. Palmer,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 101, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the

punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up for consideration, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was recalled to the order of second reading, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the enacting clause was stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 100, a bill for "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act to amend section three and said section eight of said act entitled as aforesaid, approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up for consideration, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was recalled to the order of second reading, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the enacting clause was stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 109, for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to provide for additional judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Alden,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Barr,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson,
Berry,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,	
Campbell,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Yeas—37,
Coleman,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Small,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hall,	Nays—1.
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This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

At 10:25 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Hall the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Stubblefield presented a petition from The Daughters of the American Revolution, concerning the purchase of Old Fort Massac, which

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 149, for "An act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,' " approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 64), for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 147,) for "An act

providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulations of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violations of its provisions," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 123, for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 32, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State, and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 174, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State, and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," was under the rules read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 43,) for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population of not less than 70,000," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, (Senate Bill No. 127,) for "An act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same," reported the same back with amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 83, for "An act for the protection of Chautauqua Associations," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 108, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 140, for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 156, for "An act concerning investments by trustees," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fort, from the Committee on Military, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 145, for "An act making appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop A, First Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, 1902," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and that it be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 58, for "An act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain lands," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 175, for "An act to make appropriation for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission of Claims to certain persons named therein,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 176, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 177, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning conveyances,' approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 178, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes,' approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 179, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to guardians and wards,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 180, for "An act prohibiting public presentation for profit of unpublished or undedicated dramatic plays and musical compositions without consent of the owner or proprietor thereof, and providing punishment for violation of the provisions of this act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 181, for "An act to compel residents of this State to attend as witnesses in criminal actions in courts of adjoining states,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Watson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 182, for "An act to amend section one (1) and section twenty-six (26) of an act entitled 'An act to provide additional remedies for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to amend, revise and consolidate the amended game law,' approved June 1, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and the game warden act, approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, and the act to prohibit persons from hunting within the enclosures of others without leave,' as amended by act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 183, for "An act making claims or demands for damages to persons or property, or for causing the death of a person, assignable,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 184, for "An act to give attorneys at law a lien for their fees and costs in suit, at law or in equity, wherein they are retained,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 185, for "An act making it unlawful for a corporation to engage in the practice of law,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 186, for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 187, for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 188, for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 4, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 189, for "An act to amend section thirty-three (33) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Riley introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 190, for "An act to authorize the Sanitary District of Chicago to construct dams, water wheels and other works necessary to develop and make available the water power in its channels and to levy taxes therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Riley, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 6, a bill for "An act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers," was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, Feb. 11, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 6 as follows:

Printed bill, section 1, line 10, after the word "penitentiary" strike out the words "for life" and insert "for not less than twenty (20) years and may be imprisoned for life."

Section 2, line 10, after the word "may," strike out the words "in the discretion of the court."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 15, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to dower,' approved March 4, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 23, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following to be known as section 81 $\frac{1}{2}$,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary Feb. 11, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 by striking out all of said bill beginning with the words "Section 81 $\frac{1}{2}$," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Whoever being the administrator of the estate of a decedent, or the executor of a last will, or guardian of any minor, conservator of any idiot, distracted person, drunkard, spendthrift or insane person, or trustee or other person acting in any fiduciary capacity, without good cause, fails or refuses, when legally required by the proper person or authority, to account for or pay over to such person or persons as may be lawfully entitled to receive the same, any money, choses in action, or other property which may have come into his hands, by virtue of his office, duty or trust, shall be deemed guilty of larceny."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 44, a bill for "An act to provide for the vacation sessions of the circuit court, and to fix the power of the court at such sessions."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 54, a bill for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Stringer offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 54, by striking out the words "resident property owners, abutting," in line 17 of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "property owners residing in such city, town or village, whose property abuts."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 81, a bill for "An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, and to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874;,' approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 3, a bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 7,000 nor more than 100,000, and prescribing the powers and duties of such board,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Bailey offered the following amendments to the bill which were adopted:

Amend printed bill No. 3, by inserting after section 18 the following:

The electors of any city of the population herein described, may adopt the provisions of this act in the following manner. Wherever 20 per cent of the legal voters of such incorporated city shall petition the city clerk, or the officer or officers whose duty it is to prepare the ballots to submit the proposition as to whether such city shall adopt the provisions of this act, then it shall be the duty of such officer or officers to submit such proposition accordingly at the next succeeding regular city election, and if such proposition be not adopted at such election, the same may in like manner be submitted at any regular city election thereafter.

The proposition so to be voted for shall be prepared and provided for that purpose in the same manner as other ballots and shall be substantially in the following form:

For the adoption of the provisions of an act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 5,000, and not more than 100,000, and defining the powers and duties of such board.	Yes.	
	No.	

If a majority of the votes cast in said city at said election shall be for such proposition, then this act shall be declared adopted and in force in such city.

Amend title and section 1 by striking out the word "seven" in line three and inserting the word "five."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 99, a bill for "An act to amend section 1b of an act entitled, 'An act for the relief of disabled members of the police and fire departments in cities and villages,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; as amended by act approved May 10, 1879, in force July 1, 1879; as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 147, a bill for "An act providing for the examination, registration, and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulations of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violations of its provisions," was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, Feb. 18, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 147, printed bill, as follows:

Section 2. By striking out the words, "under the direct" in line 2.

By striking out the words, "supervision of" in line 3, and substituting therefor the word "by".

By striking out the word "by" in line 3, and substituting therefor the following words: "with the assistance of".

By adding to line 3, after the word "board", at the end of the line, the following words: "which shall be known as the Examining Committee for Registration of Nurses".

By striking out of line 7, the following words: "members of this committee of".

Section 5. By striking out all of this section after the word "examination" in line 12.

Section 6. By striking out the following words in line 4, viz: "obstetrics", "children's diseases" and "sanitation".

By adding after the word "patients" in line 5, the following words: "with special reference to obstetrical cases and children".

By striking out the word "any", in line 6, and substituting therefor the word "a".

By striking out the words: "or satisfactory" in line 8, and all of lines 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, up to and including the word "Health" in line 13.

By striking out the word "trained" in line 16.

Section 10. By inserting the word "such" before the word "rules" in line 4.

By inserting after the word "instruction" in line 6, the following words: "as may have been recommended by the Examining Committee for Registration of Nurses."

By striking out the word "January" in line 7, and substituting therefor the word "July".

By inserting before the word "graduate" in line 10, the following words: "trained or".

Section 11. By inserting after the word "shall", in line 1, the following words: "after July 1, 1904."

By striking out of line 2 the word "trained".

By striking out of line 3 the letters "T. N.".

By striking out of line 5 the word "trained".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

WHEREAS, The people of Northern Sweden and Finland, by reason of total crop failure, are suffering from widespread want and destitution far beyond the ability of their own fellow countrymen to alleviate and relieve, and,

WHEREAS, The spirit of our free institutions recognizes in every suffering human being a neighbor and a brother and commits our people and State to the broadest principles and humanity, and,

WHEREAS, The countries whose people are now suffering have contributed largely to this Republic, not only in material assistance, in times of distress in this State and elsewhere, but also in the sturdy character of the men and women who have left their shores to add to the population and wealth of this nation, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Governor be, and he is hereby, requested to appoint a committee of citizens who shall cooperate with other committees and organizations working for the same cause, in collecting and transmitting to the sufferers in the famine stricken districts of Sweden and Finland, money and supplies which may be contributed for said cause, and be it

Resolved, further, That the Governor be, and he is hereby, requested to issue a proclamation to the people of the State urging them to give of their bounty for the relief of the starvation and suffering in said northern districts of Sweden and Finland.

Concurred in by the House February 17, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 17, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint R. R. Fowler, of Marion, Williamson county, as Public Guardian of Williamson county.

I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

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I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.

Governor.

At 10:32 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering the foregoing messages from His Excellency, the Governor, and his message of Feb. 17, 1903, making nominations for Notaries Public.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors was suspended.

And the question being "Does the Senate advise and consent to the foregoing nominations and to the nominations for Notaries Public made on yesterday?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas.	Maher.	Riley.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hall.	McCabe.	Small.
Bailey.	Evans.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Stringer.
Barr.	Farnum.	Helm.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fort.	Jandus.	Parker.	Townsend.
Butler.	Fowler.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Koch.	Powers.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Yeas—44.

At 10:35 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

At 10:36 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Haas, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 14, for "An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000.00) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Francis E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor. the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 129, for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the Committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 137, for "An act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Home for Disabled Volunteer soldiers," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 3.

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 5,000 nor more than 100,000, and prescribing the powers and duties of such board.

SENATE BILL NO. 15.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to dower," approved March 4, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 23.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following to be known as section 81¹/₂.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 87, for "An act to amend certain sections of an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force Jan. 1, 1902, and to add two additional sections thereto," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 86, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c, and section 3d, respectively," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 107, for "An act making appropriation for St. Charles Home for Boys," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and that it be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was so referred.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26.

Resolved, That William Scheevers be and is hereby appointed janitor of the Senate at a compensation of \$1.50 per day.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Juul from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 191, for "An act to amend section 1, Article IV, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 192, for "An act to amend section 8 of Article V of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 193, for "An act to amend section 14 of article VIII of 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 194, for "An act to amend article V of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by inserting therein a new section, to be known as section 16a,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 195, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 196, for "An act to repeal section 7 of article V of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 197, for "An act to amend section 2 of Article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 198, for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved Mar. 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved Jan. 21, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Templeton, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 199, for "An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois and to repeal certain acts therein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Templeton, was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Barr introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 200, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 201, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Helm introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 202, for "An act to create the Court of Claims and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Helm, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Helm introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 203, for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Helm, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 204, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 205, for "An act for the relief of George K. Hazlitt,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Military.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 206, for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 207, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers Association."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Dunlap introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 208, for "An act to revise the law in relation to the manufacture and sale of articles intended for the food and drink and enforce the provisions thereof."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 209, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Amelia Hertzberg, widow of Rudolph Hertzberg, deceased, late an employé of the Eastern Illinois Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 210, for "An act relating to the assignment by any person of his or her future unearned wages, salary or compensation,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hamilton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 211, for "An act to amend section ninety (90) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice

thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Koch introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 212, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Koch, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Koch introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 213, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Koch, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stubblefield, (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 214, for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 4, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 215, for "An act relative to the appointment and qualification and term of service, of drainage commissioners,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Meehan, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 3, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a board of fire and police commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than 5,000 nor more than 100,000 and prescribing the powers and duties of such board,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rainey,	Yeas—37.
Campbell,	Haas	Lundberg,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 15, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to dower, approved March 4, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueiler,	Stubblefield.
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Barr,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—34.
Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,	
Dunlap,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 23, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following to be known as section 81½,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—41.
Clark,	Hall,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 149, a bill for "An act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June

19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

Senate Bill No. 123, a bill for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning land titles, approved and in force May 1, 1897,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 83, a bill for "An act for the protection of Chautauqua Associations,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Albertsen offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

No. 1. Amend title of Senate Bill No. 83 by adding thereto the following: "For the appointment by them of special police officers and to fix penalties for the violation of the rules of such associations."

No. 2. Amend Senate Bill No. 83 by inserting after the word "shall" in line 2, section 2 of printed bill, the following: "With intent to defraud any such assembly."

No. 3. Amend by inserting after the word "shall" in line 9 of section 2 of printed bill, the following: "Upon conviction."

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 108, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to prescribe for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 140, a bill for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 156, a bill for "An act concerning investments by trustees,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 58, a bill for "An act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain lands,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 216, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish the improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 217, for "An act for the submission of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 14, a bill for "An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000.00) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Francis E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting the same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 24, for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies

doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, and acts amendatory thereto," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 31, for "An act to authorize villages in this State to purchase or rent fire apparatus and appliances for protection from fire, and issue negotiable certificates of indebtedness therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

At 10:50 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1903—9:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 9:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Templeton, the Senate adjourned until Monday, February 23, 1903, at 5 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, February 20, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Stringer, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Bailey, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1903—10 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Monday, Feb. 23, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Rev. Edward A. Kelly, 4515 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Cook county, as member of the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities, to succeed John Gibbons, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the request of the National Bar association (The American Bar Association,) acting through the Illinois State Bar Association, I herewith transmit a copy of a bill for an act in relation to negotiable instruments, with the request that the General Assembly give to the same its earnest attention and consideration.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.
Governor.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President:—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following joint rules, to-wit:

JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
FORTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. When a message shall be sent from the Senate to the House of Representatives, it shall be announced at the door of the House by the Doorkeeper, and shall be respectfully communicated to the Chair by the person by whom it may be sent.

2. The same ceremony shall be observed when messages shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate.

3. Messages shall be sent by such persons as a sense of propriety in each House may determine to be proper.

4. In every case of disagreement between the two Houses, if either House request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other House shall appoint a committee to confer therewith upon the subject of their disagreement. Said committee shall meet at a convenient time to be agreed upon by their chairman, and having conferred freely, each shall report to its respective House the result of their conference. In case of an agreement, the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the disagreeing House, and there acted upon; and such action shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other House, the papers referred accompanying the message. In case of disagreement the papers shall remain with the House which referred them. The agreeing report of a conference committee shall be made, read and signed in duplicate by all members of the committee, or by a majority of those of each House, one of the duplicates being retained by the committee of each House. Should either House disagree to the report of the committee, such House shall appoint a second committee and request a second conference, which shall be acceded to by the other House before adhering. The motion for a committee of conference, and the report of such committee, shall be in order at any time. When both Houses shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolution is lost.

5. While bills are on their passage between the two Houses they shall be accompanied by a message signed by the Secretary or Clerk (as the case may be) respectively.

6. After a bill has passed both Houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

7. When bills are enrolled they shall be examined by a joint committee, which shall consist of five members, two from the Senate and three from the House, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, respectively. The Clerk of the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills of the respective Houses shall act as clerk of the committee whenever their services are required. Said committee shall carefully compare the enrolled bills with the engrossed bills so passed by both Houses, correct any errors which may be discovered in the enrolled bills, and make their report forthwith to their respective Houses; the Secretary or Clerk having previously certified on the margin of the roll in which House it originated.

8. After examination and report, each bill shall be signed in the respective Houses, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and then by the President of the Senate.

9. After a bill shall have been signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, it shall be presented by said Joint Committee to the Governor for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor to each House, which time shall be carefully entered on the journals of each House.

10. All resolutions and memorials which are to be presented to the Governor shall be previously enrolled, examined, signed and presented by the Joint Committee, reported, and entry thereof made, as provided in case of bills.

11. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one House is rejected in the other, information thereof shall be given to the House in which the same shall have passed.

12. When the consideration of any bill, memorial or resolution which has originated in one House shall be postponed in the other to a day so distant that it shall not be taken up again by the present session, the House in which such bill, memorial or resolution shall have originated shall be forthwith informed of such postponement.

13. When a bill, memorial or resolution which has passed one House is rejected in the other, it shall not again be introduced during the same session, except in the House so rejecting, and after three days' notice and leave of that House.

14. Each House shall transmit to the other all papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

15. While the two Houses are acting together upon elections, or on any other matter, the Speaker shall preside, and all questions of order shall be decided by him, subject to an appeal to both Houses, as though but one body was in session. A call of members of either House may be had in joint meeting by order of the House in which the call is desired, and to constitute a quorum of the joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both Houses shall be present and voting.

16. Motions to postpone or adjourn shall be decided by a joint vote of both Houses, and yeas and nays upon such motions, if required, shall be entered upon the journals of both Houses.

17. Upon questions arising requiring the separate decision of either House, the Senate shall withdraw until the decision is made: *Provided*, That questions upon motions for a call of either House shall not come within the provisions of this rule.

18. Each House shall have the liberty of ordering the printing of bills, messages and reports without the consent of the other.

19. Whenever any message, bill, report or document shall be ordered to be printed by the Senate or House, for the use of both Houses, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate or Clerk of the House (as the case may be) immediately to report the fact of the passage of such order to the other branch of the General Assembly, together with the number so ordered to be printed, in case the same shall exceed 300.

Concurred in by the House, Feb. 19, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Mueller from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 49, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 171, for "An act to amend section 3 of 'An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State

of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 158, for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 159, for "An act regulating and licensing barbers, barber shops, and regulating the practice and occupation of barbers," reported the same back with recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 39, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 6.

A bill for an act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers.

SENATE BILL No. 44.

A bill for an act to provide for vacation sessions of the circuit court, and to fix the power of the court at such sessions.

SENATE BILL No. 81.

A bill for an act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91 $\frac{1}{2}$) of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91 $\frac{1}{2}$) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, and to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887."

SENATE BILL No. 14.

A bill for an act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented and also to defray the expense of transporting same to Washington, D. C., when completed and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.

SENATE BILL No. 83.

A bill for an act for the protection of Chautauqua Associations, for the appointment by them of special police officers, and to fix penalties for the violation of the rules of such association.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 140.

A bill for an act to amend section 16, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships," approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 58.

A bill for an act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain land.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 27.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be instructed and empowered to have printed one thousand copies of the resolution, speeches and journal proceedings pertaining to the memorial exercises in this Senate in commemoration of the death of Senator Harris, and that he distribute said copies to the members of the Senate and the family of Senator Harris.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That each and every State officer, institution, board or commission, using or controll-

ing grounds or buildings owned by or used for the benefit of the State of Illinois be, and they are, hereby required at once to prepare under the direction of the State Supervising Architect on a uniform scale and in a uniform manner to be determined by him, the following maps, charts, plans and the like relating to the buildings and grounds and the surroundings of the State properties or institutions:

1. A map of the territory immediately surrounding such public property, and showing the relation of the public buildings and property to the cities, towns, rivers, railways and the like—such maps to be, if possible, without great expense, contour maps and to cover a territory not exceeding six miles square.

2. A map of the land owned or controlled and used by such State officers, institutions, boards or commissions, showing the buildings, roads, bridges, lakes, rivers, walks, streams, forests, farms, fences, and the like, on or enclosing such property, or forming part of the immediate surroundings.

3. A chart of that portion of each such piece of property necessary to show the public buildings in their proper relation to each other, and the water, sewer, light, heat and power mains or conduits, or other conduits connecting the several buildings and all such as make connection with the city or public mains.

4. Elevations of all the buildings owned by the State.

5. Floor plans of the principal parts of the several buildings owned by the State, particularly the principal ones, showing dimensions, structural material and the like, and also sections where available or considered desirable for showing the structure of the building.

6. Such maps, charts, elevations and plans are to be made as far as possible from existing materials owned by the State or others, and are to be properly arranged, mounted, bound and indexed so as to bring together the matter relating to any given institution or property, and as to permit new maps, charts, plans, elevations, and the like to be inserted or additions and corrections to be made to the old, and so as to have the same available for the use of the public officers, members of the Legislature and the committees thereof.

7. Such maps, charts, elevations, and the like are to be kept up and corrected from time to time as the property of the State varies, and are to be kept in the office of the Secretary of State, or the Auditor of the State, as may be determined by the Governor.

Be it further resolved, That each and every such State officer, institution, board, or commission having in its possession any abstract of title or deed running to the State of Illinois, or other instrument affecting the title to any of the real estate owned or controlled, or supposed to be owned by the State of Illinois, be and the same are hereby authorized and required at once to turn over the same to the Secretary of State or Auditor, as may be determined by the Governor, and where such papers necessary to show the title to the State of Illinois are wanting that under the direction of the Attorney General they shall be prepared, or a proper record of the deficiencies and the manner in which they may be supplied shall be made; that all such matter shall be filed with and become a part of the permanent record of the Secretary of State or the Auditor, as may be determined by the Governor, and that the same shall be properly arranged, indexed and mounted so as to be easily accessible to the State officers, members and committees of the General Assembly.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration; and,

On his motion, was referred to the Committee on Public Accounts, and ordered printed.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That the officers of the State of Illinois and departments of the State government, and the trustees, commissioners, superintendents, wardens, presidents and other officers of the various institutions, boards and commissions of the State of Illinois be, and they are hereby, required to prepare or have prepared a full and correct pay roll list of their special, temporary, permanent or other employes; and that such pay roll list of employes be arranged so as to show in the proper columns the following information: 1. The name of each employé. 2. His or her place of residence and occupation at the time of his or her employment. 3. The person or persons on whose recommendation or request he or she was appointed. 4. The nominal position to which he or she was assigned. 5. The actual duties performed by him or her. 6. The date of discontinuance of his or her service if such has been discontinued during the preceding month or quarter. 7. The reason for such discontinuance. 8. The agreed rate of compensation for such employé. 9. The amount of money actually received by him or her. 10. The number of days he or she reported for and performed work during the preceding month. 11. And, if absent, the reason or excuse for such absence; that such pay roll list of employes shall be prepared quarterly, and that a copy of the same shall be filed in the Auditor's office within ten days after the termination of such quarter; that the same shall be accompanied by a sworn statement as to its accuracy and completeness made by the proper officer in charge to be designated by the Auditor, such sworn statement to state specifically that the officer making the same has examined the facts and finds that each of the persons named in such list performed the service indicated and was present on duty or if absent, was excused as stated in the list; that from such pay roll lists the Auditor shall immediately make up for permanent record and for public inspection a sheet to be known as the "Consolidated pay roll of the State of Illinois," which shall contain the information gathered from such several pay roll lists properly classified, tabulated, and arranged so as to exhibit amongst other things, the pay rolls of the different State officers, departments, institutions, boards, commissions and the like, the pay rolls of their respective departments and divisions; comparisons between the pay rolls of the various officers, departments, institutions, boards and commissions, and their corresponding departments and divisions, and comparisons with like data of preceding years so far as may seem proper to the Auditor; that the Auditor shall prescribe and furnish the various forms and blanks necessary to be used in keeping pay rolls and to carry out this resolution; and the first of such consolidated pay rolls shall cover the quarter beginning with the first day of January, 1903.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration; and,

On his motion, was referred to the Committee on Public Accounts, and ordered printed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 218, for "An act to amend an act providing for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 219, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to judgments and decrees, and the manner of enforcing the same by execution, and to provide for the redemption of real estate sold under execution and decree,' approved March 22, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 220, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress from rent,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877, which amending act was approved June 24, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 221, for "An act to amend sections 53, 60, 70, 101, 112, 114 and 124 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and acts amendatory of said sections, and to repeal section 68 of said act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 222, for "An act to amend article XVI of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 223, for "An act to amend sections 21 and 49 of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 224, for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 225, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 226, for "An act to prevent interference with the administration of justice in courts of record,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 227, for "An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,' which amendatory act was approved June 14, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 228, for "An act to reimburse Captain J. G. Roberts for recruiting Co. L, 10th Regiment of Illinois Cavalry in 1861, and for moneys paid out by him in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Coleman introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 229, for "An act requiring notes and like evidences of indebtedness to be presented to the assessor for his indorsement thereon, and rendering void all notes not so endorsed, and providing a penalty for a false endorsement or a failure to list such property for taxation after making the endorsement thereon,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Dunlap introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 230, for "An act making an appropriation for the college of engineering of the University of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Albertsen introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 231, for "An act relating to demurrage arising in freight transportation by railways,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Albertsen introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 232, for "An act to amend sections 2 and 32 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 233, for "An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 234, for "An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employes pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 100,000 inhabitants,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 235, for "An act to place the employes of the Board of Election Commissioners under civil service wherever the people have adopted "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 236, for "An act concerning reserves for insurance companies writing personal accident and liability insurance policies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 237, for "An act in relation to the Sanitary District of Chicago and to enlarge the corporate limits thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 238, for "An act authorizing cities, incorporated towns and villages to produce, distribute, sell and dispose of, light, heat, energy and power, or any of them, and to construct and maintain a plant or plants for that purpose, together with distributing pipes and conductors, and all necessary and convenient fixtures and appliances,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 239, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, said section 20 being amended by act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humpnrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 240, for "An act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 241, for "An act authorizing cities, villages and incorporated towns to construct, purchase, lease and operate gas works and electric lighting works for public and private use,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 6, for "An act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jaul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—41.
Campbell,	Gardner,			

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 44, for "An act to provide for vacation sessions of the circuit court, and to fix the power of the court at such sessions,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jaul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson.
				Yeas—40.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 81, for "An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend section ninety-one and one-half (91½) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, and to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,	Yeas—45.
Clark,				

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 83, for "An act for the protection of Chautauqua associations, for the appointment by them of special police officers, and to fix penalties for the violation of the rules of such associations,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 140, for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—34.
Campbell,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 58, for "An act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain lands,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,	Yeas—38.
Dawson,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 14, for "An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—43.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 242, for "An act relating to negotiable instruments,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 29, a bill for "An act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid, and providing a penalty therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 29 by inserting after the words "for taxes" in line 16 of the printed bill, the following words: "He shall note in the same manner 'this property has been sold for taxes,'" and strike out of line 16 and 17 the words: "Paid by sale of land described within."

Pending the consideration of the bill and amendments,

On motion of Mr. Juul, the further consideration thereof was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, Feb. 25, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 86, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c, and section 3d, respectively,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 87, a bill for "An act to amend certain sections of an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force January 1, 1902, and to add two additional sections thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Watson offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted.

Amendment No. 1.

After the word "clerks" in line 12, add the words, "village trustees."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out the words, "in counties not under township organization," in lines 15 and 16 of the bill.

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out the period after the word "disability" in line 20, and add: *Provided, also*, that upon petition of twenty legal voters in any school district, the Secretary of the State Board of Health shall designate one person in such school district to issue permits."

On motion of Mr. Burnett, the bill and amendments were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 149, a bill for "An act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," which was read at large a second time February 19, 1903.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1903, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Parker presented a petition from Baptist Ministers' Conference of Chicago, in favor of the passage of Senate Bill No. 41, the local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Walter presented a petition from Bethalto Post No. 509, G. A. R., concerning the Vicksburg Memorial, which,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Walter presented a petition from Edwardsville Post No. 461, G. A. R., concerning the Vicksburg Memorial, which,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Walter presented a petition from Highland Post No. 437, G. A. R., concerning the Vicksburg Memorial, which,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Watson presented a petition from Coleman Post No. 308, G. A. R., concerning the Vicksburg Memorial, which,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President.—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 25, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to nominate and appoint Charles E. Smiley of DuPage county as trustee of the State Training School for Girls, to succeed Rollin H. Woods of Rock Falls, Whiteside county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 33, for "An act to regulate the practice of professional nursing of the sick in the State of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 180, for "An act prohibiting public presentation for profit of unpublished or undedicated dramatic plays and musical compositions without consent of the owner or proprietor thereof, and providing punishment for violation of the provisions of this act," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 181, for "An act to compel residents of this State to attend as witnesses in criminal actions in courts of adjoining states," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the Committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 36, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in relation to the probating of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 114, for "An act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell, or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part for business purposes," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 116, for "An act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 134, for "An act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 162, for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 165, for "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of the evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation, and to repeal a certain act therein named," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 188, for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved April 4,

1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 189, for "An act to amend section thirty-three (33) of an act entitled 'An act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 67, for "An act to amend division XI of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 9a," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 70, for "An act to amend section 11 of division XIII of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 71, for "An act concerning appeals in criminal cases," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 72, for "An act to amend section 211 of division I of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 55, for "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 69, for "An act to amend section 10 of division VII, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 66, for "An act to amend section 3 of division X, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 68, for "An act to amend section 5 of division III, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 147.

A bill for an act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulation of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violation of its provisions.

SENATE BILL No. 86.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings," approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c and section 3d, respectively.

SENATE BILL No. 149.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,'" approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 156.

A bill for an act concerning investments by trustees.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 108.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation," approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Walter introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 213, for "An act to amend section 32 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved Feb. 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 244, for "An act to protect the rights of property holders in the transfer of property which is insured,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 245, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the

State charitable institutions and the State Reform School and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 246, for "An act to amend 'An act concerning Canada thistles, approved and in force March 15, 1872,' declaring certain weeds nuisances and providing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 247, for "An act appropriating \$5,000 to assist in defraying the expenses of the erection of an equestrian statue to the memory of General Thaddeus Kosciuszko in one of the public parks of the city of Chicago, Cook county, Illinois,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 248, for "An act making an appropriation of \$15,000 for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 249, for "An act to regulate the business of insurance and to prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 250, for "An act to amend section fifteen (15) of an act entitled 'An act to regulate public warehouses and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article XIII of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871; as amended by act approved May 21, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 251, for "An act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintenance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding, in the county of La

Salle and State of Illinois, to the memory of the 16 men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians, under the chief Blackhawk, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1832,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate bill No. 252, for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and to add two additional sections to said act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 253, for "An act to add a new section to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 254, for "An act to amend sections 1, 3, 4 and 7 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed, and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872; as amended by an act approved June 14, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as further amended June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, by providing for extending the charter of such corporations,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 255, for "An act to amend sections 2 and 13 of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain the Western Illinois State Normal School,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 256, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public

Charities, and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State charitable institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill, No. 257, for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 258, for "An act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities to own and operate street railways,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Clark, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 259, for "An act to enable cities and villages to buy or construct tunnels, to fix the rate of compensation for the use thereof, and enter into contracts concerning such use and compensation, to pledge the income and revenue therefrom for the payment thereof, and to establish a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds at maturity,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

Mr. Clark, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 260, for "An act to amend section 74 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, and amended by an act approved and in force May 9, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Labor and Manufactures.

Mr. McKenzie introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 261, for "An act requiring the recording of surveys,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 262, for "An act to conserve and protect the real estate acquired by the State of Illinois for the purposes of the Illinois and Michigan canal, with all riparian rights appurtenant thereto, developed or capable of development in the Desplaines river; and the property of the State in the Illinois river, or elsewhere, and to authorize their being devoted to other public uses,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Canals and Rivers.

Mr. Alden introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 263, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits,' approved and in force April 11, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Alden, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 3.

A bill for "An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand dollars (\$9,000) in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C."

HOUSE BILL NO. 38.

A bill for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park."

HOUSE BILL NO. 313.

A bill for "An act for the relief of the destitute people in northern Sweden and Finland." Passed the House Feb. 24, 1903, by two-thirds vote.

Passed the House Feb. 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 3, a bill for "An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (9,000) dollars in preparing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 313, a bill for "An act for the relief of the destitute people in northern Sweden and Finland,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 29, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid, and providing a penalty therefor,'" which was read at large a second time, Feb. 24, 1903, the pending question being, "Shall the following amendment offered by Mr. Juul be adopted?" which was decided in the affirmative.

Amend Senate Bill No. 29 by inserting after the words "for taxes," in line 16 of the printed bill, the following words: "He shall note in the same manner 'this property has been sold for taxes.'" and strike out of lines 16 and 17 the words, "paid by sale of land described within."

After debate, Mr. Clark moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Juul moved to lay the motion to refer on the table,

Which motion was lost.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 264, for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 147, for "An act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulation of the institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violations of its provisions,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Helm.	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey.	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Fort,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	
Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,	Yeas—37.
Dawson,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stringer,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Dunlap,	Farrelly,	Nays—5.
Burnett,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 108, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,
Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Butler,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 156, for "An act concerning investments by trustees,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Small,
Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Rees,	Yeas—31.
Burnett,	Fuller,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort,	Parker,	Rainey,	Walter,	Nays—5.
Juul,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 86, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a soldiers' and sailors' home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c and 3d, respectively,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on State Charitable Institutions.

Senate Bill No. 149, for "An act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Watson,

Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 265, for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan canal, and for the necessary and ordinary expenses thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 266, for "An act appropriating money for the payment of the claims of Romona Oolitic Stone company for furnishing stone used in the construction of the Eastern Illinois Normal School building at Charleston, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An act regulating and licensing barbers, barber shops, and regulating the practice and occupation of barbers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 158, a bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 137, a bill for "An act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Homes for disabled volunteer soldiers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 24, a bill for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, and acts amendatory thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:40 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Parker presented a petition from citizens of Chicago concerning Senate Bill No. 41, known as the "local option" bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Coleman presented a petition from members of George Ralston Post, G. A. R., No. 288, concerning Vicksburg Memorial, which,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 233, for "An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 154, for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 95, for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' approved

April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 138, for "An act providing for a geological survey of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 267, a bill for "An act providing for a geological survey of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor," was, under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 50, for "An act to amend section nineteen (19). paragraph f, of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 268, for "An act to promote bible reading in the public schools,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 269, for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 270, for "An act entitled an act in relation to the recording of the assignment of mortgages, fixing certain penalties for the violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 271, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Barr introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 272, for "An act to amend section fifty-four (54) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hamilton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 273, for "An act to amend section 1 of article VII of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 274, for "An act to revise the law in relation to liens,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 275, for "An act to amend section 22 of article VI, of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 276, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the adoption of children,' approved Feb. 27, 1874, by adding thereto a section providing that clerks of courts keep indexes of names of adopted children and parents,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 277, for "An act to provide that actions accruing to a public officer may be brought by his successor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 278, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oaths and affirmations,' approved Feb. 25, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 279, for "An act to provide that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of county judge, or master in chancery, who shall not have obtained a license as an attorney and counselor at law in this State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 280, for "An act to amend section 36 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 31, 1879,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 281, for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 282, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, by incorporating therein a new section requiring the clerks of courts of record to keep books of registry,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 283, for "An act to empower clerks of courts of record to receive the amounts of judgments for costs only and to satisfy such judgments,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Stringer introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 284, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to practice in courts of record, approved February 22, 1872,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stringer, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 285, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard or driveway under the control of such park commissioners, and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 286, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof,' approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 287, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control,' approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Lundberg, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 288, for "An act to enable park commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by extensions over lands and the bed of such waters and defining the use which may be made of such extensions, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 289, for "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 290, for "An act to amend an act in regard to limitations, approved April 4, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 291, for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 292, for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 293, for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 294, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act concerning museums in public parks,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 295, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organization of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 296, for "An act to amend sections 36, 37, 38 and 39 of division I, of an act en-

titled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to Criminal Jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 297, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library, and to provide for its care and maintenance, and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 298, for "An act to regulate the practice of public accounting; to establish a board of accountancy for the examination of public accountants; to provide for the granting of certificates to those who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for any violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 299, for "An act to amend sections one, two, three, four and five of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, and in force July 1, 1891, by repealing sections one, two, three, four and five of said act," and inserting in lieu thereof sections to be known as sections one, two, three and four of said act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 300, for "An act to amend section 25 of 'An act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879; as amended by an act approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 158.

A bill for an act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith.

SENATE BILL NO. 159.

A bill for an act regulating and licensing barbers, barber shops, and regulating the practice and occupation of barbers.

SENATE BILL NO. 24.

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, "An act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois," approved and in force March 11, 1869, and acts amendatory thereto.

SENATE BILL NO. 54.

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 54, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson.
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 159, for "An act regulating and licensing barbers, barber shops, and regulating the practice and occupation of barbers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Stringer,
Barr,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,	Walter,
Clark,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Watson.
Coleman,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Small,	Yeas—31.
Farnum,	Jandus,			

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Burnett.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 158, a bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith." having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 3, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 24, a bill for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, and act amendatory thereto," having been printed, was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Walter, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 3, 1903, immediately after the preceding special order.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 43, a bill for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population of not less than 70,000,

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, Feb. 18, 1903.

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 43.

Amendment No. 1. Amend Senate Bill No. 43 in title and in line 3 of printed bill by striking out the word "not" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of" and by striking out the word "seventy" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred," also in title strike out "seventy" and insert "two hundred."

Amendment No. 2. Amend printed bill in line 1 of section 2 by striking out the word "phonographic" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stenographic."

Amendment No. 3. Amend printed bill by striking out in line 6 the word "phonographic" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stenographic."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 39, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the place of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

1. Amend section 1 by inserting after line 18 the following words: "Or if the same has no stockholders, of the members or trustees."

2. Amend section 1 by inserting after the word "stockholders," line 19, the words "members or trustees."

3. Amend section 1 by inserting after "hereof," line 46, the words "except in the case of corporations other than those conducted for profit."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 129, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 174, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 114, a bill for "An act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of

any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part for business purposes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 116, a bill for "An act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities and incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms, approved and in force March 7, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 165, a bill for "An act to authorize judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation, and to repeal a certain act therein named,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 188, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 4, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

On motion of Mr. Putnam, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 3, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

READING BILLS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE SECOND TIME.

House Bill No. 313, a bill for "An act for the relief of the destitute people of northern Sweden and Finland,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:05 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive messages, received February 24, 1903, and February 25, 1903, were taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Reverend Edward A. Kelly, 4515 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Cook county, as member of the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities, to succeed John Gibbons, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 25, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to nominate and appoint Charles E. Smiley, of DuPage county, as trustee of the State Training School for Girls, to succeed Rollin H. Woods, of Rock Falls, Whiteside county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

The question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made," and the yeas and nays being called it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Yeas—33.
Coleman,	Hall,	Meehan,	Small,	

At 11:00 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose, and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 123.

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, "An act concerning land titles," approved and in force May 1, 1897.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell by request introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 301, for "An act granting power to municipalities to lease the use of streets and other public places to corporations engaged in rendering quasi-public services, and to regulate the terms of such leases. Also granting power to municipalities to acquire, own and operate public service utilities and regulating municipal ownership and operation,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Senator Watson arose to a question of privilege and stated that he had just received news of the death of ex-Senator H. H. Kingsbury, and,

On his motion, a committee of five was ordered appointed to draft suitable resolutions in memory of the Senator.

The President of the Senate appointed as such committee, Senators Watson, Burnett, Campbell, Fuller and Andrus.

At 11:12 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, as a further mark of respect, the Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1903, 9:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois and President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 9:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Stringer, the Senate adjourned until Monday, March 2, 1903, at 5 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1903, 5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, February 27, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Fowler, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

The President of the Senate laid before the Senate a communication from the National Good Roads Association extending an invitation for the Senate to attend in a body and take part in the deliberations of the National and International Good Roads Convention in St. Louis on April 27, 28 and 29, 1903, which,

On motion of Mr. McCabe, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

The President of the Senate laid before the Senate a communication from the joint conference of Illinois coal miners and operators suggesting a change in the fiscal year of the State Bureau of Labor Statistics to end annually on the 31st day of March, which,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President, I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Mar. 3, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following list of public administrators and public guardians, appointed since the adjournment of the last General Assembly.

I respectfully ask that the said appointments be confirmed by your honorable body.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS.

John Q. Brown, Adams county; Miles S. Gilbert, Alexander county; D. B. Loverin, Bureau county; William G. Spurgin, Champaign county; Robert H. Black, Clark county; Joseph H. Strong, Cook county; A. W. Fisk, DeKalb county; William P. Miller, Douglas county; Ed Miner, Greene county;

William A. Symonds, Hancock county; Simeon Walker, Jackson county; W. R. Baldwin, Logan county; Charles A. Bartlett, Madison county; William H. Armstrong, Massac county; Arthur J. Mullin, McHenry county; Louis Wortman, Sr., Monróe county; M. C. Edwards, Perry county; C. Fred Mortimer, Sangamon county; E. P. Field, Warren county.

PUBLIC GUARDIANS.

Miles S. Gilbert, Alexander county; D. B. Loverin, Bureau county; Robert H. Black, Clark county; William P. Miller, Douglas county; William Lavery, Greene county; John S. Haller, Logan county; Charles A. Bartlett, Madison county; William H. Armstrong, Massac county; William Roseman, Randolph county; M. V. Ussery, Union county.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 9.

A bill for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Passed the House Feb. 26, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 42.

A bill for "An act to amend section 53 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 119.

A bill for "An act to amend section 91¹/₂ of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887."

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote Feb. 26, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 9, a bill for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 42, a bill for "An act to amend section 53 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 119, a bill for "An act to amend section 91½ of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Bailey presented 12 petitions from citizens of Danville favoring the enactment of legislation "prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers," which,

On motion of Mr. Bailey were referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Bailey presented four petitions from members of Lawton Post No. 792, Danville, Ill.; C. A. Clark Post No. 184, Ridge Farm, Ill.; T. B. Lee Post No. 692, Danville, Ill.; Steedman Post No. 352, Potomac, Ill.; concerning the Vicksburg Memorial, which

On motion of Mr. Bailey were referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Bailey presented a petition from citizens of Paris, Illinois, concerning the passage of Senate Bill No. 41, local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Dunlap presented a petition from citizens of Rantoul, Illinois, concerning the passage of Senate Bill No. 41, local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Pemberton presented a petition from citizens of the 34th Senatorial District, concerning the passage of Senate Bill No. 41, local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Templeton presented a petition from citizens of Wyandot township, Bureau county, concerning the passage of Senate Bill No. 41, local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Templeton, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 39.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies," approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

SENATE BILL No. 43.

A bill for an act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population of less than 200,000.

SENATE BILL No. 116.

A bill for an act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms," approved and in force March 7, 1872, and amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 129.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders.

SENATE BILL No. 165.

A bill for an act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of the evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation, and to repeal a certain act therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 114.

A bill for an act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell, or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part for business purposes.

SENATE BILL NO. 174.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28.

Resolved, That rule 61 of the Senate Rules be amended by inserting after the words "7. Consideration of Resolutions," the following:

8. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate to prepare each day a calendar ruled in columns, entitled, "Special Orders," "Senate Bills Third Reading," "Senate Bills Second Reading," "House Bills Third Reading," "House Bills Second Reading," "Resolutions," "Pending Questions," and put in the proper columns all special orders in their order, all bills on third reading in the order in which they passed second reading, all bills on second reading in the order in which they passed first reading, and all resolutions in their order.

The Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills shall engross and return all bills to the Secretary of the Senate in the order in which they passed the Senate; and the Secretary shall have all bills and amendments printed in the order in which they passed the Senate, and shall place them on the calendar in that order.

Each special order, bill or resolution which has once appeared on the Senate calendar shall there remain until removed by action of the Senate, but any special order, bill or resolution on the Senate calendar may be passed by unanimous consent, but shall thereupon take its place at the foot of the list in the column to which it belongs.

A bill on Third Reading returned to Second Reading shall thereupon take its place at the foot of the column devoted to bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Rainey offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29.

WHEREAS, The Illinois and Michigan Canal Commissioners are asking an appropriation from the Forty-third General Assembly for the maintenance of said Illinois and Michigan canal; and,

WHEREAS, The last printed official report of said commissioners clearly shows that the annual expenditures upon said canal exceed its receipts by a sum in excess of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000); and,

WHEREAS, It is a matter of common knowledge that said canal has ceased to be of any practical benefit or use to the people of the State, and is now a menace to the health of those who live along or near its banks; and,

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the State of Illinois expressly prohibits the Legislature from making any appropriation from the treasury in aid of railroads or canals; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that no appropriation for or on account of said canal be made or concurred in by the Senate; and be it further

Resolved, By the Senate, that said canal be abandoned, as such, and that the Legislature adopts the necessary measures to convert said canal into a public road or highway.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 302, for "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 303, for "An act to amend section six of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 304, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend section one of article VII of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Rees, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 305, for "An act to reimburse Captain Wilson A. Duggans for recruiting Company E, 133d Regiment, Illinois Infantry Volunteers, and for expenses incurred by him in respect thereto, and making appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 306, for "An act to amend section 220, division one, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 307, for "An act to amend section two of an act entitled, 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Mueller, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 308, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 23a.

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 309, for "An act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 310, for "An act prohibiting officers, agents, brokers or representatives of non-admitted foreign fire, marine, or fire and marine insurance companies from soliciting business or issuing policies in this State upon property located within or without this State and providing a penalty therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 158, a bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith," on the order of third reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Clark offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Insert in line 6, after the word "Governor," the following: "Three of whom shall previously be recommended by the Illinois State Dental Society."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out the remainder of section 14, after the word "court" in line 12.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of

Senate Bill No. 24, for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, and acts amendatory thereto," which

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Rees,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Yeas—31.
Campbell,	Fuller,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 188, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved April 4, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Putnam, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, March 4, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 123, a bill for "An act to amend section seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," was taken up for consideration.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the bill was recommitted to the committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 43, for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 1:

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer.
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fort,	Koch,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Powers,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas-33.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Pemberton, Nays-1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 39, a bill for "An act to amend section one of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," was taken up for consideration.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Add, after the word, "corporation," where it appears in line thirty-five (35) of the printed bill, the following; "or the number of directors, managers or trustees be reduced to less than three."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 165, a bill for "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of the evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation, and to repeal a certain act therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fort, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 129, for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Barr.	Farnum.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fort.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Juul.	Parker.	
Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Yeas—37.
Dawson.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Powers.	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 174, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Fowler.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Fuller.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Rees.
Barr.	Gardner.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Berry.	Hall.	Juul.	Parker.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Hamilton.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Clark.	Helm.	Maher.	Powers.	Watson.
Dunlap.				Yeas—31.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 114, for "An act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part for business purposes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Powers.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Rainey.
Barr.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Rees.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Juul.	Parker.	Townsend.
Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Yeas—32.
Dawson.	Hall.	Maher.		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 116; for "An act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Evans.	Humphrey.	McCabe.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Farnum.	Jandus.	McKenzie.	Rainey.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Meehan.	Rees.
Berry.	Fuller.	Koch.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Parker.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Powers.	Yeas—36.
Dawson.	Helm.			

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 313, for "An act for the relief of the destitute people in Northern Sweden and Finland," having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dunlap.	Hall.	Maher.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	McCabe.	Rainey.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Rees.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Berry.	Fort.	Juul.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Koch.	Parker.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Powers.	Yeas—40.
Dawson.				

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 311, for "An act to amend sections 6, 10 and 19 of an act entitled,

'An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 171, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of 'An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 127, a bill for "An act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, Feb. 18, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 127 by striking out all of said bill after the word "Assembly" in line two of printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That where there has been an assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of any wages or salary earned or to be earned, no action shall lie or be maintained at law or in equity by the assignee or transferee of such wages or salary in the name of the person who has earned or is earning such wages or salary, or in the name of the person who has earned or is earning such wages or salary for the use or benefit of any usee, or in the name of said assignee or said transferee for the purpose of recovering said wages or salary unless written notice together with a true copy of such assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer shall have been given by the assignee or transferee of such wages or salary within ten days after the making of such assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer. to the person, firm or corporation from whom such wages or salary have accrued, are accruing or will accrue."

The question then being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee, be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Add after the last word the following: "and unless also, such person, firm or corporation shall, within ten days, have consented in writing to such assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 233, a bill for "An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 154, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association," was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, Feb. 26, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 154, by striking out the words "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)" in line 6, section 1 of printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Five hundred dollars (\$500)."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 154 by striking out the words "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)," in line 1 of section 2 of printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Five hundred dollars (\$500)."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:25 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Dawson, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 10:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess for five minutes.

10:15 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate reconvened.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Small presented two petitions from citizens of Kankakee in favor of Senate Bill No. 41, the local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 158.

A bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith."

SENATE BILL NO. 154.

A bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association."

SENATE BILL NO. 233.

A bill for "An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903."

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 2, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Mueller, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 106, for "An act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 179, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to guardians and wards,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 4, for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies and prescribing a penalty for the non-compliance with the provisions thereof,'" and Senate Bill No. 9, a bill for an act entitled, "An act to repeal an act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof," approved May 11, 1901, and in force Jan. 1, 1902," and Senate Bill No. 87, a bill for "An act to amend certain sections of an act entitled, 'An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof,' approved May 11, 1901. in force Jan. 1, 1902, and to add two additional sections thereto," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bills be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the original bills were ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 312, a bill for "An act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain acts therein named," was under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 202, for "An act to create a court of claims and to prescribe its power and duties," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 118, for "An act to amend section 11, of an act to revise the law in relation to dower," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 211, for "An act to amend section ninety (90) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 216, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish the improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 143, for "An act to amend section 96, division 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 215, for "An act relative to the appointment and qualification, and term of service of drainage commissioners," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 240, for "An act relating to the pow-

ers, duties and property of telephone companies," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 185, for "An act making it unlawful for a corporation to engage in the practice of law," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 242, for "An act relating to negotiable instruments," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 157, for "An act to regulate the procedure in divorce cases," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Fort, from the Committee on Military, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 205, for "An act for the relief of George K. Hazlitt, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Court of Claims.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered so referred.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 313, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the planting of trees,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 314, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 315, for "An act to amend the act in relation to township organization,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 316, for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife, or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Lundberg (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 317, for "An act to make the name of an informant giving facts in regard to crime to any editor, publisher, reporter or correspondent of a newspaper printed or published in this State a privileged communication before a grand jury or a court of inquiry investigating such crime, and making it an offense for any person to give false information to any editor, reporter, publisher or correspondent of any newspaper with respect to the commission of a crime and prescribing the punishment therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Watson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 318, for "An act to fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the county of Jefferson,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 319, for "An act to extend the powers of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, so as to give them control and authority over charges by express companies for transportation, over telephone and telegraph companies for the transmission of messages by telegraph and telephone and for rentals for telephones, and over sleeping car companies for the carrying of passengers, and over persons engaged in the several businesses; and to apply the powers given to the said Railroad and Warehouse Commission by law over railroad companies to all companies or persons owning, controlling or operating a line or lines of express, telephone, telegraph or sleeping cars,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 320, for "An act in relation to the local jurisdiction of, and the practice before, justices of the peace,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 321, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act concerning the levy and extension of taxes," approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 322, for "An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns," approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 323, for "An act to amend section 42 I, of an act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 324, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute," approved June 24, 1895,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. McKenzie (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 325, for an act entitled "An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion to Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McKenzie (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 326, for "An act to protect miners operating mines, under a parole license or lease, for lead ore, zinc ore or other minerals,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 327, for "An act to amend section 9 of article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 328, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 329, for "An act to amend section 24 and to repeal section 25 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 330, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 331, for "An act to provide uniforms and tents for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 332, for "An act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at the Logan Rifle Range,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 333, for "An act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 334, for "An act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 335, for "An act appropriating three thousand eight hundred and thirty-four dollars (\$3,834) to provide for improvements in the office of the Adjutant General,"

Which was read at large a first time. ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 336, for "An act to purchase additional ground at Camp Lincoln,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 188, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved April 4, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," which was read at large a second time Feb. 26, 1903.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 158, a bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Mr. Kunz moved to recall the bill from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the motion to recall was laid on the table.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 24; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Powers.	Townsend.
Berry.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Putnam.	Watson.
Clark.	Hamilton.	Mueller.	Riley.	
Dawson.	Hughes.	Parker.	Small.	Yeas—24.
Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Stringer.	
Farnum.	Koch.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman, Jandus,	Kunz,	Rees,	Templeton.	Nays—5.
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Mr. Humphrey moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill failed to pass, and

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr, Berry, Burnett, Campbell, Clark, Coleman, Dawson, Dunlap.	Farnum, Farrelly, Gardner, Hall, Hamilton, Helm, Hughes, Humphrey.	Jandus, Juul, Koch, Kunz, Lundberg, McCabe, McKenzie, Meehan,	Mueller, Pemberton, Powers, Putnam, Rainey, Rees, Riley, Small,	Stringer, Townsend, Watson. Yeas—35.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On motion of Mr. Jandus, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 10, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 233, for "An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden, Barr, Berry, Butler, Clark, Coleman, Dunlap, Evans,	Farnum, Farrelly, Gardner, Hall, Hamilton, Helm, Hughes, Humphrey,	Jandus, Juul, Koch, Kunz, Lundberg, Maher, McCabe, McKenzie,	Meehan, Mueller, Pemberton, Powers, Rainey, Rees, Riley, Small,	Stringer, Templeton, Townsend, Watson. Yeas—36.
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This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 154, for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dawson,	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Small.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Barr.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Juul.	Powers.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Koch.	Rainey.	
Clark.	Gardner.	Maher.	Rees.	Yeas—37.
Coleman.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Riley.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 64, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and States Attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, Feb. 18, 1903:

Insert after the word "State" in line seventeen (17) of printed bill "*Provided*, that this shall in no way effect the powers or duties of States Attorneys or the right of any person to begin any complaint."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 134, a bill for "An act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 162, a bill for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 189, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty-three (33) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 95, a bill for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, Feb. 26, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 95 by striking out of line 5, section 21, all after the word "lines."

Strike out of line 6 the words "same shall be \$5,000 or over."

Strike out of line 12, all after the word "lines."

Strike out of line 13, the words "or exceed \$5,000."

Strike out of line 27 all after the word "interested."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 50, a bill for "An act to amend section nineteen (19), paragraph "f" of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative,

Senate Bill No. 36, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in relation to the probating of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, Feb. 25, 1903.

Amend the title by inserting in the first line after the word "amend" the words "section 1 of."

Amend the enacting clause by inserting in the second line thereof after the word "that" the words "section 1 of."

Amend section 2 by striking out the word "or" after the word "court" in line two and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In counties where there are no Probate Courts and in the."

Also in line six after the word "the" strike out the word "Probate" and in lieu thereof insert the word "county" and after the word "court" insert the words "in counties where there is no Probate Court and in counties where Probate Courts have been established then in the Probate Court."

Also in line 27 of the printed bill strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ninety."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, Senate Bill No. 127, a bill for "An act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Strike out the following words: "And unless also, such person, firm or corporation shall, within said ten days, have consented in writing to such assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS:

The following resolution offered by Mr. Parker March 3, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28.

Resolved, That rule 61 of the Senate Rules be amended by inserting after the words "7. Consideration of Resolutions," the following:

8. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate to prepare each day a calendar ruled in columns, entitled "Special Orders," "Senate Bills Third Reading," "Senate Bills Second Reading," "House Bills Third Reading," "House Bills Second Reading," "Resolutions," "Pending Questions," and put in the proper columns all special orders in their order, all bills on third reading in the order in which they passed second reading, all bills on second reading in the order in which they passed first reading, and all resolutions in their order.

The Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills shall engross and return all bills to the Secretary of the Senate in the order in which they passed the Senate; and the Secretary shall have all bills and amendments printed in the order in which they passed the Senate, and shall place them on the calendar in that order.

Each special order, bill or resolution which has once appeared on the Senate calendar shall there remain until removed by action of the Senate, but any special order, bill or resolution on the Senate calendar may be passed by unanimous consent, but shall thereupon take its place at the foot of the list in the column to which it belongs.

A bill on third reading returned to second reading shall thereupon take its place at the foot of the column devoted to bills on second reading.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendments to the resolution:

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28.

Line 11. Strike out the words "passed first reading" and insert in lieu thereof the words "are reported from the committees."

Line 13. Strike out the words "Secretary of the".

Line 14. Strike out the word "passed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "are advanced by".

Also in same line, insert after the word "Senate," the words "third reading".

Line 16. Strike out the word "have" and insert in lieu thereof the word "order".

Line 17. Strike out the word "passed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "are advanced by".

On motion of Mr. Berry, the resolution and pending amendments were referred to the Committee on Rules.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Rainey March 3, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29.

WHEREAS, The Illinois and Michigan Canal Commissioners are asking an appropriation from the Forty-third General Assembly for the maintenance of said Illinois and Michigan Canal; and,

WHEREAS, The last printed official report of said Commissioners clearly shows that the annual expenditures upon said canal exceed its receipts by a sum in excess of one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars; and,

WHEREAS, It is a matter of common knowledge that said canal has ceased to be of any practical benefit or use to the people of the State, and is now a menace to the health of those who live along or near its banks; and,

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the State of Illinois expressly prohibits the Legislature from making any appropriation from the treasury in aid of railroads or canals; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that no appropriation for or on account of said canal be made or concurred in by the Senate; and be it further

Resolved by the Senate, That said canal be abandoned as such, and that the Legislature adopts the necessary measures to convert said canal into a public road or highway.

Mr. Humphrey moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Canals and Rivers.

Mr. Rainey moved to lay the motion to refer on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 13, nays, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Fowler.	Maher.	Rainey.	Watson.
Dawson.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Rees.	Yeas—13.
Farrelly.	Kunz.	Powers.	Stringer.	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Pemberton.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Putnam.
Barr.	Evans.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Small.
Berry.	Farnum.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fort.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Nays—29.

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be referred to the Committee on Canals and Rivers?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:30 o'clock, a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive message, received March 3, 1903, was taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President: I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, March 3, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following list of Public Administrators and Public Guardians, appointed since the adjournment of the last General Assembly.

I respectfully ask that the said appointments be confirmed by your honorable body.

Very respectfully,
RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS.

John Q. Brown, Adams county; Miles S. Gilbert, Alexander county; D. B. Loverin, Bureau county; William G. Spurgin, Champaign county; Robert H. Black, Clark county; Joseph H. Strong, Cook county; A. W. Fisk, DeKalb county; William P. Miller, Douglas county; Ed Miner, Greene county; William A. Symonds, Hancock county; Simeon Walker, Jackson county; W. R. Baldwin, Logan county; Charles A. Bartlett, Madison county; William H. Armstrong, Massac county; Arthur J. Mullin, McHenry county; Louis Wortman, Sr., Monroe county; M. C. Edwards, Perry county; C. Fred Mortimer, Sangamon county; E. P. Field, Warren county.

PUBLIC GUARDIANS.

Miles S. Gilbert, Alexander county; D. B. Loverin, Bureau county; Robert H. Black, Clark county; William P. Miller, Douglas county; William Lavery, Greene county; John S. Haller, Logan county; Charles A. Bartlett, Madison county; William H. Armstrong, Massac county; William Roseman, Randolph county; M. V. Ussery, Union county.

And the question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rees.
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Lundberg.	Small.
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Stringer.
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend.
Burnett,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton.	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—38.

At 11:35 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

At 11:36 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by Rt. Rev. Samuel Fallows, of Chicago.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 10:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Stringer, the Senate adjourned until Friday, March 6, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 10:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Rees, the Senate adjourned until Monday, March 9, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, March 6, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m. on motion of Mr. Rees, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, March 10, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Farrelly presented a petition from citizens of White Hall concerning the protection of wild game, which,

On motion of Mr. Farrelly, was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Dunlap presented a petition from citizens of Philo concerning Senate Bill No. 41, the local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Coleman presented a petition from citizens of Shelbyville concerning Senate Bill No. 41, "the local option bill," which,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 65.

A bill for "An act to amend section 106 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote March 4, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 81.

A bill for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Passed the House March 4, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 65, a bill for "An act to amend section 106 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 81, a bill for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 85, for "An act to make an appropriation for the relief of Charles Hatfield, injured while in the discharge of his duties as a member of Troop B, First Cavalry Illinois National Guard, the same having been allowed by the Commission of Claims of the State of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 175, for "An act to make an appropriation for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission

of Claims to certain persons named therein," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 167, for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 168, for "Act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 186, for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 249, for "An act to regulate the business of insurance and to prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 48, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discrimination of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891," reported

the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 36.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act in relation to the probation of wills, approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

SENATE BILL No. 39.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act to provide for changing names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed, etc.

SENATE BILL No. 50.

A bill for an act to amend section 19, paragraph "f," of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein, approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

SENATE BILL No. 95.

A bill for an act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

SENATE BILL No. 127.

A bill for an act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same.

SENATE BILL No. 134.

A bill for an act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security.

SENATE BILL No. 162.

A bill for an act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 171.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of "An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

SENATE BILL No. 188.

A bill for an act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices, approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, etc."

SENATE BILL No. 189.

A bill for an act to amend section 33 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices, approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, etc."

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 337, for "An act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 338, for "An act to amend sections one, two and three of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874; in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McCabe introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 339, for "An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897; in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McCabe, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

Mr. McCabe introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 340, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds,' approved March 13, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McCabe, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 341, for "An act making appropriations for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for the salaries of the officers of the State government,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 342, for "An act in regard to the removal of county seats,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 343, for "An act to regulate and control heavy hauling over gravel roads and turnpikes,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 344, for "An act to amend Article I of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 345, for an act entitled, "An act to prohibit policy drawing and the selling of policy tickets,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 346, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 347, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 348, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement, and to defray the cost thereof,' approved July 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 349, for "An act concerning local improvements,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 158, a bill for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same, which may be in conflict herewith," on the order of second reading.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 39, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," was taken up for consideration.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend title of Senate Bill No. 39 so as to read as follows:

"A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended June 4, 1887, as

amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, and to authorize corporations to increase or decrease the number of shares of capital stock and to increase or decrease the amount of each share of capital stock,"

Strike out all after the word "formed" where it appears in line 14 of the printed bill, up to and including the words "capital stock," in line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "to increase or decrease the capital stock, to change the number of shares of capital stock, to increase or decrease the par value of shares of capital stock."

Strike out all after the word "formed" in line 21 of printed bill, up to and including the words "capital stock" in line 24, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "increase or decrease of capital stock, change of number of shares of capital stock, increase or decrease of number of directors, managers or trustees."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 171, for "An act to amend section 3 of 'An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Koch,	Pemberton,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Yeas—35.
Clark,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 127, for "An act regulating the assignment, hypothecation, sale or transfer of wages or salary, and the remedy to cover the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30, nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Yeas—30.
Clark,				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort.	Hamilton,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 188, for "An act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved April 4, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	McCabe,	Putnam,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Andrus,	Fainum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Powers,	Yeas—35.
Coleman,				

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 134, for "An act respecting liabilities upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Juul,	Powers,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Watson.
Butler,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Yeas—33.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Gardner gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, enter a motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill passed.

Senate Bill No. 189, for "An act to amend section thirty-three (33) of an act entitled 'An act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yes, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Baily,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson,
Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas—39.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 162, for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Powers,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hall,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Watson,
				Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 95, for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,	Powers,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Yeas—36.
Clark,	Haas,			

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fort. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 50, for "An act to amend section nineteen (19), paragraph F of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Gardner.	Koch.	Putnam.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Hall.	McCabe.	Stubblefield.
Andrus.	Evans.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Townsend.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Walter.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Parker.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fort.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Yeas—31.
Clark.	Fuller.			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 36, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act in relation to the probating of wills," approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, 12.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Campbell.	Gardner.	Jandus.	Putnam.	Townsend.
Clark.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Rees.	Walter.
Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Powers.	Stubblefield.	Yeas—15.
Fowler.				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden.	Coleman.	Hall.	Koch.	Pemberton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Nays—12.
Burnett.	Fort.	Juul.		

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 240, a bill for "An act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 240 by adding to section 4 the following:

“Provided, That such telephone companies shall not have the right to condemn any portion of the right of way of any railroad company except so much thereof as is necessary to cross the same.”

And the question being, “Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?” it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, Senate Bill No. 66, a bill for “An act to amend section 3 of Division X of an act entitled, ‘An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,’ approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,”

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, “Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?” it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 55, a bill for “An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, ‘An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,’ approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,”

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments, reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, Feb. 25, 1903.

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 55.

Amend title by striking out the words and figures “section eight (8) of.”

Amend title by adding, after the words and figures “July 1, 1874,” the words and figures “by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h.”

Amend section 1, printed bill, by striking out the words and figures “section eight (8) of” in line 2.

Strike out the words “so as to read as follows,” in line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures “by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h.”

Amend by striking out all after section 1 of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 8a. That State’s attorneys in counties of the first and second class shall receive in lieu of the fees and commissions now allowed them by law, a salary to be fixed by the county board in counties under township organization, and by the county commissioners in counties having county commissioners; and such salary shall be fixed in the same manner as salaries are now fixed for county officers, and paid out of the county treasury: *Provided*, That the salaries so paid shall be additional to the compensation now paid State’s attorneys out of the State treasury.

“Section 8b. The amount fixed as salary in counties of the first class shall not exceed the sum of two thousand dollars, and in counties of the second class the same shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

"Section 8c. The county board or board of county commissioners, as the case may be, may allow a reasonable amount as compensation for an assistant or assistants to the State's attorney, when such assistance is necessary for a proper transaction of the business of the office.

"Section 8d. It shall be the duty of State's attorneys to attend to the collection of all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases, and they shall, without delay, pay over all fines and forfeitures collected by them to the county treasurer in order that a fund may be thereby provided from which the salary of the State's attorney and compensation of assistants contemplated by this act may be paid, and the said funds in the hands of the county treasurer shall be used for the payment of the salary and compensation aforesaid as far as it will go toward such payment. But in no event shall said salary be paid out of any general or other county fund, or any fund other than that arising from the collection of such fines and forfeitures.

"Section 8e. The State's attorney shall at each term of the circuit court, with their report of fines and forfeitures collected, satisfy the court, by voucher or otherwise, that all fines and forfeitures by them hereafter collected have been duly paid over to the county treasurer as required by this act; and if it appear to the court that any State's attorney has failed or refuses to turn over the fines and forfeitures collected by him as required, the court shall at once suspend him and appoint a State's attorney *pro tempore* to perform the duties of the office until such State's attorney shall have complied with the provisions of this act.

"Section 8f. That the compensation and salaries provided for in this act, when said fund, as provided in section 8d of this act, shall be sufficient therefor, shall be paid in equal quarterly installments, and it shall be the duty of the county clerk at the end of each quarter of the year, to draw proper orders or warrants for the amounts due the State attorney or his assistants, respectively, on the county treasurer, who shall pay the same on presentation properly endorsed: *Provided*, that no warrant for such salary, or any part thereof, shall be drawn in excess of the fund provided by section 8d of this act.

"Section 8g. Any portion of the said funds provided in section 8d of this act arising from the collection of fines and forfeitures, remaining after the payment of the salary of the State's attorney and compensation to his assistant or assistants, if any, shall be paid by the county treasurer to the county superintendent of schools on the first day of January next after the expiration of the term of office of the State's attorney.

"Section 8h. Whenever 20 per cent of the legal voters of any county shall petition the county judge to submit the proposition whether or not the electors shall adopt this act, it shall be the duty of such county judge to submit such proposition at the next county or State election.

"The proposition so to be voted for shall be on a separate ballot in plain, prominent type, and be prepared and provided for that purpose in the same manner as other ballots:

For adopting the proposed amendments to "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," viz.: Sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h.	Yes.	
	No.	

"If a majority of the votes cast for or against such proposition shall be for such proposition, the aforesaid amendments shall be adopted, and the county judge shall enter of record an order declaring this act in force in such county."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 118, a bill for "An act to amend section 11 of an act to revise the law in relation to dower,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, Senate Bill No. 68, a bill for "An act to amend section 5, of division 3, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, Senate Bill No. 69, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of division VII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments to the bill, reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, Feb. 25, 1903.

Substitute the word "five" in place of the word "two" after the word "exceeding" in line 8 of the printed bill.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when,

On motion of Mr. Hall, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Watson presented a petition from citizens of Newton concerning the military bills now pending before the Legislature, which,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Watson presented a petition from citizens of Olney concerning the appropriation bills before the General Assembly relative to the military department of Illinois, which,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 69.

A bill for an act to amend section 10 of division VII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 66.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of division X of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 118.

A bill for an act to amend section 11 of an act to revise the law in relation to dower.

SENATE BILL NO. 68.

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of division III of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 240.

A bill for an act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies.

SENATE BILL NO. 158.

A bill for an act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same which may be in conflict herewith.

Mr Andrus, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 42, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872; the title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 252, for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and to add two additional sections to said act," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 315, for "An act to amend the act in relation to township organization," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 18, for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization, and in townships in counties under township organization, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers, and provide for enforcing the same,'" reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Humphrey the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 350, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization and in townships in counties under township organization outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers and provide for enforcing the same,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," was under the rules read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 150, for "An act entitled, 'An act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer and for penalties for doing same,'" reported the same back with an amendment thereto and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 261, for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 126, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to repeal sections 8 to 109 of said act," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 232, for "An act to amend sections 2 and 32 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 239, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, said section 20 being amended by an act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 243, for "An act to amend section 32 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 269, for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 290, for "An act to amend an act in regard to limitations, approved April 4, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 274, for "An act to revise the law in relation to liens," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 291, for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 299, for "An act to amend sections one, two, three, four and five of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved

March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, and in force July 1, 1891, by repealing sections one, two, three, four and five of said act, and inserting in lieu thereof sections to be known as sections one, two, three and four of said act," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 79, for "An act to amend section 15 of division XIII of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 73, for "An act to amend sections 1 and 4 of division 15 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 74, for "An act to amend section 2 of division XIII of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 75, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 76, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 77, for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 78, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 37, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 80, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the punishment of persons violating any of the ordinances of the several cities and villages in this State,' approved and in force April 12, 1879, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass."

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 177, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning conveyances,' approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 178, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes,' approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 86, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of necessary

buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c and section 3d, respectively," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 256, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities, and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State Charitable Institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 245, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the State Charitable Institutions, and the State Reform School and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 91, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force February 25, 1898," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 351, for "An act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 352, for "An act to make appropriation for new cell house at the Illinois State Penitentiary, Joliet,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Riley introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 353, for "An act to amend section 2 of 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Riley was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 354, for "An act to legalize acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other instruments in writing heretofore taken by any notary public, justice of the peace or other officer who may have been a stockholder in any such corporation at the time of taking such acknowledgment,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 355, for "An act to authorize incorporated cities, towns or villages in this State, not having a population of more than one hundred thousand inhabitants, to lease their water works,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Berry (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 356, for "An act to regulate and control the expenditure of fraternal beneficiary societies incorporated or doing business in the State of Illinois, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 357, for "An act in relation to the public service of the State, and creating a Board of Public Service Commissioners, providing the manner in which said board shall be organized, prescribing the duties thereof, fixing the amount of public expenditures to be made in carrying into effect the provisions of this act,'

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 358, for "An act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, "An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association,' in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force

July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding thereto sections 1b and 8b,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 359, for "An act regulating the transportation and delivery of freight by railroad corporations in this State and providing for fixing the time for the loading and unloading of cars by shippers and the charges for the excessive detention of cars,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Coleman introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 360, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department and the appointment of an insurance superintendent,' approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Helm introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 361, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Helm, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 362, for "An act to amend section 26 of an act entitled, 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 363, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefit to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State; and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' by adding thereto an additional section to be designated as section 9½,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill 364, for "An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other States doing business in this State; and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved and in force May 27, 1897;"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 365, for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State: and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Farnum, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 366, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 367, for "An act to amend an act to regulate the civil service of cities, approved and in force March 20, 1895, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 368, for "An act to repeal certain sections of the criminal code relating to conspiracies,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Powers introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 369, for "An act to abolish common law conspiracy,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Powers, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Watson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 370, for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 371, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mueller, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 372, for "An act entitled an act granting power to municipalities to issue public utility bonds for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, owning and operating, or owning and leasing works and equipments necessary for the rendering of any quasi-public service, and to regulate the issuing and payment of such bonds,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Mueller (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 373, for an act entitled "An act to provide for a uniform system of accounting and auditing for all public service utilities now, or that may be hereafter, owned and operated by municipalities,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Mueller (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 374, for an act entitled "An act granting power to municipalities to acquire, construct, maintain, own and operate, or own and lease all classes of public service utilities,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 375, for "An act establishing the maximum rate of fare to be paid by passengers on elevated railways, in certain cases, and in cities in this State of 100,000 inhabitants and over,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Andrus (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 376, for "An act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same a Forest Preserve and Public Park,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Andrus, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. McKenzie introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 377, for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 378, for "An act to enable public parks boards to enlarge and extend the limits of any public park and extend boulevards therefrom; and for such purposes to acquire lands and rights, and to defray the cost thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 379, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of Jennie A. Ratto and her family, on account of the death of her husband, Gasper R. Ratto, deputy game warden, from blood poisoning resulting from an injury received while seizing game,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 380, for "An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act entitled 'An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State, and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 381, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide

for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 382, for "An act to regulate the profession of public accountants,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 383, for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organizations,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 158, for "An act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same which may be in conflict herewith,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 240, for "An act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Rainey,	Yeas—35.
Clark,				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort,	Riley,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 66, for "An act to amend section 3 of Division X of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Hughes,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Riley,	Yeas—28.
Evans,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Humphrey,	Jandus,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 118, for "An act to amend section 11 of an act to revise the law in relation to dower,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Alden,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Haas,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Hall,	Koch,	Rainey,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 68, for "An act to amend section 5 of division III of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,
And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Hall,	Koch,	Powers,
Alden,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Maher,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fort,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Watson.
Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Yeas—36.
Dunlap,	Haas,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 69, for "An act to amend section 10 of division VII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—37.
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 191, a bill for "An act to amend section 1, article IV, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 192, a bill for "An act to amend section 8 of article V of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 193, a bill for "An act to amend section 14 of article VIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 194, a bill for "An act to amend article V of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by inserting therein a new section, to be known as section 16a,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 196, a bill for "An act to repeal section 7 of article V of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

On motion of Mr. Berry, it was ordered that the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 197, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 198, a bill for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved January 21, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No 219, a bill for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to judgments and decrees, and the manner of enforcing the same by execution, and to provide for the redemption of real estate sold under execution or decree,' approved March 22, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 202, a bill for "An act to create the court of claims and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, March 4, 1903:

Amendment to Senate Bill No. 202.

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend the printed bill section 6, line 2, by striking out the words "eighteen hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 150, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer and for penalties for doing same,'"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary March 11, 1903:

Amendment to Senate Bill No. 150:

Amend Senate Bill No. 150 by adding thereto the following words: "Provided that this act shall only apply to counties having a population of 200,000 or more."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 106, a bill for "An act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time. and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 167, a bill for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time; and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 186, a bill for "An act to provide for a tax of the gross premium receipt of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 249, a bill for "An act to regulate the business of insurance, and to prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 168, a bill for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 242, a bill for "An act relating to negotiable instruments,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 271, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 384, for "An act for an appropriation to promote the interests of domestic science and household arts,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner moved to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 134, a bill for "An act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security," passed the Senate on yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, March 18, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

At 11:10 o'clock A. M., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK, A M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Haas, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Fort presented a petition from members of the Christian church of Eureka concerning Senate Bill No. 41, the local option bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

The President of the Senate presented two petitions from citizens of Kankakee, Ill., and citizens of Chicago, Ill., favoring the passage of Senate Bill No. 41 and House Bill No. 241, known as the "local option" bills, which,

On motion of Mr. Berry, were referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Walter, from the Committee on Labor and Manufactures, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 57, for "An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled 'An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated population, and to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the same, and to prevent private imitations of the name of the same, and regulating private employment agencies,' approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Evans, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 264, for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and four (4) of an act

entitled 'An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Templeton, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 166, for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 385, a bill for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto," was, under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred the following Senate Joint Resolutions:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State as follows:

Resolved, That Article IV of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34 and reading as follows, to-wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained, to pass any law (local, special or general) providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago. The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the county, city, board of education, township, park, sanitary district and other local governments and authorities having jurisdiction over said territory, or any part thereof, and may also provide for the creation and government of not more than two counties out of that portion of the county of Cook lying outside of the present or future limits of the city of Chicago, and in the event of the division of the county of Cook, shall provide for a just apportionment of the debts and property of the county of Cook (which apportionment shall include and provide for the apportioning and annexation to said city of Chicago of that part of the town of Norwood Park which is owned of record by the county of Cook and known as the "county farm";) and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago, and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations in said Cook county, to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and said city's proportionate share of the indebtedness of said county and sanitary district, and of any other municipal corporation, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding five per centum of the full value of

the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment either for State or municipal purposes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness, (but no new bonded indebtedness, other than for refunding purposes, shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special;) and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes in accordance with the principles of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall be otherwise provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago, from or to any adjoining county, by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special) both of the said city and of the county from or to which said territory is to go; but no territory shall be so transferred without the consent of a majority of the voters of such territory, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago it may abolish the offices of justices of the peace, police magistrates and constables in and for the territory within said city and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe; and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local municipal government in and for the city of Chicago. In case of the division, as aforesaid, of said county of Cook, the provisions of Article VI of this Constitution respecting the county of Cook, or the courts of record thereof, shall apply to the city of Chicago as if the city of Chicago were therein named in place of said county of Cook, except as herein otherwise provided.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and no law providing for the consolidation of city and county government within said city, or for dividing Cook county, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters (voting upon the question at any election, general, municipal or special,) both of the county and of that portion of said county without said city. And no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect section 4 of article XI of the Constitution of this State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That there shall be submitted to be voted upon at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend article IV of the Constitution, by adding thereto a section to be known as section 34, to read as follows:

Section 34. The General Assembly may, by general law, provide for the abolishment within cities (with the consent of a majority of the legal voters of the city voting upon the question) of township government, park and school boards, and any or all other local municipal corporations, within the city and devolve the functions thereof upon the city authorities, and may authorize such city to assume the indebtedness of the local corporation so abolished and may, in like manner, provide for the abolishment of the offices of the justice of the peace and police magistrates, in cities of 150,000 population and upwards, with like consent of the legal voters thereof, and establish one or more district courts therein, with such original, civil and criminal jurisdiction as may also be prescribed by general law; and may also, by general law, allow any city with the consent of a majority of the legal voters voting upon the question, to become indebted in any amount including all

existing indebtedness, except the indebtedness assumed as aforesaid, not exceeding 7 per centum on the value of the taxable property within such city, to be ascertained by the last assessment for State and county taxes prior to the incurring of such indebtedness.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that they lie on the table, and reported the following as a substitute therefor:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State as follows:

Resolved, That article IV of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34 and reading as follows, to-wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained, to pass any law (local, special or general) providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago.

The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the city, board of education, township, park and other local governments and authorities having jurisdiction over said territory, or any part thereof, and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago, and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations in said Cook county, to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and of any other municipal corporation, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding five per centum of the full value of the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment either for State or municipal purposes previous to the incurring the such indebtedness, (but no new bonded indebtedness other than for refunding purposes, shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special); and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes in accordance with the principles of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall be otherwise provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to, or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago, from or to any adjoining city or town by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special) both of the said city and of the city or town from or to which said territory is to go; but no territory shall be so transferred without the consent of a majority of the voters of such territory, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago, it may abolish the office of justices of the peace, police magistrates, and constables, in and for the territory within said city and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe; and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local municipal government in and for the city of Chicago.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. And no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect section 4 of article 11 of the Constitution of this State.

The part of the report of the committee, recommending that Senate Joint Resolutions No. 3 and No. 6 be laid on the table, was concurred in, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the substitute resolution, Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, March 18, 1903, immediately after the preceding special order.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 61, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hughes, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 313, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the planting of trees,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 377, for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 90, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 172, for "An act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 297, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library, and to provide for its care and maintenance, and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 39.

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed, and for the consolidation of incorporated companies," approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, and to authorize corporations to increase or decrease the number of shares of capital stock, and to increase or decrease the amount of each share of capital stock.

SENATE BILL No. 191.

A bill for an act to amend section 1, Article IV of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

SENATE BILL No. 192.

A bill for an act to amend section 8 of Article V of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 193.

A bill for an act to amend section 14 of Article VIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895. in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 194.

A bill for an act to amend Article V of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by inserting therein a new section to be known as section 16a.

SENATE BILL No. 197.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of Article XVIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 198.

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved January 21, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 219.

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to judgments and decrees, and the manner of enforcing the same by execution, and to provide for the redemption of real estate sold under execution and decree," approved March 22, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 150.

A bill for an act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer and for penalties for doing same.

SENATE BILL No. 106.

A bill for an act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization.

SENATE BILL No. 186.

A bill for an act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation.

SENATE BILL No. 249.

A bill for an act to regulate the business of insurance and to prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State.

SENATE BILL No. 168.

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies," approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 298, for "An act to regulate the practice of public accounting; to establish a board of

accountancy for the examination of public accountants; to provide for the granting of certificates to those who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for any violations thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 123, for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass. Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 382, for "An act to regulate the profession of public accountants," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 28, for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 285, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard or driveway under the control of such park commissioners, and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 286, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure

grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof,' approved and in force May 10, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 287, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control,' approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 309, for "An act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 386, for "An act appropriating \$16,000.00 for the purchase of lands adjoining the State Reformatory at Pontiac,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 387, for "An act to create a State Board of Accounts and to define its duties and powers,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 388, for "An act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employes, to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employe by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred, for such purpose,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Templeton, by request, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 389, for "An act to regulate the sale of Parisgreen and other insecticides."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Templeton, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 390, for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879," approved June 11, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Hughes introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 391, for an act entitled "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hughes, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

Mr. Helm introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 392, for "An act entitled 'An act to authorize the prosecution of writs of error by the People of the State of Illinois in criminal cases,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Helm, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 393, for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 394, for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 395, for "An act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations and corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and power to close their affairs,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Maher introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 396, for "An act to amend Sections 10, 13, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Maher, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Rainey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 397, for "An act to repeal sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 28a, 28b, inclusive, of article 6, chapter 122, of the 'Revised Statutes of 1874,' entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, and all acts supplementary to and amendatory thereof, and providing for the organization of all cities, having 100,000 inhabitants and over, into separate school districts, and for the establishment, maintenance and government of the public schools therein and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rainey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 398, for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property, and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; (said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873,)"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 399, for "An act to regulate the business of insurance, and to prevent unauthorized individuals, co-partnerships and association from doing any insurance business in this State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 191, for "An act to amend section 1, article IV, of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Riley,
Alden,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Mueller,	Small,
Andrus,	Fowler,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,	Walter,
Clark,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rainey,	Watson.
Coleman,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Yeas—35.
Evans,				

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Berry.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 192, for "An act to amend section 8 of article V of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" it was decided in affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Mueller,	Rees,
Berry,	Haas,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Hall,	Maher,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Helm,	McCabe,	Putnam,	Yeas—26.
Evans,	Hughes,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 193, a bill for "An act to amend section 14 of article VIII of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the enacting clause of the bill was ordered stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 194, for "An act to amend article V of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by inserting therein a new section, to be known as section 16a."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,	Koch,	Rainey,	Yeas—27.
Dawson,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,		

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fowler. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 197, for "An act to amend section 2 of article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Juul,	Meehan,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Fowler,	Koch,	Mueller,	Riley,
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Powers,	Townsend.
Dunlap,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Putnam,	Yeas—26.
Evans,	Humphrey,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hamilton. Helm. Nays—2.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 198, a bill for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved January 21, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the enacting clause of the bill was ordered stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 219, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to judgments and decrees, and the manner of enforcing the same by execution and to provide for the redemption of real estate sold under execution or decree,' approved March 22, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Putman,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hall,	Meehan,	Riley,	Watson.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—27.
Coleman,	Helm,	Parker,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Humphrey,	Rainey.	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 150, for "An act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer and for penalties for doing same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—38.
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort,	McCabe.	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 106, for "An act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Alden,	Farnum,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Walter,
Berry,	Haas,	Meehan,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Hall,	Mueller,	Small,	Yeas—28.
Coleman,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Rees.	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 249, for "An act to regulate the business of insurance and to prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Andrus.	Farnum.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fowler.	McKenzie.	Rees.	Watson.
Clark.	Haas.	Meehan.	Small.	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 264, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Section 1, line 15, after the word "inexpedient," insert:

"or who is excused for temporary absence for cause by the principal or teacher in charge of the school which said child attends."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 178, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors and the custody of the United States field notes,' approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 271, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 271 by inserting in the first line of the title, after the word "amend," the words "section 3 of."

Amend Senate Bill No. 271 by inserting in line 7, page 2, of the bill as printed, after the word "each," the word "of."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 216, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish the improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Hughes offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend title by striking out all after the word "for," in line 1, down to and including the word "entitled."

Also strike out all of the title after the word "same."

Strike out all of lines 2, 3, 4 and 5, after the word "Assembly," in printed bill.

Strike out the words and figures, "section 1," in line 6.

Add to the bill the following section :

"Section 9. An act entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish the improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, is hereby repealed."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 290, a bill for "An act to amend an act in regard to limitations, approved April 4, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 291, a bill for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 245, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to regulate the State charitable institutions, and the State reform school and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency," approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 299, a bill for "An act to amend sections one, two, three, four and five of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, by repealing sections one, two, three, four and five of said act, and inserting in lieu thereof sections to be known as sections one, two, three and four of said act.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to the bill.

Amend by adding the following section to the bill:

Section 5. This act shall not apply to counties having a population of over two hundred thousand.

Mr. Humphrey moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 18; nays, 17.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Powers,
Butler,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Townsend.
Campbell,	Farnum,	Helm,	Mueller,	Yeas—18.
Clark,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Riley,	Walter,
Berry,	Juul,	Parker,	Small,	Watson.
Fort,	Koch,	Putnam,	Templeton,	Nays—17.
Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,		

Mr. Helm moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

On motion of Mr. Helm, the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 17, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 211, a bill for "An act to amend section ninety (90) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 232, a bill for "An act to amend sections 2 and 32 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Mr. Watson, from the special committee, offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30.

WHEREAS, Hon. H. H. Kingsbury, Senator in the Forty and Forty-first General Assemblies, in the State of Illinois, has departed this life, and

WHEREAS, Senator Kingsbury was an honored and valued member of the Senate, a gentleman of honor and integrity, and a citizen that reflected credit upon his State, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Kingsbury, the State of Illinois has lost a useful citizen, his neighbors a considerate and generous friend, his family a loving and indulgent father and counselor, and that our sincere sympathy is extended to them.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to enter these resolutions upon the journal of the Senate, and that a copy of the same suitably engrossed be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

And the question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative unanimously, by a rising vote.

At 11:40 a. m., on motion of Mr. Watson, as a mark of further respect to the deceased, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., March 13, 1903.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain of the House of Representatives, Rev. M. N. Powers.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Rees, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 10:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Templeton, the Senate adjourned until Monday, March 16, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MARCH 16. 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, March 13, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Rees, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, March 17, 1903.

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Coleman presented a petition from citizens of Neoga, concerning the local option bill, Senate Bill No. 41, which,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Bailey presented a petition from the Supervisors of Vermilion county, asking an amendment to article 3, chapter 139, section 1, Revised Statutes, which,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rees offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31.

WHEREAS, The Honorable David T. Littler, a member of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-third and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies and a member of the Senate of the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth General Assemblies of the State of Illinois, and who at various times held important commissions from the State and National governments, departed this life at his home in this city on the 23rd day of June, 1902; and,

WHEREAS, It is desired of this body to render appropriate tribute to the memory of one whose genial countenance, great ability and welcome presence were once seen and felt on this floor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of the Honorable David T. Littler the State of Illinois has lost a valuable citizen who in all the walks of life served his fellow men and his State with unswerving ability and integrity, and left the impress of his work upon the community in which he lived and on this State and nation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senate extend to his bereaved family its profound sympathy and condolence because of their loss in the passing over to the majority of our esteemed friend and fellow citizen; and be it further

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the journal of this Senate and the Secretary be directed to send an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased; and out of further respect, this Senate do now adjourn.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rees, the foregoing resolution was taken up, and on his motion, the consideration thereof was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 24, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 400, for "An act to provide for the dedication of the monument erected by the State of Illinois on the Battlefield of Shiloh,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 401, for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act entitled an act to revise the laws in relation to township organizations," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act of June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 402, for "An act to repeal an act entitled, 'An act creating the office of superintending architect of the State of Illinois, and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 403, for "An act to amend section 218 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 404, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to garnishment,' approved March 9, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 405, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 32a and section 32b, and to amend section 34 thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Walter introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 406, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to restrict the powers of counties, cities, towns and villages in licensing dram shops to provide for the granting of a license to retail malt liquors separately and for punishing persons holding such licenses for unlawful sale and gifts,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Walter, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 407, for "An act entitled, 'An act concerning free public libraries in public parks.'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 408, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to replevin,' approved Feb. 9, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark, (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 409, for "An act to amend sections one (1,) two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, and by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and by an act approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 410, for "An act to amend section 1, of Article III, of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 22, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 411, for "An act to amend section 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to plats, approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 412, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by providing for the voluntary dissolution of park districts organized or hereafter organized thereunder, by adding thereto four sections to be numbered sections 40, 41, 42 and 43, respectively,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 202.

A bill for an act to create the Court of Claims and to prescribe its powers and duties.

SENATE BILL NO. 167.

A bill for an act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within this State.

SENATE BILL NO. 242.

A bill for an act relating to negotiable instruments.

SENATE BILL NO. 178.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors and the custody of the United States field notes," approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 290.

A bill for an act to amend an act in regard to limitations, approved April 4, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 291.

A bill for an act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways.

SENATE BILL NO. 232.

A bill for an act to amend sections 2 and 32 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," approved June 18, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL NO. 245.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State Reform School and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency," approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875.

SENATE BILL NO. 211.

A bill for an act to amend section 90 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 264.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 2 and 4 of an act entitled, "An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy," approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL NO. 271.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the DesPlaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

SENATE BILL NO. 216.

A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish the improper use of same.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 299, a bill for "An act to amend sections one, two, three, four and five of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, and in force July 1, 1891, by repealing sections one, two, three, four and five of said act, and inserting in lieu thereof sections to be known as sections one, two, three and four of said act," the pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the enacting clause was stricken out of the bill be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Putnam, the further consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, March 18, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 39, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies,' approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by act approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, and to authorize corporations to increase or decrease the number of shares of capital stock and to increase or decrease the amount of each share of capital stock,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large at third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Powers.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fuller.	Koch.	Putnam.	Walter.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Rees.	Watson.
Clark.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Small.	Yeas—32.
Dawson.	Helm.	McCabe.		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fowler.	Meehan.	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 202, for "An act to create the Court of Claims and to prescribe its power and duties,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Fort.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Fowler.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fuller.	Lundberg.	Powers.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Gardner.	McCabe.	Putnam.	Walter.
Clark.	Haas.	McKenzie.	Rees.	Watson.
Dunlap.	Helm.	Meehan.	Small.	Yeas—35.
Evans.				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 186, for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senate Bill No. 242, for "An act relating to negotiable instruments,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Haas.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Alden.	Dawson.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Juul.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Evaus.	Koch.	Putnam.	Walter.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Kunz.	Rees.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Lundberg.	Small.	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort.	Gardner.	McCabe.	McKenzie.	Nays—6.
Fowler.	Hughes.			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 178, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes,' approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Small.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Evaus.	Juul.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Powers.	Walter.
Clark.	Haas.	McCabe.	Putnam.	Watson.
Coleman.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Rees.	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 271, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senate Bill No. 216, for "An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish the improper use of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Small,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,	Townsend,
Dawson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—26,
Evans,	Hughes,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Dunlap,	Fort,	Fowler,
Burnett,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 290, for, "An act to amend an act in regard to limitations, approved April 4, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; Nays, 9.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Alden,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—26.
Clark,	Hughes,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Fort,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Coleman,	Fowler,	McCabe,	Townsend,	Nays—9.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Evans, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 253, for "An act to add a new section to an act entitled, 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

At 11:45 o'clock A. M., on motion of Mr. Powers, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Albertsen, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 40, for "An act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities to own and operate street railways,'" reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Hughes, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 324, for "An act to amend section 6 of 'An act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 142, for "An act to amend section 202 and 210 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Koch, from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 176, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 115, for "An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water, approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 292, for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 293, for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 348, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners, having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement, and to defray the cost thereof,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 407, for "An act entitled, 'An act concerning free public libraries in public parks,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 294, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act concerning museums in public parks,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 302, for "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 413, for "An act to amend section 12 of 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hamilton (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 414, for "An act to provide for the condemnation of the joint user of street railway tracks and stationary appliances in cities and villages,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Barr introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 415, for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Burnett introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 416, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Burnett, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Mueller (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 417, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief and to indemnify John T. Buchanan,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 418, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and to govern casualty

insurance companies in this State and of other states doing business in the State of Illinois, and providing and fixing the punishment of violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith,' in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 419, for "An act to amend section 48 of article 3 of 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 134, a bill for "An act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security."

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed March 10, 1903, be reconsidered?"

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner withdrew his motion to reconsider,

And the President of the Senate announced that the bill had passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution reported from the Committee on Judiciary, March 12, 1903:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State as follows:

Resolved, That article IV of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34 and reading as follows, to-wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained, to pass any law (local, special or general), providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago.

The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the city, board of education, township, park, and other local governments and authorities having jurisdiction over said territory, or any part

thereof, and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago, and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations in said Cook county, to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and of any other municipal corporation, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding five per centum of the full value of the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment either for State or municipal purposes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness (but no new bonded indebtedness other than for refunding purposes shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special), and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes in accordance with the principles of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall be otherwise provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago, from or to any adjoining city or town by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special) both of the said city and of the city or town from or to which said territory is to go; but no territory shall be so transferred without the consent of a majority of the voters of such territory, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago it may abolish the office of justices of the peace, police magistrates, and constables in and for the territory within said city, and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe; and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local municipal government in and for the city of Chicago.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. And no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect section 4 of Article 11 of the Constitution of this State.

Mr. Campbell offered the following substitute for the foregoing resolution:

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State as follows:

Resolved, That Article 4 of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34 and reading as follows, to wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained, to pass any law (local, special or general), providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago. The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the county, city, board of education, township, park and other local govern-

ments and authorities having jurisdiction over said territory, or any part thereof, and may also provide for the creation and government of not more than two counties out of that portion of the county of Cook lying outside of the present or future limits of the city of Chicago, and in the event of the division of the county of Cook, shall provide for a just apportionment of the debts and property of the county of Cook, (which apportionment shall include and provide for the apportioning and annexation to said city of Chicago of that part of the town of Norwood Park which is owned of record by the county of Cook and known as the "county farm"); and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago. and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations in said Cook county, to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and said city's proportionate share of the indebtedness of said county and sanitary district, and of any other municipal corporation, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding 5 per centum of the full value of the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment either for State or municipal purposes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness, (but no new bonded indebtedness, other than for refunding purposes, shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special;) and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes in accordance with the principals of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall be otherwise provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago, from or to any adjoining county. by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special) both of the said city and of the county from or to which said territory is to go; but no territory shall be so transferred without the consent of a majority of the voters of such territory, and of a majority of the voters of each city, village or town within said territory, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago it may abolish the offices of justices of the peace, police magistrates and constables in and for the territory within said city and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe; and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local municipal government in and for the city of Chicago. In case of the division, as aforesaid, of said county of Cook, the provisions of Article VI of this Constitution respecting the county of Cook, or the courts of record thereof, shall apply to the city of Chicago, as if the city of Chicago were therein named in place of said county of Cook, except as herein otherwise provided.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and no law providing for the consolidation of city and county government within said city, or for dividing Cook county, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters (voting upon the question at any election, general, municipal or special,) both of the county and of that portion of said county without said city. And no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city, voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing

in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect Sections 2 or 3 of Article X, or Section 4 of Article XI of the Constitution of this State.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing substitute was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendment to the resolution, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, in line 23 of printed resolution, by inserting after the words "said city" the following:

"and said city's proportionate share of the indebtedness of said county and sanitary district."

Mr. Parker moved to reconsider the vote whereby the substitute was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The question then being, "Shall the resolution, as amended, be adopted?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39; nays, 1, two-thirds voting in the affirmative.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson.	Hall.	Kunz,	Riley.
Barr.	Dunlap.	Hamilton,	Lundberg.	Small.
Berry,	Evans.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Butler.	Fowler.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Townsend.
Campbell,	Fuller.	Jandus.	Parker.	Walter.
Clark.	Gardner.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Coleman.	Haas.	Koch.	Putnam.	Yeas—39.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Stringer.

Nays—1.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 299, a bill for "An act to amend sections one, two, three, four and five of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, by repealing sections one, two, three, four and five of said act, and inserting in lieu thereof sections to be known as sections one, two, three and four of said act," which was read at large a second time, March 12, 1903.

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the enacting clause was stricken out be reconsidered?" which motion was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the enacting clause be stricken out?" it was decided in the negative.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Putnam, March 12, 1903, be adopted?" it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 299.

Amend title by striking out of line 1 the words, "one, two, three, four and five," and insert in lieu thereof the words "two and four."

Also amend title by striking out the words and figures "and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887," in lines 4 and 5.

Also amend title by striking out all after the words and figures "July 1, 1891," in line 6.

Amend section 1 of printed bill by striking out of line 2, page 1, the words "one, two, three, four and five," and insert in lieu thereof the words "two and four."

Strike out all of printed bill after the word "amended," line 8, page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

To read as follows:

"Section 2. Such instrument shall be acknowledged before a justice of the peace of the county where the mortgagor resides, or before the county judge of the county in which the mortgagor resides; or if the mortgagor is not a resident of this State at the time of making the acknowledgment, then before any officer authorized by law to take acknowledgments of deeds: *Provided*, That in counties having a population of more than 200,000, such instrument shall be acknowledged before a justice of the peace of the town or precinct where the mortgagor resides. The certificate of acknowledgment may be in the following form:

"This (name of instrument) was acknowledged before me by (name of grantor), (when the acknowledgment is made by a resident, insert the words, 'and entered by me') this day of 19..

"Witness my hand and seal.

(Name of officer.) (Seal.)

"Section 4. Such mortgage, trust deed or other conveyance of personal property, acknowledged as provided in this act, shall be admitted to record by the recorder of the county in which the mortgagor shall reside at the time when the instrument is executed and recorded, or in case the mortgagor is not a resident of this State, then in the county where the property is situated and kept, and shall thereupon, if *bona fide*, be good and valid from the time it is filed for record until the maturity of the entire debt or obligation, or extension thereof made as hereinafter specified: *Provided*, such time shall not exceed three years, from the filing of the mortgage, unless within thirty days next preceding the expiration of such three years, or if the debt or obligation matures within such three years, then within thirty days next preceding the maturity of said debt or obligation the mortgagor and mortgagee, his or their agent or attorney shall file for record in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county where the original mortgage is recorded, also with the justice of the peace, or his successor, upon whose docket the same was entered, an affidavit setting forth particularly the interest which the mortgagee has by virtue of such mortgage in the property therein mentioned, and if such mortgage is for the payment of money, the amount remaining unpaid thereon, and the time when the same will become due by extension or otherwise; which affidavit shall be recorded by such recorder and be entered upon the docket of said justice of the peace, and thereupon the mortgage lien originally acquired shall be continued and extended for and during the term of one year from the filing of such affidavit, or until the maturity of the indebtedness or extension thereof secured by said mortgage: *Provided*, such time shall not exceed one year from the date of filing such affidavit."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 168, for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Rees,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Small,
Berry,	Fowler,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Clark,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Walter,
Coleman,	Haas,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson.
Dunlap,	Hall,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 264 for "An act to amend section one (1) two (2) and four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1 1897 "

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 32; nays 7:

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Koch,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Rees,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Stringer,	Yeas—32.
Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort,	Gardner,	Helm,	Hughes,	Pemberton,
Fowler,	Hamilton,			Nays—7.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 291, a bill for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senate Bill No. 245, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State reform school and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Fowler,	Juul,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Fuller,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Haas,	Kunz,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Coleman,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,	Walter,
Dawson,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Watson.
Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—36.
Fort,	Jandus,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 211, for "An act to amend section ninety (90) of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Small,
Alden,	Evans,	Humphrey	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Fort,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Haas,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—36.
Coleman,	Helm,			

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 232, a bill for "An act to amend sections two and thirty-two of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend sections one and two of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,'" was taken up for third reading.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Albertsen, the bill was recalled to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend line 40 of bill by striking out the word "shall" and insert in its place the following, "upon proper showing in his discretion."

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 167, for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading, was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, March 19, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 175, a bill for "An act to make appropriation for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission of Claims to certain persons named therein,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, March 10, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out the period at the end of section 1, and insert semi-colon in lieu thereof, and add the following words and figures: "To Charles Hatfield, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for injuries received on the 31st day of August, 1899, while a member of Troop B, First Cavalry Illinois National Guard, while in the line of duty at Camp Lincoln, Springfield, Illinois."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 297, a bill for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor' approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time together with the following amendment thereto reported from the Committee on Appropriations March 12, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 297, by adding a new section to be known as section five (5) as follows:

"Section 5. Whereas, an emergency exists, this act shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section four of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 312, a bill for "An act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof and repealing certain acts therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 86, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c, and section 3d, respectively,

Was taken up and read at large a second time together with the following amendments thereto reported from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions March 11 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill 86 by striking out the figures "1890" in section 3a, line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1880, and when said wife shall be of the age of 60 years or older."

Amendment No 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 86, by adding after section 3a, line 15, the following: "*Provided*, the board of supervisors or county commissioners in each county of this State is hereby authorized to make appropriations of money out of the general funds of such county for the purpose of erecting a cottage or cottages or joining with other counties to erect a cottage upon the grounds of said home, and buildings so erected shall always be for the use of soldiers and their wives who are inmates of said home from such county. Said buildings to be built under the rules and regulations of the board of trustees of said Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Rees moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill,
Which motion was decided in the negative,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 313, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to encourage the planting of trees,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Hall offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend title by inserting after the word "amend" the words "the title and section 1 of".

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 285, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable Park Commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard or driveway under the control of such park commissioners and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 286, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds and to provide for the payment thereof,' approved and in force May 10, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 287, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable Park Commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control' approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 354, a bill for "An act to legalize acknowledgments of deeds mortgages and other instruments in writing heretofore taken by any notary public justice of the peace or other officer who may have been a stockholder in any such corporation at the time of taking such acknowledgment,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 350, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2), and five (5) of an act entitled 'An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization and in townships in counties under township organization outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages to prescribe their duties and powers and provide for enforcing the same,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901' "

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No 252, a bill for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and to add two additional sections to said act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 309, a bill for "An act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 186, a bill for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation " which was re-called from the order of third reading March 17, 1903, was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 186 by striking out all that part of section 2 of printed bill after the word "taxes" in line 5 of same and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Against such companies or associations except such taxes as may be assessed against such companies on any personal or real property by any local assessor in any municipality in this State, and such reciprocal tax as is required by law."

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 48, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Was read at large a second time.

On motion of Mr. Mueller, the following amendment reported from the Committee on Insurance March 10, 1903, was ordered to lie on the table:

Strike out all after enacting clause and insert the following:

That section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits," approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3. Any such life insurance company or association or any officer or agent of any such life insurance company or association who shall, within the State of Illinois, violate any of the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty (30) days nor more than one (1) year, or both, in the discretion of the court, and it is hereby made the duty of the Insurance Superintendent, upon conviction had as aforesaid, for violation of this act, at once to revoke, cancel and annul the certificate of authority issued to any such officer or agent, convicted as aforesaid, and no person who shall have been convicted of any violation of this act shall thereafter serve in any capacity within the State of Illinois, any insurance company doing business in this State, and no insurance company knowingly employing any such person, so convicted as aforesaid, or knowingly permitting any such person to serve it in any capacity within this State, shall be allowed to continue in the business of insurance in this State. The fine herein provided for shall be paid to the State of Illinois.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend title of bill by inserting after the word "amend" in line 1 of printed bill the words "section 3 of."

Strike out all of lines 2, 3 and 4 after the word "Assembly" down to and including the figures "1901" in line 4, and insert the following in lieu thereof: "That section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Amend section 3 so it shall read as follows:

Section 3. Any such life insurance company or association or any officer or agent of any such life insurance company or association who shall, within the State of Illinois, violate any of the provisions of this act, shall be each judged guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than one year, or both, in the discretion of the court, and it is hereby made the duty of the Insurance Superintendent, upon conviction had as aforesaid, for violation of this act, at once to revoke, cancel and annul the certificate of authority issued to any such officer or agent convicted as aforesaid. The fine herein provided for shall be paid to the State of Illinois.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 91, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, and in force February 25, 1898,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:40 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Rev. F. A. De Rossette of Springfield.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Stubblefield presented a petition from citizens of Arrowsmith, McLean County, Ill., in favor of the local option bill, Senate Bill No. 41, which,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Public Accounts, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 387, for "An act to create a State Board of Accounts and to define its duties and powers," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 42, for "An act to amend section 53 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 65, for "An act to amend section 106 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix

the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 81, for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 119, for "An act to amend section 91½ of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 390, for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 392, for "An act entitled 'An act to authorize the prosecution of writs of error by the People of the State of Illinois in criminal cases,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 398, for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872 (said section 220 as

amended by act approved May 3, 1873)," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 144, for "An act to provide against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors through agents," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and

On motion of Mr. Haas, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 420, a bill for "An act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof," was under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 125, for "An act to amend sections 60 and 70 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,'" approved April 1, 1872; in force July 1, 1872, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 272, for "An act to amend section fifty-four (54) of an act entitled, "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization," and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named, approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 367, for "An act to amend an act to regulate the civil service of cities," approved and in force March 20, 1895; as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 257, for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 328, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 329, for "An act to amend section 24 and to repeal section 25 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 323, for "An act to amend section 42 I, of an 'Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence', approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 325, for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.' " reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 337, for "An act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 405, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by

adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 32a and section 32b, and to amend section 34 thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a Bill, Senate Bill No. 338, for "An act to amend sections one, two and three of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Hughes, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 361, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and five (5) of an act entitled 'An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 391, for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,' as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 312.

A bill for an act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain acts therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 285.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard, or driveway under the control of such park commissioners, and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired," approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 286.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof," approved and in force May 10, 1901.

SENATE BILL NO. 287.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control, approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 313.

A bill for an act to amend the title and section 1 of "An act to encourage the planting of trees", approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann. First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President--I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 216.

A bill for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled 'An act concerning conveyances', approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL NO. 36.

A bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899."

Passed the House March 17, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to Committee on Municipalities.

House Bill No. 216, a bill for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled 'An act concerning conveyances,' approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to Committee on License and Miscellany.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 421, for "An act concerning the fees of justices of the peace and police magistrates in counties of the third class,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 422, for "An act making an appropriation for the erection of a woman's building and department of public comfort on the State Fair grounds and providing for the care and custody of the same,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 423, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 424, for "An act to provide uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 425, for "An act concerning bridges and passageways under or over public alleys, places and courts,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 426, for "An act to amend 'An act concerning villages and incorporated towns,' approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 427, for "An act to regulate the business of leasing or renting safety deposit boxes, vaults or compartments and licensing the same,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 167, a bill for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State," which was read at large a third time March 18, 1903.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend bill by striking out lines 38, 39, 40 and 41 of printed bill.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 312, for "An act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain acts therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Alden,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Barr,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Riley,	Yeas—31,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Small,	
Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 313, for "An act to amend the title and section 1 of 'An act to encourage the planting of trees,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Haas,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hall,	Kunz,	Powers,	Watson,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	
Dawson,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 285, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard or driveway under the control of such park commissioners, and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired, approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,'"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen	Evans	Hughes	Meehan	Stubblefield
Alden	Farnum	Humphrey	Mueller	Templeton
Barr	Fowler	Jandus	Parker	Townsend
Berry	Fuller	Juul	Pemberton	Walter
Butler	Gardner	Koch	Putnam	Watson
Campbell	Haas	Kunz	Rees	
Clark	Hall	Lundberg	Riley	
Dunlap	Hamilton	Maher	Stringer	Yeas—37

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 286, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof,' approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Butler,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Riley,	Watson,
Clark,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—30.
Evans,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 287, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,'"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Small,
Berry,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stringer,
Butler,	Gardner,	Jaul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,	Walter,
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Dunlap,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Riley,	Yeas--30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE A SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 73, a bill for "An act to amend sections 1 and 4 of division XV of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 74, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of division XIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 75, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to attorneys general and state's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 6a,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 227, a bill for "An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, which amendatory act was approved June 14, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 276, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the adoption of children,' approved February 27, 1874; by adding thereto a section providing that clerks of courts keep indexes of names of adopted children and parents,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 277, a bill for "An act to provide that actions accruing to a public officer may be brought by his successor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 278, a bill for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oaths and affirmations,' approved February 25, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 279, a bill for "An act to provide that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of county judge, or master in chancery, who shall not have obtained a license as an attorney and counselor at law in this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 280, a bill for "An act to amend section 46 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 31, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 281, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 282, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, by incorporating therein a new section requiring the clerks of courts of record to keep books of registry."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 283, a bill for "An act to empower clerks of courts of record to receive the amount of judgments for costs only and to satisfy such judgments,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 413, a bill for "An act to amend section 12 of 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 253, a bill for "An act to add a new section to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,"

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 302, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 292, a bill for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes to alter or enlarge the parks under their control,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 293, a bill for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 294, a bill for "An act to amend an act, entitled, 'An act concerning museums in public parks,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, March 18, 1903:

In line 41, page 3, after the word "thereof," strike out the words "and the proceeds of such additional tax to be kept as a separate fund," and add the following: "And the proceeds of such additional tax shall be kept as a separate fund: *Provided*, the proposition to annually levy a tax as herein authorized shall first be submitted to a vote of the legal voters of such park district and receive a majority of the votes cast upon such proposition."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 143, a bill for "An act to amend section 96, division 1, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 179, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to guardians and wards,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 115, a bill for "An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 243, a bill for "An act to amend section 32 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved Feb. 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 348, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act to enable park commissioners, having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement and to defray the cost thereof,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 42, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, the title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, March 11, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 42 by striking out the following words in line 22 of printed bill: "To the Adjutant General the sum of \$3,000."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, March 19, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Richard V. Carpenter, of Boone county, as Public Administrator and Public Guardian of said Boone county.

I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

At 10:45 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Fuller, the rules were suspended and the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering the foregoing message from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Fuller, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors was suspended.

Whereupon the foregoing executive message, was taken up and read,

And the question being "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—37.
Dawson,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,		

At 10:48 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Fuller, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE SECOND TIME.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, House Bill No. 119, a bill for "An act to amend section 91½ of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 309.

A bill for an act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks.

SENATE BILL No. 86.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings," approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as Section 3a, Section 3b, Section 3c, and Section 3d, respectively.

Senate Bill No. 86, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings,' approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections to be known as Section 3a, Section 3b, Section 3c, and Section 3d, respectively.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas. 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Fowler	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Riley,
Alden,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Haas,	Juul,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Hall,	Koch,	Powers,	Templeton,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Farnum,	Helm,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—32.
Fort,	Hughes,	McCabe,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 407, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act concerning free public libraries in public parks,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 10:55 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess for five minutes.

11:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House, by Mr. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 625.

A bill for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court district of the State of Illinois, and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named, and providing for an election in said Fourth district."

Passed the House March 19, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 625, a bill for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court District of the State of Illinois and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named and providing for an election in said Fourth District,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Senate Bill No, 387, a bill for "An act to create a State Board of Accounts and to define its duties and powers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:10 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Friday, March 20, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, MARCH, 20, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Rees presiding, he having been, under Rule 15 of the Senate, designated by the President of the Senate to act as President *pro tempore* of the Senate during today's session.

Prayer by the Rev. M. N. Powers, Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Burnett, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 10:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Burnett, the Senate adjourned until Monday, March 23, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1903--5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, March 20, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 5:01 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Fowler, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 362, for "An act to amend section 26 of an act entitled 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 370, for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Helm, from the Committee on Judicial Apportionment, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 625, for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court district of the State of Illinois, and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named, and providing for an election in said Fourth district," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 288, for "An act to enable park commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters in this State to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by extensions over lands and the bed of such waters and defining the use which may be made of such extensions,

and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Jandus introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 428, for "An act to provide for the submission to vote of electors all ordinances granting rights to operate or lease street railways for a period longer than five years,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Jandus, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 429, for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculating in grain, or other products,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fowler, was referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Mr. Evans introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 430, for "An act to provide for the erection of a monument on Chickamauga battlefield to commemorate the services of the 89th Illinois Infantry,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Evans, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 431, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default,' approved February 12, 1853, in force February 12, 1853,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 432, for "An act to provide for refunding taxes paid upon gifts and legacies to hospitals under the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, 'An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases and to provide for collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 433, for "An act to cede certain lands to the United States,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 434, for "An act to amend section 1, of 'An act entitled, 'An act for the protection of bank depositors,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,'"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 435, for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to organize and regulate the business of life insurance,' approved March 26, 1869, in force July 1, 1869,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Berry, ordered to a second reading.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced that the time had arrived for the special order, being the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Rees, March 17, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 31.

WHEREAS, The Honorable David T. Littler, a member of the House of Representatives of the 33d and 35th General Assemblies and a member of the Senate of the 39th and 40th General Assemblies of the State of Illinois, and who at various times held important commissions from the State and National Governments, departed this life at his home in this city on the 23d day of June, 1902, and

WHEREAS, It is desired of this body to render appropriate tribute to the memory of one whose genial countenance, great ability and welcome presence was once seen and felt on this floor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of the Honorable David T. Littler the State of Illinois has lost a valuable citizen who in all the walks of life served his fellow men and his State with unswerving ability and integrity, and left the impress of his work upon the community in which he lived and on this State and Nation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senate extend to his bereaved family its profound sympathy and condolence because of their loss in the passing over to the majority of our esteemed friend and fellow citizen; and be it further

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the journal of this Senate and the Secretary be directed to send an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased; and out of further respect, this Senate do now adjourn.

On motion of Mr. Rees, the consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 31, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 309, for "An act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas —38.
Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Small,	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rees, House Bill No. 119, for "An act to amend section 91½ of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887, in force March 25, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—41.
Clark,	Hall,			

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 61.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 269.

A bill for an act in relation in libel, and for the punishment thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 354.

A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other instruments in writing heretofore taken by any notary public, justice of the peace, or other officer, who may have been a stockholder in any such corporations at the time of taking such acknowledgments.

SENATE BILL No. 350.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled, "An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers, and provide for enforcing the same," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 48.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to correct abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits," approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891.

SENATE BILL No. 292.

A bill for an act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control.

Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Barr offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 61, in line 12 of printed bill, by striking out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-eight," and by striking out the figures "30,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "28,000."

Mr. Meehan offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend printed bill by striking out all after the word "passed" in line 18, page 2.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel and for the punishment thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Farnum offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend printed bill No. 269 by striking out section 4.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 354, for "An act to legalize acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other instruments in writing, heretofore taken by any notary public, justice of the peace or other officer, who may have been a stockholder in any such corporation at the time of taking such acknowledgment,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	To wnsend,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—39.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 350, for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled 'An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization and in counties under township organization, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers and provide for enforcing the same,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Evans,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Walter,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Juul,	Rainey,	
Barr,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—31.
Berry,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Burnett,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 48, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled 'An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations of and by life insurance companies and associations or their agents doing business in this State between insurants of the same class and equal expectation of life in the rates, amount of payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates or other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Templeton,
Alden,	Dawson,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	Walter,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Watson.
Barr,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—36.
Berry,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Riley,	
Burnett,	Gardner,	Maher,	Small,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hall;

Nays—1.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL 293.

A bill for an act conveying certain land to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon.

SENATE BILL No. 294.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act concerning museums in public parks," approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

SENATE BILL No. 91.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898, and in force Feb. 25, 1898.

SENATE BILL No. 175.

A bill for an act to make appropriations for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission of Claims to certain persons named therein.

SENATE BILL No. 252.

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense and for the nominations of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot," approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and to add two additional sections to said act.

SENATE BILL No. 186.

A bill for an act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation.

SENATE BILL No. 232.

A bill for an act to amend sections two and thirty-two of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, "An act to amend sections one and two of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 297.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act to establish the Illinois Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor," approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

SENATE BILL No. 179.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to guardians and wards," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 283.

A bill for an act to empower clerks of courts of record to receive the amounts of judgments for costs only and to satisfy such judgments.

SENATE BILL NO. 302.

A bill for an act to amend section 31 of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations."

SENATE BILL NO. 281.

A bill for an act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations," approved April 18, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 282.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts," approved March 25, 1874, by incorporating therein a new section requiring the clerks of courts of record to keep books of registry.

SENATE BILL NO. 280.

A bill for an act to amend section 36 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 31, 1879.

SENATE BILL NO. 278.

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to oaths and affirmations," approved Feb. 25, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 73.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1 and 4 of division XV of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 277.

A bill for an act to provide that actions accruing to a public officer may be brought by his successor.

SENATE BILL NO. 115.

A bill for an act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water," approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL NO. 42.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, the title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 167.

A bill for an act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipt of premiums received for policies so issued within the State.

SENATE BILL No. 227.

A bill for an act to amend section 12 of article 6, of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section 12 of article 6 of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, which amendatory act was approved June 14, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883".

SENATE BILL No. 299.

A bill for an act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, and in force July 1, 1891.

SENATE BILL No. 74.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of division 13 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 75.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's Attorneys", approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a.

SENATE BILL No. 276.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to adoption of children," approved February 27, 1874, by adding thereto section providing that clerks of courts keep indexes of names of adopted children and parents.

SENATE BILL No. 143.

A bill for an act to amend section 96, division 1, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 243.

A bill for an act to amend section 32 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to circuit court and superior court of Cook county," approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 348.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State to enlarge the same from time to time and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement, and to defray the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 407.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act concerning free public libraries in public parks."

SENATE BILL No. 387.

A bill for an act to create a State Board of Accounts and to define its duties and powers.

SENATE BILL No. 279.

A bill for an act to provide that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of county judge, or master in chancery, who shall not have obtained a license as an attorney and counselor at law in this State.

SENATE BILL No. 413.

A bill for an act to amend section 12 of an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved March 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 253.

A bill for an act to add a new section to an act entitled, "An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor," approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 436, for "An act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol building at Springfield, Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 232, for "An act to amend sections two and thirty-two of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards, and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend sections one and two of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Small.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Evans.	Hughes.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Berry.	Fort.	Juul.	Rainey.	Walter.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Lundberg.	Rees.	Watson.
Campbell.	Haas.	Maher.	Riley.	Yeas—36.
Clark.	Hall.			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 175, for "An act to make appropriations for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission of Claims to certain persons named therein,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote; Yeas, 39; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Small,
Alden,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rainey,	Walter,
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,	Watson.
Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—39.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fowler. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 318, for "An act to fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the County of Jefferson," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 297, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to establish the Illinois Historical Library, and to provide for its care and maintenance, and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Barr,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rainey,	
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—45.
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Small,	
Dawson,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stringer,	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 252, for "An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections, and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and to add two additional sections to said act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 26; nays 14.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs,

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Barr,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	Walter,
Burnett,	Haas,	Kunz,	Riley,	Watson,
Clark,	Hall,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—26.
Evans,	Hughes,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maher,	Rainey,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Nays—14.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 186, for "An act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations organized under the laws of any other state or nation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—34.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and,

Having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 91, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, and in force Feb. 25, 1898,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Haas.	Koch.	Rainey.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Riley.
Barr.	Evans.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Berry.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Jandus.	Powers.	Yeas—38.
Clark.	Gardner.	Juul.	Putnam.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 292, for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns, for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 42.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Small.
Alden.	Dixon.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Powers.	Townsend.
Berry.	Fuller.	Juul.	Rainey.	Walter.
Burnett.	Gardner.	Koch.	Rees.	Watson.
Campbell.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Riley.	Yeas—42.
Clark.	Hall.	Maher.		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 293, for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners, for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Small,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—38.
Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Rainey,	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 294, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act concerning museums in public parks,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Gardner,	Juul,	Rainey,	Walter,
Burnett,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small,	Yeas—30.
Campbell,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 302, for "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Watson,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Parker,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 342, for "An act in regard to the removal of county seats," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 413, for "An act to amend section 12 of 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Small,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Hall,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—39.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 299, for "An act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by an act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881; and as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, and in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Barr,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rainey,	
Berry,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—31.
Clark,	Hall,	Meehan,	Small,	
Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 253, for "An act to add a new section to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance and to make appropriations therefor,' approved May 25, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Alden,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Fort,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson.
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Hall,	Maher,	Small,	Yeas—36.
Clark,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,	
Dunlap,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 73, for "An act to amend sections 1 and 4, division 15, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Barr,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 74, a bill for "An act to amend section 2, of division 13 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 437, for "An act to regulate and control the investment and safe keeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such societies to deposit their reserve fund securities in the

custody of the State of Illinois, and to provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Putnam introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 438, for "An act to legalize certain elections held under 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Putnam, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Barr, House Bill No. 65, a bill for "An act to amend section 106 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Evans, Senate Bill No. 291, a bill for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways," was taken up on the order of second reading.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 by inserting in line three (3) of printed bill, after the word "railway" the following: "with power other than steam."

Amend further in line nine (9) by inserting after the word "into" in said line nine, the following words: "or to the boundaries of."

Amend further by adding to the said section one the following: "*Provided*, That such consolidated company shall not hereafter obtain any greater rights or privileges than such street railway company could have obtained from such city, village or town.

"*Provided, further*, That no street or other railroad or railway company within the limits of any city of over 300,000 population as shown by the last census prior to such proposed consolidation, shall be permitted to consolidate with such interurban railroad or railway."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 405, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 32a and section 32b, and to amend section 34 thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out the figures "32" in line 4, and inserting the figures "14," and by striking out the figures "32" and "34" in line 5 thereof and inserting the figures "14" and "16," respectively.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill as follows:

Strike out the figures "32" wherever they occur in line 6 and insert the figures "14."

Strike out the figures "34" in line 6 and insert the figures "16."

Strike out the figures "32" in line 7 and insert the figures "14."

Strike out the figures "32" in line 21 and insert the figures "14."

Strike out the figures "34" in line 33 and insert the figures "16."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 348, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable park commissioners, having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement, and to defray the cost thereof,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton.
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Riley,	Yeas—36.
Clark,	Gardner,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul,

Senate Bill No. 398, a bill for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and

for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872 (said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873),"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum,

Senate Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 338, a bill for "An act to amend sections one, two and three of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, March 19, 1903:

Amend printed bill by inserting after the word "issued," on line three (3) of section two (2) on page two (2) the following: "returnable on any day of the term".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hughes, Senate Bill No. 391, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,' as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 126, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to repeal sections 8 to 109 of said act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate presented eight petitions from local unions of the Chicago Federation of Labor, protesting against the passage of what is known as the Educational Bill of the Chicago Board of Education, which, on motion of Mr. Berry, were referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

At 12:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 291.

A bill for an act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways.

SENATE BILL NO. 405.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 14a and section 14b, and to amend section 16 thereof.

SENATE BILL NO. 398.

A bill for an act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872. (Said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873.)

SENATE BILL NO. 337.

A bill for an act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto.

SENATE BILL NO. 338.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto.

SENATE BILL NO. 391.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL NO. 269.

A bill for an act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 394, for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 439, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," was,

Under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 218, for "An act to amend an act providing for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887; as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 303, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 306, for "An act to amend section 220, Division I, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 327, for "An act to amend section 9 of article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 408, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to replevin,' approved February 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 415, for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 425, for "An act concerning bridges and passageways under or over public alleys, places and courts," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 431, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default,' approved February 12, 1853, in force February 12, 1853," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the rules were suspended and the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time; and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration thereof was made the special order for Thursday, March 26, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 438, for "An act to legalize certain elections held under 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 395, for "An act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations and corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and power to close their affairs," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 296, for "An act to amend sections 36, 37, 38 and 39, of division I, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Haas from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 216, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning conveyances,'" approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Public Accounts, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 357, for "An act in relation to the public service of the State, and creating a Board of Public Service Commissioners, providing the manner in which said board shall be organized, prescribing the duties thereof, fixing the amount of public expenditures to be made in carrying into effect the provisions of this act," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hughes presented the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

Whereas, Many of the forests heretofore existing within the State of Illinois have been destroyed and the forest area of said State is diminishing from year to year, to the manifest injury of the inhabitants of said State, therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America be, and it is hereby requested to make an investigation as to the condition of the forests within the boundaries of the State of Illinois and make report thereof, together with such recommendations as shall seem proper as to the means necessary to be adopted for the purpose of preserving the forests now in existence and of encouraging the propagation, growth and protection of forests in general within said State; said report to be made to the Governor of this State with all convenient dispatch.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Bailey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 440, for "An act to amend article 9 of section 146 of chapter 122 of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Small introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 441, for "An act to insure the competency of musical instructors and to promote the study and teaching of music in the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Small, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 442, for "An act entitled 'An act to enable associations of persons to become bodies corporate—to act as financial agents and attorneys for others who contribute to a common fund, which is to be used to purchase homes for such contributors,'" "

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 443, for "An act to amend section 2, article VII, of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an act approved April 28, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 444, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members for accidental or permanent disability to members thereof and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing a punishment for the violation of the provisions thereof and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893," as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 21, 1899,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 445, for "An act to amend sections one (1), six (6), and nine (9), and to repeal sections seven (7) and eight (8) of article eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and to increase the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 75, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Alden,
Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Clark,
Coleman,

Dixon,
Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fowler,
Haas,

Hall,
Helm,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Juul,
Koch,
Maher,

McCabe,
Meehan,
Mueller,
Parker,
Putnam,
Rainey,
Rees,

Riley,
Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 227, for "An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section 12 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, which amendatory act was approved June 14, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Barr,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 276, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the adoption of children,' approved Feb. 27, 1874, by adding thereto a section providing that clerks of courts keep indexes of names of adopted children and parents,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Burnett,	Hall,	Maher,	Rainey,	Yeas—32.
Clark,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Helm,	Meehan,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 277, for "An act to provide that actions accruing to a public officer may be brought by his successor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Juul.	Parker.	Stringer.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Koch.	Powers.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Townsend.
Barr.	Hamilton	Maher.	Rees.	Walter.
Burnett.	Helm.	McCabe.	Riley.	Watson.
Clark.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Small.	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 278, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oaths and affirmations,' approved February 25, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Small.
Andrus.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Parker.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Powers.	Stubblefield.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Koch.	Putnam.	Templeton.
Clark.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Walter.
Dawson.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Rees.	Watson.
Dixon.	Helm.	Meehan.	Riley.	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 279, for "An act to provide that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of county judge, or master in chancery, who shall not have obtained a license as an attorney and counsellor at law in this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Burnett.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Stubblefield.
Dawson.	Juul.	Powers.	Riley.	Yeas—9.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Fowler.	McCabe.	Rees.
Alden.	Dixon.	Fuller.	McKenzie.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Barr.	Evans.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Walter.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Fort.	Koch.	Rainey.	Nays—29.

Senate Bill No. 280, for "An act to amend section 36, of an act entitled, "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 31, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr.	Dixon.	Hall.	Maher.	Stringer.
Berry.	Dunlap.	Helm.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Powers.	Walter.
Campbell.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Rainey.	
Clark.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Riley.	Yeas—27.
Dawson.	Gardner.	Juul.	Small.	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fuller.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 281, for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Fowler.	Juul.	Rees.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Hall.	Maher.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Helm.	McCabe.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Evans.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Walter.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Powers.	Watson.
Clark.				Yeas—31.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort.	Hamilton.	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 282, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, by incorporating therein a new section requiring the clerks of courts of record to keep books of registry,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Helm.	McCabe.	Riley.
Bailey.	Dixon.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Powers.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Haas.	Juul.	Putnam.	Walter.
Campbell.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Rees.	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman.	Fowler.	Stringer.	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 283, for "An act to empower clerks of courts of record to receive the amounts of judgments for costs only to satisfy such judgments,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 11.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Bailey,	Fort,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Barr,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Rainey,	Yeas—31.
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Dixon,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dunlap,	Meehan,	Stringer,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,	Nays—11
Coleman,	McKenzie,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 115, for "An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Stringer,
Alden,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Gardner,	Juul,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Barr,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,	Walter,
Berry,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Watson.
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Small,	Yeas—30.
Dawson,				

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fort, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 387, for "An act to create a State Board of Accounts and to define its duties and powers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,	Yeas—45.
Coleman,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Barr, House Bill No. 65, for "An act to amend section 106, of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 47.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fort,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Clark,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
Coleman,	Gardner,			Yeas—47.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Senate Bill No. 291, for "An act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies, organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Haas,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Parker,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	Walter,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Riley,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Small,	
Burnett,	Fuller,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Farrelly,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 179, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to guardians and wards,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Juul,	Rainey,	Walter,
Barr,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson.
Burnett,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,	
Clark,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,	

Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 405, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 14a and section 14b, and to amend section 16 thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Meehan,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Rees,	
Clark,	Gardner,			

Yeas—36.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fort,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 42, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872 (the title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874)."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Powers.	Walter.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Putnam.	Watson.
Burnett.	Fort.	Koch.	Rainey.	
Campbell.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Rees.	Yeas—31.
Clark.	Hall.	McCabe.	Riley.	
Dawson.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Small.	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fowler, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 407, for "An act entitled, 'An act concerning free public libraries in public parks,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas.	McCabe.	Riley.
Alden.	Dawson.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Small.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Helm.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Evans.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Barr.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Townsend.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Powers.	Walter.
Burnett.	Fort.	Koch.	Putnam.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Yeas—43.
Clark.	Fuller.	Maher.	Rees.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 391, for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Templeton.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Townsend.
Bailey.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Walter.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	
Berry.	Fuller.	Juul.	Putnam.	Yeas—31.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Koch.	Rees.	
Clark.	Haas.	McCabe.	Stubblefield.	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden.	Farrelly.	Helm.	Rainey.	Watson.
Dawson.				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Berry moved that the rules be suspended and that House Bill No. 625, a bill for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court District of the State of Illinois and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named and providing for an election in said Fourth District," be taken up on the order of second reading,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 12; two-thirds voting in the affirmative.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farrelly,	Meehan,	Rees,	Watson.
Coleman,	Fowler,	Powers,	Stringer,	Nays—12.
Dawson,	Jandus,	Rainey,		

The rules being suspended, the bill having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 243, for an act to amend section 32 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county," approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Gardner,			Yeas—37.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 143, for "An act to amend section 96, division I, of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Clark,	Fowler,	Jaul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson,
Dawson,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas--39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, the order of Reading Bills of the Senate the Second Time was taken up for consideration.

Senate Bill No. 318, a bill for "An act to fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the county of Jefferson,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 370, a bill for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Watson offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend the Printed Bill as Follows:

Strike out the word "shall" in line 1 of section 2, and insert "may."

Amendment No. 2.

After the word "surgery" in line 6, section 2, insert the word "in all their branches."

Amendment No. 3.

In section 3, line 1, strike out the word "shall" and insert "may in his discretion."

Amendment No. 4.

In line 3 of section 5 strike out the word "shall" and insert the word "may."

Amendment No. 5.

After the word "duties" in line 8, section 11, strike out the period and insert "or to any person who ministers to, or treats the sick or suffering by mental or spiritual means without the use of drugs, appliances, manipulations or material remedies."

Amendment No. 6.

Add to line 6, section 12, the State Board of Medical Examiners shall cause to be issued, a certificate, to anyone passing a satisfactory examination according to the provisions of this act, and such certificate shall clearly define all the rights and privileges conferred under the provisions of this act, upon the person to whom it is issued.

Amendment No. 7.

After the word "medicine" in line 2 of section 14 insert "which is hereby defined to apply to those who may practice any system or science of treating human ailment."

Amendment No. 8.

After the word "disease" in line 6, in section 17, insert "Materia medica and therapeutics."

Amendment No. 9.

After the letters "gery" insert "gynecology."

Amendment No. 10.

In line 2, section 18, strike out the word "shall" and insert "may."

Amendment No. 11.

In line 4 of section 21, after the word "resides" insert "or practices."

Amendment No. 12.

After the word "certificate" in line 11 section 27, insert "in Illinois, to practice medicine or surgery, in all their branches."

Amendment No. 13.

Strike out of line 11, section 27, the words "from the said Board of Medical Examiners of Illinois."

Amendment No. 14.

In section 27, line 12, strike out the word "resident" and insert "licentate of the State Board of Examiners or State Board of Health previously empowered to regulate a practice of medicine in."

Amendment No. 15.

Section 27, line 13, strike out the word "of" where it first occurs in this line.

Amendment No. 16.

In line 2 of section 30, after the word "Act" insert "wherein there is no specific penalty provided in the section so violated."

Amendment No. 17.

In line 10 section 30, after the word "unpaid" insert "provided that either party may appeal in the same time and the same manner as appeals may be taken in other cases, except that when an appeal is taken in behalf of the people no appeal bond shall be required."

Amendment No. 18.

Strike out all of section 34 and insert the following:

Section 34. Upon demand from time to time after the taking effect of this act, the State Board of Health shall furnish the State Board of Medical Examiners with such information in their possession as may be necessary for the use of the State Board of Medical Examiners in enforcing the provisions of this act. The State Board of Health shall also deliver to the State Board of Medical Examiners for the use of said board, all funds in the treasury of the State Board of Health on the 30th day of September, 1903, which have been received in the enforcement of the act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

Amendment No. 19.

Add to bill section 36.

Section 36. This act shall be in force and effect from on and after October 1st, A. D. 1903.

On motion of Mr. Watson, the further consideration of the bill and pending amendments was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 31, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 342, a bill for "An act in regard to the removal of county seats,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 323, a bill for "An act to amend section 42 I of 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 390, a bill for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 367, a bill for "An act to amend 'An act to regulate the civil service of cities,' approved and in force March 20, 1895, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 288, a bill for "An act to enable park commissioners, having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters

in this State, to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by extensions over lands and the bed of such waters and defining the use which may be made of such extensions, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, March 24, 1903.

Amend Senate Bill No. 288, by striking out the following in lines 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of section 3 of printed bill.

"and in case of inability to agree with any owner or owners, proceedings may be had to condemn such rights or lands according to the provisions of an act of the General Assembly, entitled 'An act to provide for the exercise of the right of eminent domain,' approved April 10, 1872, the provisions of which said act are hereby extended to such park commissioners."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mueller introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 446, for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor John P. Altgeld, and to make an appropriation therefor,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Mueller, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 256, a bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a board of commissions of public charities, and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State charitable institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on State Charitable Institutions, March 11, 1903.

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 256, by striking out of line 2, section 12, the figures "\$2,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000.00."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 256, by striking out of line 9, section 12, all after the word "expenses."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made a special order for Thursday, March 26, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 90, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 425, a bill for "An act concerning bridges and passageways under or over public alleys, places and courts,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hughes, House Bill No. 81, a bill for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 377, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 172, a bill for "An act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate presented a memorial from the Survivors' Association of the Cairo Expedition of April, 1861, asking for legislation to correct errors in the report of the Adjutant General, which,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Military.

The President of the Senate presented three petitions from labor unions, members of the Chicago Federation of Labor, protesting against the passage of the Educational bill of the Chicago Board of Education, which,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

At 12:25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Berry, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read when, on motion of Mr. Dawson, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Farrelly presented a petition from citizens of Greenfield, concerning the Senate Bill relative to the introduction of a live stock department at Agricultural Experiment Station at Champaign, which,

On motion of Mr. Farelly, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 318.

A bill for an act to fix the time of holding circuit courts in the county of Jefferson.

SENATE BILL NO. 342.

A bill for an act in regard to the removal of county seats.

SENATE BILL NO. 323.

A bill for an act to amend section 431 of "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL NO. 390.

A bill for an act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties of the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879," approved June 11, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 367.

A bill for an act to amend "An act to regulate the civil service of cities," approved and in force March 20, 1895, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 288.

A bill for an act to enable Park Commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters of this State, to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by the extensions over such lands and the bed of such waters and defining the use which may be made of such extensions, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements.

SENATE BILL No. 90.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization certain territory situated therein as a town, approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

SENATE BILL No. 172.

A bill for an act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

SENATE BILL No. 425.

A bill for an act concerning bridges and passageways under and over public alleys, places and courts.

SENATE BILL No. 431.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved February 12, 1853, in force July 1, 1853.

SENATE BILL No. 377.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 431, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default,' approved Feb. 12, 1853, in force Feb. 12, 1853,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson,
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—43.
Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Templeton, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 199, for "An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain acts therein named," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Templeton the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 447, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), and section six (6) and section twelve (12) and section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," and by adding section four A (4a) thereto, was,

Under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Dixon, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 346, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 289, for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 10 of 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' reported the same back with an amendment thereto and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 419, for "An act to amend section 48 of article 3 of 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 344, for "An act to amend article 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 47, for "An act to establish trial by jury in cases of contempt of court, and regulating the power of courts in contempt proceedings," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 284, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to practice in courts of record,' approved February 22, 1872; approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 421, for "An act concerning the fees of justices of the peace and police magistrates in counties of the third class," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 358, for "An act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association,' in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and by

adding thereto sections 1b and 8b," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 307, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Mueller, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 347, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act for assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Mueller, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 311, for "An act to amend sections 6, 10 and 19 of an act entitled, 'An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 353, for "An act to amend section 2 of 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 32.

WHEREAS, By article V, section 20, of the Constitution, the officers of the Executive Department are required to make a semi-annual report, under oath, to the Governor of all moneys received or disbursed by them; and,

WHEREAS, By section 21 they are required, ten days preceding each session of the General Assembly, to make a like report for transmittal to the General Assembly; and,

WHEREAS, By statute (section 8, chapter 102) they are in like manner required to make such semi-annual reports; and,

WHEREAS, The letter and the spirit of both Constitution and statute require frequent statements under oath for the benefit of the General Assembly of the financial transactions of the State officers: and,

WHEREAS, The Forty-second General Assembly appropriated for the use of the Attorney General, in addition to the salaries of four assistants, the sum of \$10,000, payable on bills of particulars, for the performance of his official duties as required by law, and an additional sum of \$6,000 per annum, payable on bills of particulars, for the discharge of his duties in relation to building associations, and an additional sum of \$20,000, payable on bills of particulars, for expenses, fees and legal services in connection with the sanitary district litigation, or a total sum for the two years of \$52,000 of generally designated funds to be expended by him for the period ending Sept. 31, 1903; and,

WHEREAS, It appears that during said period of two years the Attorney General has made no report whatsoever to any person of his financial transactions, except so far as he has drawn upon the Auditor, thus failing to comply with either the Constitution or the statutes, which his office is intended to guard, protect and uphold; and,

WHEREAS, The chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has been unable hitherto to secure from the Governor, the Attorney General or the Auditor of Public Accounts a satisfactory disclosure of the financial transactions of the Attorney General; and,

WHEREAS, The chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has repeatedly in writing called upon the Attorney General for such information, and particularly by written communications under date of February 23, March 12, March 17, and March 18, 1903, without having yet received written communication in answer to said letters or any of them, and

WHEREAS, In the statement made by the Auditor it appears that eleven items aggregating \$6,260.70 were drawn from the Auditor without vouchers showing to whom said several sums were paid, contrary to the provisions of the law, and

WHEREAS, The Attorney General declines to make any explanation whatever as to approximately half of this amount and has not yet presented any signed or formal explanation touching the other half, and

WHEREAS, The Attorney General is said to have in his employ in connection with various matters a considerable number of special attorneys, though he has hitherto declined to give information touching the same, and particularly touching his expenditures on account of the \$20,000 appropriation; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Attorney General is hereby requested to immediately prepare and file a full, accurate and detailed statement of all the expenditures made by him and of all of the liabilities incurred by him or persons under his charge in connection with these several appropriations; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Accounts be and is hereby authorized to examine the public accounts so far as they relate to these transactions of the Attorney General and in such examination to require the production of books, papers and to examine witnesses.

Mr. Parker moved that the rules be suspended and that the foregoing resolution be taken up for consideration, and

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 2; nays, 29, and under the rules the resolution was laid on the table for one day.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Parker,	Putnam,	Yeas—2.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	Powers,
Barr,	Dawson,	Haas,	Juul,	Riley,
Berry,	Evans,	Hall,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Clark,	Fuller,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Nays—23.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rainey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 448, for "An act to amend section 22, of article 6, of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' in force May 21, 1889, by adding to said section 22 of article 6 of said act, a paragraph to be numbered twelfth".

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rainey, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 449, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to suppress bucket shops and gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce,' approved June 6, 1887, by requiring a demand or offer and refusal of the property charged to have been pretended to be sold or offered for sale before conviction under said act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 256, "A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities, and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State charitable institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness," on second reading, which was read at large a second time March 25, 1903.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 256, by striking out of section 1 of printed bill lines 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, and insert the following:

The Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, Jacksonville.
 The Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, Elgin.
 The Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane, Anna.
 The Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, Kankakee.
 The Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, Watertown.
 The Bartonville State Asylum, Bartonville.
 The Illinois School for the Deaf, Jacksonville.
 The Illinois School for the Blind, Jacksonville.
 The Illinois Industrial School for the Blind, Chicago.
 The Illinois Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, Lincoln.
 The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Quincy.

The Soldiers' Widows' Home, Wilmington.
The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, Chester.
The Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, Chicago.
The State Training School for Girls, Geneva.
The St. Charles Home for Boys, St. Charles.

Mr. Fowler offered the following amendment to the bill, which was lost:

Amend Bill 256 by striking out the word "five" in line 3, page 4, section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four."

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend by striking out all of section 23.

Pending the consideration of the bill and amendment,

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the same was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 31, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, March 26, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit to the Senate a certified copy of House Bill No. 207, passed by the General Assembly of the State of Washington, and forwarded to me with the request that I lay the same before the General Assembly of the State of Illinois.

Very respectfully,
RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President.—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, March 26, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Dr. P. H. Wessel, of Moline, Rock Island county, as member of the State Board of Health, to succeed Dr. William O. Forbes, of Chicago, whose term has expired.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,
RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 450, for "An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to a second reading.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 342, for "An act in regard to the removal of county seats,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, the order of Reading Bills of the Senate the Second Time, was taken up for consideration.

Senate Bill No. 123, a bill for "An act to amend section seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," was taken up.

The question being, "Shall the following amendment reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, March 12, 1903, be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative:

Amend by adding at the end of line 24, page 2, the following, to-wit:

Provided that the court of probate jurisdiction of the county in which the land is situated, in cases where registration may appear to be a hardship, may, by an order entered of record, excuse such application for registration as to the whole or any part of the land.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section one (1) by striking out the words "July 1st, 1903," in line 12, page 2, and inserting in place thereof the words, "the adoption of this act".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by adding to the bill the following:

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall not apply to land in any county, where the act of which this act is an amendment, has been adopted, until this act shall have been adopted by a vote of the people of the county at an election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, or any election for the election of judges of the year in which the question is submitted.

The question may be submitted in the following manner: In any county of the first or second class, as the same are classified in the act concerning fees and salaries, on the petition of not less than one-half of the legal voters, to be ascertained by the vote cast at the last preceding election for county officers, or in any county of the third class upon petition of not less than twenty-five hundred (2,500) legal voters praying the submission of the question of the adoption of this act, the clerk shall give notice that such question will be submitted at such election and shall cause to be printed at the top of the ballots to be used for said election:

For extension of the Torrens land title system.....	
Against extension of the Torrens land title system.....	

The votes cast upon that question shall be counted, canvassed and returned as in the case of the election of county officers. If the majority of the votes cast on that subject shall be for extension of the Torrens land title system, this act shall thereafter be in force and apply to lands in that county. If the majority of the first submission is not in favor of such extension, the question shall not be again submitted before the second year thereafter.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 274, a bill for "An act to revise the law in relation to liens,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Haas,

House Bill No. 216, a bill for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled 'An act concerning conveyances,' approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 408, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to replevin,' approved Feb. 9, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 303, a bill for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 218, a bill for "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative,

Senate Bill No. 142, a bill for "An act to amend sections 202 and 210 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 57, a bill for "An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled, 'An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated populations, and to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the same, and to prevent private imitations of the name of the same and regulating private employment agencies,' approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 438, a bill for "An act to legalize certain elections held under 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 325, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum,

Senate Bill No. 337, for "An act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fort,	Koch,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Powers,	
Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas—31.
Dawson,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,	
Dixon,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum,

Senate Bill No. 338, for "An act to amend sections one, two and three of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Clark,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—28.
Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Stringer, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 257, a bill for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 257 by striking out all of section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 10. The officer who makes sale of mortgaged premises under any decree therefor shall give notice of the time and place of sale in the manner provided by law for the sale of real estate upon execution, or in such other manner, without reducing such period of publication, as the court shall in any such decree direct, or if sold under a creditor's redemption from such decree, in the same manner as in other cases of sale on execution. In sales under any such decree, without previous redemption, the officer making the same shall immediately after such sale file with the clerk of the court which entered such decree, a report of the sale and immediately after the approval thereof by the court, shall, after deducting the costs, apply the residue upon the indebtedness for which sale was made and if any balance remain after the same is satisfied, shall dispose of it as the court shall direct. If such sale is made in vacation, the judge of said court shall have power in vacation to approve such sale and enter a decree for any deficiency. Any order of approval

or decree so made shall be signed by the judge and entered of record by the clerk of the court in which such proceeding is had, but such order or decree may for good cause shown be set aside or modified or excepted to during the next term of court upon motion filed on or before the second day of the term, of which motion the complainant or his attorney shall have notice. If not so set aside or modified it shall thereupon be final.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 324, a bill for "An act to amend section 6 of 'An act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, March 18, 1903:

Add the following to the bill:

The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer monthly for the salary of the Secretary of the Illinois Farmers' Institute as herein provided, payable out of any funds in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 420, a bill for "An act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 272, a bill for "An act to amend section fifty-four (54) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named, approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 28, a bill for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 17, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Powers, Senate Bill No. 367, for "An act to amend 'An act to regulate the civil service of

cities,' approved and in force March 20, 1895, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Clark,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Watson.
Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—34.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 398, a bill for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 222, of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, and

On motion of Mr. Juul, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, March 31, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Watson, Senate Bill No. 318, for "An act to fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the county of Jefferson,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Juul,	Riley,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hall,	Koch,	Stringer,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Watson.
Campbell,	Farnum,	Helm,	Parker,	
Clark,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

At 11:40 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Friday, March 27, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Rees, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 10:01 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Clark, the Senate adjourned until Monday, March 30, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President and President *pro tempore* of the Senate,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, Senator Bailey was elected to act as President *pro tempore* during to-day's session.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, March 27, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Rees, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At 5:02 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Gardner, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Honorable John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 256, a bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities, and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State charitable institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness," on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 1, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

Mr. Berry moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up House Bill No. 625, a bill for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court District of the State of Illinois and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named and providing for an election in said Fourth District," on the order of third reading,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 13, two-thirds voting in the affirmative.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small.
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Riley,	Yeas—33.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Alden,	Dawson.	Jandus.	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly.	Maher,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Fowler.	Meehan,	Stringer,	Nays—13.

The rules being suspended, House Bill No. 625, for "An act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court District of the State of Illinois and thereby affecting the boundaries of other districts therein named and providing for an election in said Fourth District,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 34; nays 13.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Fowler,	Meehan,	Stringer,	Nays—13.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1.

A bill for "An act to regulate the Civil Service of the State of Illinois."
Passed the House March 26, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the Civil Service of the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Riley was referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 142.

A bill for an act to amend sections 202 and 210 of an act entitled "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes."

SENATE BILL NO. 57.

A bill for an act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled "An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated populations and to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the same, and to prevent private imitations of the name of the same and regulating private employment agencies," approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 438.

A bill for an act to legalize certain elections held under "An act to provide for the incorporations of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 325.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend section 17 of an act to revise the law in relation to Supreme Court," approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 420.

A bill for an act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spiritous and vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof.

SENATE BILL NO. 272.

A bill for an act to amend section fifty-four (54) of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891.

SENATE BILL NO. 303.

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children," approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 408.

A bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to replevin,' approved Feb. 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL NO. 274.

A bill for "An act to revise the law in relation to liens."

SENATE BILL NO. 218.

A bill for "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

SENATE BILL NO. 257.

A bill for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom."

SENATE BILL NO. 123.

A bill for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897."

SENATE BILL NO. 28.

A bill for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 2, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901."

SENATE BILL NO. 324.

A bill for "An act to amend section 6 of 'An act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895."

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Public Accounts, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 141, for "An act to establish a uniform system of bookkeeping, auditing and accounting by municipal corporations, and for the inspection and supervision of public offices, and to provide means for the enforcement of the same," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 403, for "An act to amend section 218 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 451, for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fire proof, and providing penalties for violation thereof,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 452, for "An act authorizing school districts managed by boards of education or directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in the public schools, and authorizing payment therefor from the State Common School funds,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Mr. Burnett (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 453, for "An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarettes,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Burnett, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 454, for "An act to provide for the licensing of agents and solicitors, or both, who solicit or write life insurance policies in legal reserve companies and to provide for the punishment of the violators of this act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 370, a bill for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject," and the following amendments thereto offered by Mr. Watson.

Amend the printed bill as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out the word "shall" in line 2 of section 2, and insert "may."

Amendment No. 2.

After the word "surgery" in line 6, section 2, insert the words "in all their branches."

Amendment No. 3.

In section 3, line 1, strike out the word "shall" and insert "may in his discretion."

Amendment No. 4.

In line 3 of section 5 strike out the word "shall" and insert the word "may."

Amendment No. 5.

After the word "duties" in line 8, section 11, strike out the period and insert "or to any person who may minister to, or treats the sick or suffering by mental or spiritual means without the use of drugs, appliances, manipulations or material remedies."

Amendment No. 6.

Add to line 6, section 12, "the State Board of Medical Examiners shall cause to be issued a certificate to any one passing a satisfactory examination according to the provisions of this act, and such certificate shall clearly define all the rights and privileges conferred under the provisions of this act, upon the person to whom it is issued."

Amendment No. 7.

After the word "medicine," in line 2 of section 14, insert "which is hereby defined to apply to those who may practice any system or science of treating human ailment."

Amendment No. 8.

After the word "disease" in line 6, in section 17, insert "materia medica and therapeutics."

Amendment No. 9.

After the letters "g e r y" insert "gynecology."

Amendment No. 10.

In line 2, section 18, strike out the word "shall" and insert "may."

Amendment No. 11.

In line 4 of section 21, after the word "reside" insert "or practices."

Amendment No. 12.

After the word "certificate," in line 11, section 27, insert "in Illinois, to practice medicine or surgery, in all their branches."

Amendment No. 13.

Strike out of line 11, section 27, the words "from the said Board of Medical Examiners of Illinois."

Amendment No. 14.

In section 27, line 12, strike out the word "resident" and insert "licentiate of the State Board of Examiners or State Board of Health previously empowered to regulate a practice of medicine in."

Amendment No. 15.

Section 27, line 13, strike out the word "of" where it first occurs in this line.

Amendment No. 16.

In line 2 of section 30, after the word "Act," insert "wherein there is no specific penalty provided in the section so violated."

Amendment No. 17.

In line 10, section 30, after the word "unpaid," insert "provided that either party may appeal in the same time and the same manner as appeals may be taken in other cases, except that when an appeal is taken in behalf of the people no appeal bond shall be required."

Amendment No. 18.

Strike out all of section 34, and insert the following:

Section 34. Upon demand from time to time after the taking effect of this act, the State Board of Health shall furnish the State Board of Medical Examiners with such information in their possession as may be necessary for the use

of the State Board of Medical Examiners in enforcing the provisions of this act. The State Board of Health shall also deliver to the State Board of Medical Examiners, for the use of said board, all funds in the treasury of the State Board of Health on the 30th day of September, 1903, which have been received in the enforcement of the act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

Amendment No. 19.

Add to the bill section 36:

Section 36. This act shall be in force and effect from, on and after Oct. 1, A. D. 1903.

The question being, "Shall the foregoing amendments be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 370, line 1, section 3 of the printed bill, by striking out the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "may in his discretion".

Mr. Watson offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend section 9, line 4, by inserting after the word "act", "or the act which this act repeals and to".

Amend section 12, line 2, by striking out the word "and" and insert "or".

Amend section 26 in line 2 by striking out the word "and" and insert "or".

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 398, a bill for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, (said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873,)" which was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, March 26, 1903.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 398 by striking out in line 17 of the printed bill the words "in counties of third class".

And amend by striking out of line 28 of the printed bill the words "in counties of third class".

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 1, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 269, for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 17; nays, 21.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Burnett,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Small,
Bailey,	Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Powers,	Yeas—17.
Berry,	Evans,	Hall,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Walter,
Coleman,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Stringer,	Nays—21.
Fort,	Juul,			

Mr. Humphrey gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, as required by the rules, make a motion to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill failed to pass.

Senate Bill No. 218, for "An act to amend an act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Alden,	Clark,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—37.
Butler,	Fuller,	Maher,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort,	Gardner,	Hall,	Nays—3.
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This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 3.

A bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than five thousand nor more than one hundred thousand and prescribing the duties and powers of such Board."

Passed the House March 31, 1903.

Together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend the caption of the bill by striking out in line three of the printed bill the words "five thousand" and inserting therefor the words "seven thousand."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 1 by striking out in line 3 the words "five thousand" and substituting therefor the words "seven thousand."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section 1 by adding after the word "provided" in line 8 of the printed bill the words "Provided, no such appointments shall be made by any such mayor within thirty days next before the expiration of his term of office."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section 2 by striking out in line 2 of the printed bill the words "taking effect thereof" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "mayor chosen at the election by which this bill may be approved shall have assumed the duties of his office."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend section 4 of printed bill by striking out all of lines Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, to the word "Provided" and insert in lieu thereof as follows: "such board of fire and police commissioners shall appoint all officers and members of the fire and police department of such city."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend section 4 by striking out the words "police force" in line 4 printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "department" and further amend by striking out of line 5 in printed bill the word "patrolmen" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the lowest rank," and further amend said section by adding after the word "made" in line 6 of printed bill the words "This act shall not include volunteer fire departments."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend section 12, lines 8 and 9 printed bill by striking out the words "may fine him not exceeding ten days pay" and in lieu thereof insert the words "may suspend him not exceeding ten days without pay."

Amendment No. 8.

Amend section 19 by inserting after the word "whenever" in line 2 of the printed bill the words "the legal voters of said city equal in number to," also amend line 3 by striking out the words "voters of such incorporated city" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "votes cast at the last general city election," also amend line 5 of the printed bill by striking out the word "or" and substituting therefor the word "as."

Amendment No. 9.

Amend section 19, line 4 of the clause in brackets (the same being form in which the referendum is to be placed on the ballot) in the printed bill by striking out the figures "5,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "7,000," also strike out the word "defining" in the same line and insert in lieu thereof the word "prescribing."

Amendment No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill No. 3 in House in lines 10, 11 and 12 of section 18 of printed bill by striking out all of line 10, after the word "deposited" and all of lines 11 and 12.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36:

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell.	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Powers,
Alden.	Clark.	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees.
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fort,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,				Yeas—36.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Rees, March 17, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31.

WHEREAS, The Honorable David T. Littler, a member of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-third and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies and a member of the Senate of the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth General Assemblies of the State of Illinois, and who at various times held important commissions from the State and National governments, departed this life at his home in this city on the 23rd day of June, 1902; and,

WHEREAS, It is desired of this body to render appropriate tribute to the memory of one whose genial countenance, great ability and welcome presence were once seen and felt on this floor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of the Honorable David T. Littler the State of Illinois has lost a valuable citizen who in all the walks of life served his fellow men and his State with unswerving ability and integrity, and left the impress of his work upon the community in which he lived and on this State and nation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senate extend to his bereaved family its profound sympathy and condolence because of their loss in the passing over to the majority of our esteemed friend and fellow citizen; and be it further

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the journal of this Senate and the Secretary be directed to send an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased; and out of further respect, this Senate do now adjourn.

On motion of Mr. Rees, the further consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 1, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry,

House Bill No. 216, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled 'An act concerning conveyances,' approved March 29, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Gardner.	McCabe.	Templeton.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Haas.	McKenzie.	Townsend.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hall.	Meehan.	Walter.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Watson.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Yeas—36.
Burnett.	Fort.	Koch.	Riley.	
Campbell.	Fowler.	Lundberg.	Stringer.	
Clark.	Fuller.	Maher.	Stubblefield.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 409, for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, and by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and by an act approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 90, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled. 'An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, enforced July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson.
Butler,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Haas,	McCabe,	Small,	

Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 176, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendments which were adopted:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 176.

Amend title by inserting after the word "amend" in line one, printed bill, the words and figures "sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of".

Amend section 1, line 2, printed bill, by inserting after the word "That," the words and figures "sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of".

Amend section 2 by inserting after the word "Commissioners" in line 7, printed bill, the following: "Any vacancy on the Board of Veterinary Examiners shall be filled by the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners, by appointment of a graduate of some reputable veterinary college, under the same restrictions as are herein required in the appointment of the first Board of Veterinary Examiners".

Strike out all of sections 6, 7 and 11.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 311, a bill for "An act to amend sections 6, 10 and 19 of an act entitled, 'An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 408, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to replevin,' approved Feb. 9, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 303, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the following resolution, offered by Mr. Parker March 26, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 32.

WHEREAS, By Article V, Section 20 of the Constitution, the officers of the Executive Department are required to make a semi-annual report under oath to the Governor of all moneys received or disbursed by them; and,

WHEREAS, By section 21 they are required ten days preceding each session of the General Assembly to make a like report for transmittal to the General Assembly; and,

WHEREAS, By statute (section 8, chapter 102) they are in like manner required to make such semi-annual reports; and,

WHEREAS, The letter and the spirit of both Constitution and statutes require frequent statements under oath for the benefit of the General Assembly of the financial transactions of the State officers; and,

WHEREAS, The Forty-second General Assembly appropriated for the use of the office of the Attorney General, in addition to the salaries of four assistants, the sum of \$10,000, payable on bills of particulars, for the performance of his official duties, as required by law, and an additional sum of \$6,000 per annum, payable on bills of particulars, for the discharge of his duties in relation to building associations, and an additional sum of \$20,000, payable on bills of particulars, for expenses, fees and legal services in connection with the Sanitary District litigation, or a total sum for the two years of \$52,000, of generally designated funds, to be expended by him for the period ending Sept. 31, 1903; and,

WHEREAS, It appears that during said period of two years the Attorney General has made no report whatsoever to any person of his financial transactions, except so far as he has drawn upon the Auditor, thus failing to comply with either the Constitution or the statutes, which his office is intended to guard, protect and uphold; and,

WHEREAS, The chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has been unable hitherto to secure from the Governor, the Attorney General or the Auditor of Public Accounts a satisfactory disclosure of the financial transactions of the Attorney General; and,

WHEREAS, The Chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has repeatedly in writing called upon the Attorney General for such information, and particularly by written communications under date of February 23, March 12, March 17, and March 18, 1903, without having yet received any written communication in answer to said letters or any of them; and,

WHEREAS, In the statement made by the Auditor it appears that eleven items aggregating \$6,260.70 were drawn from the Auditor without vouchers showing to whom said several sums were paid, contrary to the provision of the law; and,

WHEREAS, The Attorney General declines to make any explanation whatever as to approximately half of this amount and has not yet presented any signed or formal explanation touching the other half; and,

WHEREAS, The Attorney General is said to have in his employ in connection with various matters a considerable number of special attorneys, though he has hitherto declined to give information touching the same, and particularly touching his expenditures on account of the \$20,000 appropriation.

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Attorney General is hereby requested to immediately prepare and file a full, accurate and detailed statement of all the expenditures made by him and of all of the liabilities incurred by him or persons under his charge in connection with these several appropriations, and

Be it further resolved, that the Committee on Public Accounts be, and it is hereby authorized to examine the public accounts so far as they relate to these transactions of the Attorney General and in such examination to require the production of books and papers and to examine witnesses.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 1, 1903, to follow the first special order immediately after the reading of the journal.

At 12:05 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Gardner, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 256, a bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and defining their duties and powers, and to regulate the State charitable institutions, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency and usefulness," on the order of second reading.

The pending question being, "Shall the following amendment offered by Mr. Dunlap March 26, 1903, be adopted?"

Amend by striking out all of section 23.

And the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 22; nays, 14.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Dixon,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Rees.
Barr,	Dunlap,	Gardner,	Parker,	Riley,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Putnam,	Stringer,
Clark,	Fort,	Maier,	Rainey,	Templeton,
Coleman,	Fowler,			Yeas—22.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Berry,	Farrelly,	Meehan,	Townsend.
Alden,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Andrus,	Evans,	McKenzie,	Powers.	Nays—14.

Mr. Berry moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Riley.
Andrus,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Parker,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—32.
Clark,	Fowler,	McCabe,		

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Alden,

Nays—1.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Parker, March 26, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 32.

WHEREAS, By Article V, Section 20 of the Constitution, the officers of the Executive Department are required to make a semi-annual report under oath to the Governor of all moneys received or disbursed by them; and

WHEREAS, By Section 21 they are required ten days preceding each session of the General Assembly to make a like report for transmittal to the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, By Statute (Section VIII, Chapter 102) they are in like manner required to make such semi-annual reports; and

WHEREAS, The letter and the spirit of both Constitution and Statutes require frequent statements under oath for the benefit of the General Assembly of the financial transactions of the State officers; and

WHEREAS, The Forty-second General Assembly appropriated for the use of the office of the Attorney General in addition to the salaries of four assistants the sum of \$10,000 payable on bills of particulars for the performance of his official duties as required by law, and an additional sum of \$6,000 per annum payable on bills of particulars for the discharge of his duties in relation to building associations, and an additional sum of \$20,000 payable on bills of particulars for expenses, fees and legal services in connection with the Sanitary District litigation, or a total sum for the two years of \$52,000 of generally designated funds to be expended by him for the period ending September 31, 1903; and

WHEREAS, It appears that during said period of two years the Attorney General has made no report whatsoever to any person of his financial transactions, except so far as he has drawn upon the Auditor, thus failing to comply with either the Constitution or the Statutes, which his office is intended to guard, protect and uphold; and

WHEREAS, The Chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has been unable hitherto to secure from the Governor, the Attorney General or the Auditor of Public Accounts a satisfactory disclosure of the financial transactions of the Attorney General; and

WHEREAS, The Chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts has repeatedly in writing called upon the Attorney General for such information and particularly by written communications under date of February 23, March 12, March 17, and March 18, 1903, without having yet received any written communication in answer to said letters or any of them; and,

WHEREAS, in the statement made by the Auditor it appears that eleven items aggregating \$6,260.70 were drawn from the Auditor without vouchers showing to whom said several sums were paid, contrary to the provision of the law; and,

WHEREAS, the Attorney General declines to make any explanation whatever as to approximately half of this amount and has not yet presented any signed or formal explanation touching the other half; and,

WHEREAS, the Attorney General is said to have in his employ in connection with various matters a considerable number of special attorneys, though he has hitherto declined to give information touching the same, and particularly touching his expenditures on account of the \$20,000 appropriation,

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Attorney General is hereby requested to immediately prepare and file a full, accurate and detailed statement of all the expenditures made by him and of all the liabilities incurred by him or persons under his charge in connection with these several appropriations, and,

The same reasons apply to anti-trust investigations that have been carried out by this department, including the coal investigation, in which indictments are now pending in the United States circuit court and the circuit court of Cook county.

Be it further resolved, that the Committee on Public Accounts be, and it is hereby authorized to examine the public accounts so far as they relate to these transactions of the Attorney General and in such examination to require the production of books and papers and to examine witnesses.

After debate Mr. Small moved that the resolution be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27, nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Riley,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Small,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Yeas—27.
Burnett,	Fort,	Humphrey,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fowler,	Parker,	Nays—2.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the following communication from the Attorney General, in answer to the foregoing resolution, was ordered spread upon the records:

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 31, 1903.

I desire to say in answer to the resolution of Senator Parker, that it is unwarranted, unfounded and unjust.

At the time that Senator Parker's letters of February 23, March 17 and 18 were received, I was absent in the city of St. Louis, taking evidence in the case of the State of Missouri against the State of Illinois and the Sanitary District of Chicago. These letters were turned over to my assistant, Mr. Gillespie, to take care of, the same as any other correspondence in my office.

The manner in which this correspondence was handled and the communications had with Senator Parker in relation to the same are fully set out in the statement made by Mr. Gillespie.

It will be seen from this statement that the information requested by Senator Parker was furnished, except matters pertaining to the Sanitary District case and anti-trust investigations, and as admitted by Senator Parker in his letter of March 18, the reasons were given to him plainly and fully why that information could not be furnished.

I instructed Mr. Gillespie not to give Senator Parker any information in relation to these items for the reason that in my judgment, as Attorney General, having full charge of such matters, such information should not be made public at the present time.

The Sanitary District case, if won by the State of Missouri, would result in the closing of the drainage canal, which has cost the Sanitary District \$40,000,000 to construct, and would destroy the sewerage system of the city of Chicago, upon the construction of which large sums of money have already been expended and the completion of which will necessitate the expenditure of many hundreds of thousands of dollars more.

This case also involves the sewerage system of every town which discharges its sewage into the Illinois river and its tributaries.

Growing out of the result of this suit, if won by the State of Missouri, is likely to arise the question of damages to the lands of citizens of the State of Illinois along the entire Illinois river valley.

In order to prepare this case for trial it has been necessary to employ persons, the divulging of whose names might thwart the carrying out of the objects for which they were employed, and I feel that the interests of the State of Illinois and its citizens would be seriously jeopardized by the furnishing of the information desired by Mr. Parker, and with due respect for the Senate or any member thereof, as long as I have charge of this case, such information will not be furnished until the introduction of evidence has closed on both sides.

There has been no money expended in these matters but what has been honestly and justly expended, and for each expenditure I hold the receipts of the parties who have received the money. The last General Assembly appropriated for the purpose of carrying on the Sanitary District case, so far as the State of Illinois was concerned, the sum of \$20,000, and of this sum I have drawn from the State Treasurer only \$5,190.30.

I have due respect as a public officer for the legislative bodies of this State, and am always willing to furnish any information in my office within my power consistent with the duties to be performed by my department, and in this connection I will state that all my accounts are open for the inspection of any one authorized to examine the same.

I think, so far as I know, my department has, during the present session of the Legislature, rendered any and all assistance to the members of both branches of the Legislature, who desired or asked, without regard to political or factional affiliations, treating every one alike.

Having been elected to this responsible office by the people of the State of Illinois, taken the oath of office and given the required bond, I shall perform the duties of that office, as long as I fill it, according to my own judgment, in my own way, and the results that I may be able to obtain I will leave to the people who elected me.

The insincerity of the Parker resolution is apparent from the fact that he complains that I have not made semi-annual reports as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, when he knows that the Constitution and statutes apply to the Governor, the Secretary of State, the Auditor of Public Accounts, the State Treasurer and all other State boards and departments as well as the Attorney General, and that none of the above officers or institutions have ever made these semi-annual reports, the Constitution and statute having been construed by them to apply only to officers who receive funds from other sources than appropriations. But notwithstanding this fact Senator Parker singles out this department as not having made this report and says nothing regarding the others.

The executive officers above referred to have never made such semi-annual reports since the adoption of the Constitution of 1870, and in failing to make this report I have simply followed the established precedent of this and all other State offices, without giving the matter any further consideration.

Since this question has come up, during the last week, I have made a careful examination of the matter and I am of the opinion that this constitutional provision is in the interest of good government and the economical administration of the same, and for that reason a liberal construction should be given to it. Giving it a liberal construction I am of the opinion these semi-annual reports should be made, and such a construction will be followed by my department in the future.

Frequent investigation of public officers are in the interest of good government. These resolutions were not inspired, in my judgment, by such motive. Either personal pique or factional politics, or both, are clearly the cause for their introduction. Otherwise the resolutions would have included all officers that come within the provisions of the Constitution and statutes, including not only all the executive officers of the State government, but all State institutions, boards and departments as well. If this resolution is so amended as to cover all these various branches of the State government, I stand ready to furnish any and all information not only as regards my department and my accounts, but shall be pleased to assist the investigation in any way I can in my capacity as Attorney General.

H. J. HAMLIN,
Attorney General.

Statement of George B. Gillespie, Assistant Attorney General.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 31, 1903.

March 12, 1903, Senator Parker directed a letter to the Attorney General's office stating that he noticed in the record of moneys paid out by the Attorney General from appropriations made by the General Assembly for legal ser-

vices, from February 17, 1901 to February 16, 1903, a number of items, aggregating several thousands of dollars, in which the name of the party or attorney to whom the money was paid was not given in the statement as the same had come to him from the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts and asking that that information be given him. At this time the Attorney General was absent in St. Louis, taking evidence in the case of Missouri vs. Illinois in the Sanitary District of Chicago. The letter was handed to me as one of the Attorney General's assistants, on March 16, with instructions to furnish the information asked for.

Upon ascertaining that the Auditor had never made a statement to Senator Parker of the kind referred to by him, and therefore being at a loss to understand what he meant, I, on the following day, went to the Senate Chamber, was introduced to Senator Parker by Senator Helm, and informed Senator Parker that I was an assistant in the Attorney General's office, and asked him to furnish me a list of the items referred to in his letter of March 12 in order to facilitate the furnishing of the information desired.

On the same day a letter was received at the Attorney General's office from Senator Parker, containing a list of the items referred to, and asking also for the schedules to the biennial report of the Attorney General. At the time this letter was received the Attorney General was still absent in St. Louis, engaged in the Sanitary District case, and I communicated with him over the telephone. As a result of my conversation with the Attorney General over the 'phone, I prepared a statement and furnished it to Mr. Parker on the morning of March 18, before the Senate convened, informing him, in accordance with the Attorney General's instructions, that the statement contained what he requested except as to the items paid out on account of services rendered in the Sanitary District case and anti-trust investigations, and that the names as to those items, could not be furnished because they could not be made public without prejudice to the interests of the State, for the reason that these matters are still pending.

I also stated that the schedules to the Attorney General's biennial report embodied practically the entire report, except what was already printed, and that the manuscript was in the hands of the printer.

He received the statement referred to and glanced at it casually, heard what I had to say, and remarked that he would look it over at his leisure—that he had no time to give to it then.

On the following morning a letter was received at the Attorney General's office from Senator Parker, of which the following is an exact copy:

“SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 18, 1903.

“*Hon. Howland J. Hamlin, Attorney General, Springfield, Ill.:*

“DEAR SIR—To-day, while at my desk in the Senate chamber, I was handed a typewritten paper by Mr. Gillespie, I believe, from your office, and he accompanied it with certain explanations which I do not distinctly remember, because I was too much occupied to attend to the matter fully.

“I note, however, that the paper handed me does not comply with the request of my letter, March 17th, and I should be very glad indeed if you would kindly write me a letter, containing not only the same information as that which is on the blank paper furnished me by Mr. Gillespie, but also a full statement in accordance with my request of March 17th, or a written statement of the reasons why my request can not be complied with.

“I am sorry to trouble you so much with this matter, but it may be very important for the Committee on Public Accounts, at an early meeting which it is likely to hold, to have this with other information of a like kind which I am accumulating.

“Thanking you in advance, and with the assurance of great regard, I am,

“Very truly yours,

“FRANCIS W. PARKER,

“*Chairman Committee on Public Accounts.*”

The Attorney General was absent at the time and this letter was not answered for the reason that it did not ask for any information that had not already been furnished, excepting that requested in relation to the items of expense in anti-trust investigations and the Sanitary District case, and as already indicated, I had previously informed Senator Parker why this information was not furnished.

GEORGE B. GILLESPIE.

Assistant Attorney General.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 398.

A bill for an act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, (said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873.)

Mr. Farnum, from the Committee on Warehouses, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 429, for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculation in grain or other products," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 9, for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 371, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 404, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to garnishment,' approved March 9, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate bill No. 410, for "An act to amend section 1 of Article III of 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by

act approved and in force April 22, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 426, for "An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 17, for "An act to amend an act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 29, for "An act entitled, 'An act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid, and providing a penalty therefor,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 104, for "An act concerning patented and proprietary medicines," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 317, for "An act to make the name of an informant giving facts in regard to crime to any editor, publisher, reporter or correspondent of a newspaper printed or published in this State a privileged communication before a grand jury or a court of inquiry investigating such crime; making it an offense for any person to give false information to any editor, reporter, publisher or correspondent of any newspaper with respect to the commission of a crime, and prescribing the punishment therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 316, for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife, or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 340, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds,' approved March 13, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Koch, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 246, for "An act to amend an act concerning Canada thistles, approved and in force March 15, 1872, declaring certain weeds nuisances and providing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Koch, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 263, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San José scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits,' approved and in force April 11, 1899," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 3, 1903, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 8, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

Mr. Evans offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 33.

WHEREAS, The line of railroad now operated by the Chicago & Alton Railway Company was, in 1893, operated by the Chicago & Alton Railroad Company and capitalized at \$30,711,019, and assessed by the State Board of Equalization at \$10,499 per mile; and,

WHEREAS, The same line of railroad, with a small increase in mileage, is now operated by the Chicago & Alton Railway Company, which is capitalized at \$61,086,800, being double the amount of capitalization existing in 1893, was only assessed by the State Board of Equalization for 1902 at \$10,060 per mile, being about the same assessment as was made in 1893 when the capitalization was about half what it is at the present time; and,

WHEREAS, The Chicago & Alton Railroad Company is still in existence, having a capitalization of about \$41,000,000, and said company is not assessed by the State Board of Equalization and does not make reports to the State Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners as required by law, it refusing to do so; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate, That a special committee of five be appointed to investigate all the matters above referred to; that said committee have power to administer oaths, to subpoena witnesses, and to require the production of such books and papers as it may deem necessary to allow them to intelligently inquire into the matters above set forth, and all other matters that have any connection therewith.

Resolved, further, That said committee is hereby instructed to report their findings to the Senate and suggest such legislation by bill as they may deem necessary to compel the said Chicago & Alton Railroad Company to make reports as required by law to the State Board of Equalization and to the Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, and to provide for the assessing of each of said roads by said State Board of Equalization upon a basis representing their capitalization.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 455, for an act entitled "An act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled 'An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the purchase of the Louisiana territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Townsend introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 456, for "An act amending section 4 of 'An act concerning local improvements,' "

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed. and,

On motion of Mr. Townsend, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 457, for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 458, for "An act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 459, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 460, for "An act to amend section 2, of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Juul, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Alden introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 461, for "An act to amend section 1a of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Alden, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 398, for "An act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	Maher,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Fort,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Rees,
Barr,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Riley,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Parker,	Yeas—31.
Clark,	Hall,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Humphrey entered a motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof," failed to pass on yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 9, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate presented eight petitions from local unions of the Chicago Federation of Labor, protesting against the passage of the Educational bill of the Chicago Board of Education, which, on motion of Mr. Campbell, were referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the order of Reading Bills of the Senate the Second Time was taken up for consideration.

Senate Bill No. 76, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 77, a bill for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 78, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 37,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No 80, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the punishment of persons violating any of the ordinances of the several cities and villages in this State,' approved and in force April 12, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 220, a bill for "An act to amend section two of an act entitled, 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act entitled, 'An act to amend section two of an act entitled 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877, which amending act was approved June 24, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Fowler offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend bill 220 by inserting after the word "plaintiff" in line 65, page 4, the following: "Unless additional property be discovered, whereupon the defendant shall pay the cost."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 221, a bill for "An act to amend sections 53, 60, 70, 101, 112, 114 and 124 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and acts amendatory of said sections, and to repeal section 68 of said act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Fowler offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend title of bill 221, in line one, by inserting "and" between "112" and "114," and striking out "and 124".

Amend bill 221 by striking out all of section 7 after the word "taxed", line 34, page 8.

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 222, a bill for "An act to amend Article XVI of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 223, a bill for "An act to amend sections 21 and 49 of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 225, a bill for "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 226, a bill for "An act to prevent interference with the administration of justice in courts of record,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 288, for "An act to enable park commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by extensions over lands and the bed of such waters and defining the use which may be made of such extensions, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dixon,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend.
Campbell,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	
Clark,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—38.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fowler. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 425, for "An act concerning bridges and passage-ways under or over public alleys, places and courts,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Clark.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rainey.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Riley.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	McKenzie.	Small.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Mueller.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fuller.	Koch.	Putnam.	Yeas—26.
Campbell.	Gardner.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Farrelly.	Jandus.	Powers.	Stringer.	Nays—6.
Fowler.	Pemberton.			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 40, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities to own and operate street railways,'"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Municipalities, March 18, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title of the bill by inserting after the word "operate" the words "or lease."

Insert after the word "operate" in line 3, section 1, of printed bill, the words "or lease."

Amendment No. 2.

Insert after the word "grant," where it appears in line 16, section 1, of the printed bill, the following:

No ordinance authorizing a lease for a longer period than five (5) years shall go into effect until the expiration of sixty (60) days from and after its passage. And if, within such sixty (60) days, there is filed with the city clerk of such city a petition signed by ten (10) per cent of the voters voting at the last preceding election for mayor in such city, asking that such ordinance be submitted to popular vote, then such ordinance shall not go into effect unless the question of the adoption of such ordinance shall first be submitted to the electors of such city and approved by a majority of those voting thereon.

The signatures to such petition need not all be appended to one paper, but each signer shall add to his signature, which shall be in his own handwriting, his place of residence, giving the street and number. One of the signers of each such paper shall make oath before an officer competent to administer oaths that each signature to the paper appended is the genuine signature of the person whose name purports to be thereto subscribed. The city council of any city that shall decide by popular vote, as in this act provided, to operate street railways, shall have the power to make all needful rules and regulations respecting the operation of the same, including the power to fix rates and charges, but such rates and charges shall be high enough to produce a revenue sufficient to bear all costs of maintenance and operation, and to meet interest charges on all bonds or certificates issued on account of such railway, and to permit the accumulation of a surplus or sinking fund that shall be sufficient to meet all such outstanding bonds or certificates at maturity. Street railways owned and operated by any such city or company may carry passengers and their ordinary baggage, parcels, packages, and United States mail, and may be utilized for such other purposes as the city council of such city may deem proper. Such street railways may be operated by such motive power as the city council may approve, except steam locomotives.

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 40 by inserting before the word "ordinance" where it appears in line 39, section 2, of the printed bill, the following: "The question of the adoption of."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 40 by inserting after the word "general" where it appears in line 5 of section 4 of the printed bill the word "city."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 40 by adding a new section to be known as—

Section 5. In all cases provided in this act for the submission of questions or propositions to popular vote, the city council shall pass an ordinance stating the substance of the proposition or question to be voted upon and designating the election at which such question or proposition is to be submitted, which may be any general, city or special election in and for the entire city, coming not sooner than thirty (30) days from and after the passage of said ordinance.

The city clerk of such city shall promptly certify the passage of such ordinance to the proper election officials and it shall thereupon become the duty of such election officials to submit such question or proposition to popular vote.

On motion of Mr. Mueller, the first committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Mueller, the balance of the committee amendments were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 40, by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

That every city of this State shall have the power to own, construct, acquire purchase, maintain and operate street railways within its corporate limits, and to lease the same or any part of the same to any company incorporated under the general laws of this State for the purpose of operating street railways, for any period not longer than twenty years, on such terms and conditions as the city council shall deem for the best interests of the public.

But no city shall proceed to operate street railways unless the proposition to operate shall first have been submitted to the electors of such city as a separate proposition, and approved by three-fifths of those voting thereon. It shall be lawful for any such city to incorporate in any grant to a private company of the right to construct or operate street railways a reservation of the right on the part of such city to take over all or part of such street railways, at or before the expiration of the grant, upon such terms and conditions as may be provided in the grant; and it shall be lawful for the city council of any city to make a grant, containing such a reservation, for either the construction or operation or both the construction and operation of a street railway in, upon and along any of the streets or public ways therein, or portions thereof, in which street railway tracks are already located at the time of the making of such grant, without the petition or consent of any of the owners of the land abutting or fronting upon any street or public way, or portion thereof, covered by such grant.

No ordinance authorizing a lease for a longer period than five years shall go into effect until the expiration of sixty days from and after its passage. And if, within such sixty days, there is filed with the city clerk of such city a

petition signed by 10 per cent of the voters voting at the last preceding election for mayor, in such city, asking that such ordinance be submitted to popular vote, then such ordinance shall not go into effect unless the question of the adoption of such ordinance shall first be submitted to the electors of such city and approved by a majority of those voting thereon.

The signatures to such petition need not all be appended to one paper, but each signer shall add to his signature, which shall be in his own handwriting, his place of residence, giving the street and number. One of the signers of each such paper shall make oath before an officer competent to administer oaths, that each signature to the paper appended is the genuine signature of the person whose name purports to be thereto subscribed.

The city council of any city that shall decide by popular vote, as in this act provided, to operate street railways, shall have the power to make all needful rules and regulations respecting the operation of the same, including the power to fix and prescribe rates and charges, but such rates and charges shall be high enough to produce a revenue sufficient to bear all costs of maintenance and operation, and to meet interest charges on all bonds or certificates issued on account of such railways, and to permit the accumulation of a surplus or sinking fund that shall be sufficient to meet all such outstanding bonds or certificates at maturity. Street railways owned and operated by any such city, or owned by the city and leased for operating purposes to a private company, may carry passengers and their ordinary baggage, parcels, packages and United States mail, and may be utilized for such other purposes as the city council of such city may deem proper. Such street railways may be operated by such motive power as the city council may approve, except steam locomotives.

For the purpose of acquiring street railways either by purchase or construction, as provided for in this act, or for the equipment of any such street railways, any city may borrow money and issue its negotiable bonds therefor, pledging the faith and credit of the city; but no such bonds shall be issued unless the proposition to issue the same shall first have been submitted to the electors of such city and approved by two-thirds of those voting thereon. In the exercise of the powers, or any of them, granted by this act, any such city shall have the power to take, hold and acquire any and all necessary property and real estate either by purchase or by condemnation in the manner provided by law for the taking and condemning of private property for public use.

Section 2. In lieu of issuing bonds pledging the faith and credit of the city, as provided for in section 1 of this act, any city may issue and dispose of interest bearing certificates, to be known as "Street Railway Certificates," which shall, under no circumstances, be or become an obligation or liability of the city or payable out of any general fund thereof, but shall be payable solely out of a specified portion of the revenues or income to be derived from the street railway property for the acquisition of which they were issued. In order to secure the payment of any such street railway certificates and the interest thereon, the city may convey, by way of mortgage or deed of trust, any or all of the street railway property acquired or to be acquired through the issue thereof; which mortgage or deed of trust shall be executed in such manner as may be directed by the city council and acknowledged and recorded in the manner provided by law for the acknowledgment and recording of mortgages of real estate, and may contain such provisions and conditions not in conflict with the provisions of this act as may be deemed necessary to fully secure the payment of the street railway certificates described therein. Any such mortgage or deed of trust may carry the grant of a privilege or right to maintain and operate the street railway property covered thereby, for a period not exceeding twenty (20) years from and after the date such property may come into the possession of any person or corporation as the result of foreclosure proceedings; which privilege or right may fix the rates of fare which the person or corporation securing the same as the result of foreclosure proceedings shall be entitled to charge in the operation of said property for a period not exceeding twenty (20) years. Whenever, and

as often as default shall be made in the payment of any street railway certificates issued and secured by a mortgage or deed of trust, as aforesaid, or in the payment of the interest thereon when due, and any such default shall have continued for the space of twelve (12) months after notice thereof has been given to the mayor and financial officer of the city issuing such certificates, it shall be lawful for such mortgagee or trustee, upon the request of the holder or holders of a majority in amount of the certificates issued and outstanding under such mortgage or trust deed, to declare the whole of the principal of all of such certificates as may be outstanding, to be at once due and payable, and to proceed to foreclose such mortgage or deed of trust in any court of competent jurisdiction. At a foreclosure sale, the mortgagee or the holders of such certificates may become the purchaser or purchasers of the property and the rights and privileges sold if he or they be the highest bidders. Any street railways acquired under any such foreclosure sale shall be subject to regulation by the corporate authorities of the city to the same extent as if the right to construct, maintain and operate such property had been acquired through a direct grant without the intervention of foreclosure proceedings, except that such corporate authorities shall not have the right to reduce the rates of fare which may have been fixed in any privilege or right included in any mortgage or deed of trust as additional security for the issue of street railway certificates: *Provided, however*, that no street railway certificates shall ever be issued by any city under the provisions of this act, unless and until the question of the adoption of the ordinance of the city council making provision for the issue thereof shall first have been submitted to a popular vote and approved by a majority of the qualified voters of the city voting upon such question.

Section 3. Every such city owning, or owning and operating, street railways, shall keep the books of account for such street railways distinct from other city accounts, and in such manner as to show the true and complete financial results of such city ownership, or ownership and operation, as the case may be. Such accounts shall be so kept as to show the actual cost to such city of street railways owned; all costs of maintenance, extension and improvement; all operating expenses of every description, in case of city operation; the amounts set aside for sinking fund purposes; if water or other service shall be furnished for the use of such street railways without charge, the accounts shall show, as nearly as possible, the value of such service, and also the value of any similar service rendered by the street railways to any other city department without charge; such accounts shall also show reasonable allowances for interest, depreciation and insurance, and also estimates of the amount of taxes that would be chargeable against such property if owned by a private corporation. The city council shall cause to be printed annually, for public distribution, a report showing the financial results, in form as aforesaid, of such city ownership or ownership and operation. The accounts of such street railways, kept as aforesaid, shall be examined at least once each year by an expert accountant, who shall report to the city council the results of his examination. Such expert accountant shall be selected in such manner as the city council may direct, and he shall receive for his services such compensation, to be paid out of the income or revenues from such street railways, as the city council may prescribe.

Section 4. This act shall not be in force in any city until the question of its adoption in such city shall first have been submitted to the electors of such city and approved by a majority of those voting thereon. The city council of any such city may by ordinance direct that the question of the adoption of this act in such city be submitted to popular vote at any general, city or special election in and for the entire city, coming not sooner than thirty days from and after the passage of the ordinance. If the city council of any city shall incorporate in any grant to a private company of the right to construct or operate street railways a provision reserving to such city the right to take over such street railways at or before the expiration of the grant, in case the people of such city shall later adopt this act as herein provided, such provision shall be as valid and effective for all purposes, in case such city shall later adopt this act as herein provided, as if the said provision were made a part of such grant after the adoption of this act by such city.

Section 5. In all cases provided in this act for the submission of questions or propositions to popular vote the city council shall pass an ordinance stating the substance of the proposition or question to be voted upon and designating the election at which such question or proposition is to be submitted, which may be any general, city or special election in and for the entire city coming not sooner than thirty days from and after the passage of said ordinance. The city clerk of such city shall promptly certify the passage of such ordinance to the proper election officials, and it shall thereupon become the duty of such election officials to submit such question or proposition to popular vote.

The question then being "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 433, a bill for "An act to cede certain lands to the United States,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 438, for "An act to legalize certain elections held under 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 42.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Helm,	Meehan,	Small,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—42.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Rees March 17, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31.

WHEREAS, The Honorable David T. Littler, a member of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-third and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies and a member of the Senate of the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth General Assemblies of the State of Illinois, and who at various times held important commissions from the State and National governments, departed this life at his home in this city on the 23d day of June, 1902; and,

WHEREAS, It is desired of this body to render appropriate tribute to the memory of one whose genial countenance, great ability and welcome presence were once seen and felt on this floor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of the Honorable David T. Littler the State of Illinois has lost a valuable citizen who in all the walks of life served his fellow men and his State with unswerving ability and integrity, and left the impress of his work upon the community in which he lived and on this State and nation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senate extend to his bereaved family its profound sympathy and condolence because of their loss in the passing over to the majority of our esteemed friend and fellow citizen; and be it further

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the journal of this Senate and the Secretary be directed to send an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased; and out of further respect, this Senate do now adjourn.

Mr. Rees made the following remarks:

David T. Littler was born in Clifton, Ohio, Feb. 7, 1836, and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Littler. His early educational advantages were limited, but he took a strong hold of the means available and made the best of his limited opportunities. Early in life he was forced to apprentice himself to the trade of a carpenter, the calling of his father. He applied himself vigorously to the theoretical and practical features of his calling and at the age of 20 years was regarded as a master carpenter.

He came to Illinois, arriving at Atlanta, Logan county, in April, 1856. A short time thereafter he secured employment in Lincoln, Logan county, this State, working at his trade, remaining there three years.

After this he applied himself to the study of law under the supervision of the Hon. Samuel G. Clark, whom President Lincoln afterward appointed judge of the Federal court of Montana.

Mr. Littler was admitted to the bar of Illinois in 1860, and was soon afterward elected police magistrate of Lincoln, and later appointed master in chancery for Logan county, by Judge Scott, who was afterwards one of the judges of the Supreme Court of Illinois. He was defeated for a county office in 1864, notwithstanding he was the soldiers' candidate. Afterwards he was urged by influential friends for the internal revenue collectorship of this district, to which position President Andrew Johnson appointed him in 1866. He served two years in this position.

In 1867 he formed a law partnership with the Hon. Henry S. Crane. The firm of Hay & Palmer having dissolved on account of the election of Senator Palmer as Governor of the State of Illinois, the Hon. Milton Hay offered Messrs. Littler & Crane a partnership, which was entered into. In 1868 the firm of Hay, Green & Littler was organized, which continued until 1881, and has been deemed by many the strongest and most able law firm ever associated together in this State.

After the dissolution of the firm of Hay, Green & Littler, Mr. Littler represented the Sangamon county district in the 33d and 35th General Assemblies of this State in the House of Representatives. He also represented the same district as Senator in the 39th and 40th General Assemblies. President Cleveland appointed him a member of the Union Pacific Railroad Commission in 1885, and he performed valuable work in maintaining the rights of the government and in straightening out that complex proposition, the settlement of the Union Pacific Railroad accounts with the United States government.

President Harrison appointed him a member of the commission to locate dry-docks and a navy yard on the gulf of Mexico. He was a delegate to the Republican National Convention of 1880, 1884 and 1888.

He was married to Miss Kate Logan, the youngest daughter of the great jurist, Stephen T. Logan, on Sept. 15, 1868, who died Jan. 25, 1875, leaving an only son, Stephen Logan Littler, who resides in this city. He married Miss Grace Gillett, a sister of Mrs. Richard J. Oglesby, on May 6th, 1884, who also died several years ago. He was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, being a Knight Templar.

He suffered a severe attack of illness during the winter of 1900, from which he never entirely recovered, and notwithstanding he made a brave battle for life, he gradually declined until the 23d day of June, 1902, when he passed over to the majority.

I would like to dwell on the strength of his character and the strength of the man. He always impressed me as a man of great force; one of those men that carry everything before him. We look into politics and his other life and find the same practical ideas that he had as a master workman, as a carpenter.

When elected Senator this house was an unfinished structure, but he was able to secure the passage of a bill which accomplished this magnificent structure. He was instrumental in locating the Supreme Court in the city of Springfield. He was a man of great sociability. He was as courteous to the man that ran the elevator as the man that sat in here; an everyday sort of man you would like to meet. He rose above the personalities of life. His manner of politics was a matter of principle. I take pleasure in saying that in the 20 years he lived in this town and was interested in politics, I was engaged in the newspaper business representing the other party, but there was never any break of the friendship that existed between us. He rose above the personalities of life. He frequently called to see us and I visited frequently at his house; he was always most hospitable, kind and generous, and a man of strong friendships.

He was a man of strong, rugged character; a plain, blunt man; a man of strong likes and dislikes, but withal fair and honest in his dealings and generous in heart and action, and did many acts of charity in so quiet a way that his best deeds were frequently unknown. He was also a man of great sociability and in his palatial home entertained not only the greatest men and women of this country, but likewise his old and intimate friends, no matter what their station, with equal cordiality. He was an ardent partisan, unrelenting in antagonism, but always fair to his adversaries. He was a warm friend to many and had many warm friends in return. He enjoyed to a very large degree the love of his friends, the confidence of the public, and even the respect of his antagonist. In his death the people have lost much, the State of Illinois has lost a great and good man.

Mr. Berry made the following remarks:

Mr. President—At this time when every hour of every Senator is full of work, and matters of both private and public interest are pressing us upon every hand, we all with one accord stop our work both private and public, and disregarding every inducement, resisting every incentive and solicitation, the Senate proceeds, by unanimous consent, to consider resolutions of the highest privilege, reported from no committee, having no place upon any calendar, but which takes precedence of unfinished business and special order, upon which the yeas and nays are never called, and no negative vote is ever recorded, and reverently pauses, in obedience to the holiest impulse of human nature, to contemplate the profoundest mystery of human destiny—the mystery of death.

In the republic of the dead we are at last all equal. There is neither rank nor station at the grave. At this threshold the philosopher ceases to be wise, and the poet is silent. Dives relinquishes his wealth and Lazarus his rage.

The poor man is as rich as the richest, and the rich man as poor as the pauper. There the proud man surrenders his dignities, and the politician his honors.

Here is nature's final decree in equity, All wrongs are redressed. The unequal distribution of wealth, honor, capacity, pleasure, and opportunity, which make life such a tragedy, ceases in the realm of death. The strongest there has no supremacy, and the weakest needs no defense. The mightiest captain succumbs to that invincible adversary, who disarms alike the victor and the vanquished.

Senator Littler, whose memory we today seek to do honor, was one of the men who lived at the time when history in Illinois was being made. He belonged to the old school of statesmen; he mingled with the great and eloquent Douglas and the mighty and heroic Lincoln. It was his part to help make Illinois what she is, and his was also the pleasure to see her, under the guidance of the men of his day and with whom he labored, become one of the greatest States in the Union. In many ways David T. Littler left his impress upon the history of Illinois. I became acquainted with him more than twenty years ago, and when I came into this body fourteen years ago, with a limited acquaintance and no experience, I needed a friend of mature age and large experience, and he came to me voluntarily and often, and made suggestions which were useful, and rendered me many little services that were valuable. This was not done in a patronizing way, but with such frankness and with such a glow of natural kindness as to draw me to him. Whatever he did in this respect was done in a manner so easy and natural that it seemed to be wholly without design, as I believe it was, and created a sense of gratitude, upon my part, without any special weight of obligation.

These little courtesies attracted me to him and afforded me a fortunate and gratifying opportunity to cultivate his friendship. I came to know him well—almost to the verge of familiarity. We were much together, and had between us many little confidences. We were close friends. I never set him on a pedestal before me to mark out the perfect lines and the imperfect, the strong points and the weak points of his character. I could not, and I would not if I could, lay the cold steel of unfeeling criticism and analysis to the life and character of any man who was my friend, and whose memory is dear to me. I would not test the life-work of any man, warm-hearted, impulsive, aspiring, whose life has been passed in the midst of great activities, by any superfine standard.

This man was human, and had many of the frailties and weaknesses of our mortality. I could not have loved him else. But his faults were either the waste of an overflowing companionableness, which in him were genial and attractive to an extraordinary degree, or they were faults which came bristling up when the fierce lion in the man was aroused. When pursuing "the even tenor of his way," when at his natural level, he was as free from fault and as safely armored against criticism as any man. But he found pleasure in his friends. He loved their laughter, their humorous sayings, their familiar banterings, and all the sweet abandon of boon companionship. These traits may sometimes have led him too far. His faults in this respect, if faults they were, were simply the overflow of a generous, kindly, companionable man.

He had iron in his blood, too. He was a dangerous man to wrong. He knew how to remember, how to resent, how revenge. A fallen foe or a repentant one he was ready always to forgive. Accessible at all times to honorable reconciliation, an open foe did well to guard with caution and watch with apprehension. He was fruitful of resource, adroit in attack, masterful in defense, relentless in pursuit. His enemies, whether those who had done him a positive wrong or those who stood as obstacles, had never any reason to doubt that sooner or later an opportunity would come to test his mettle. He fought as occasion required, but honorably. Some who stood against him, in their most promising periods of apparent safety, have suddenly felt their foundations sinking and seen the fabric of their strength falling about them without comprehending the cause of disaster. Others he has confronted and sprang upon with the roar and crush of a lion, impatient of restraint, and swept them away at once. While his enemy stood upon his feet to strike and

defy, he had in his blood the merciless instinct of battle and in his brain the inspiration of the warrior. But when the sun went down upon a battle finished there came back to his heart the gentleness of a woman and a longing to forgive and be forgiven. These things may have been faults. If so he had them.

He was a man of brains. He was a man of force and power at all times and under all circumstances. He has been associated with many great and important enterprises, social, commercial and political, and in all of them was a potent, if not a dominant factor. His public work here is well known to us and to the State of Illinois. Patient in research, equipped with an enormous fund of valuable information, scrupulously desiring and bravely determined to do what his deliberate judgment indicated was right, possessing the unbounded confidence of his associates in the sincerity of his purposes and the integrity of his manhood, strong in debate, aggressive when need be, yielding when he could, firm as a rock when principal was involved, but courteous always, it is no marvel that he won high place and great influence in this hall and at this capital, and impressed his thoughts and individuality upon the legislation and policies of his country.

He was strong, forceful, ambitious. To a great eminence he climbed, and ere he fell unfurled his standard high among the green waving banners of fame. But fall he did, as fall we must. Is this the end? Is this sleeping, nerveless, statue the end of this remarkable man, who lived, loved, wrought so much? Oh, how that question has been sent wailing down the ages! How, through all the cycles since man was born, has he stood in the light of the present, and of the past also, as it comes shadowing up—stood upon the verge of the future, peering into the darkness wistfully, questioning, ever questioning “Is this the end?” Stand here and cry into the future as you may, no answer will ever come back to you. None has ever come back from the darkness of the future. Only our answer is in the present—in what we see about us, in what we feel, and think, and are—and in the testimonies of the past. Climb to any height you will, dig to any depth you can, stretch wide your wings and soar,

From star to star,
From world to luminous world, as far
As the universe stretches its falming wall—

and pour your plaintive cry through all the spheres, and the same dumb silence will greet you. But we know and feel that if this is the end, then life is a sorry thing indeed. Is it hardly worth living? I do not know. I am not sure. This I do know, that there is in me, as in you, a feeling, which is independent of mere desire—a strange consciousness, that is not connected with any sense of fear or hope—that there is something in us that is not “of the earth earthy”; that is not of this mortality, mortal. I take hold of this. And because of this divine principle in our being we should recall with increased reverence the memories of our mothers and thank them for the strange stories, the wonderful stories, of the past and of the hereafter which they taught us at their knees.

I do not believe that the great life of our lamented friend ended for all time when we laid that casket away amid the tears of the people. He lived nobly, achieved greatly, died bravely. The awful mystery of death has been solved to him. In a little while we shall pass over also, and maybe we shall clasp hands again.

Illinois mourns his loss. In life he served her faithfully, ably, and with honor, and in death, though missed, he will not be forgotten. His virtues were positive and aggressive, seeking to establish truth and to destroy error. As a partisan he was strong, persistent, praiseworthy, and he admired the same traits in the opposition.

In every conflict between parties he fought with a courage and skill rarely equaled and seldom surpassed. His life and its achievements are an excellent example of the splendid possibilities of American citizenship. He possessed in a large degree the firmness and faithfulness of Lincoln, the unbending will and defiant daring of Logan, and much of the persuasive eloquence of Oglesby.

In politics he strove for place, not to gratify personal pride, but as a means whereby he could better serve his people. He had ambition, but it was an ambition to improve the condition of man; an ambition to more firmly establish in the hearts and minds of the people the great principles by which he thought this country should be governed, and of which he was such an able champion. His faith in republicanism was never shaken. He believed that the prosperity of our country and the perpetuity of our institutions depended upon them, and so believing he supported earnestly, logically and powerfully with purse and voice.

We can not add one feeling of joy or one pang of sorrow to our departed friend. He has finished his course—we can only say good-bye. But from his life and death may we not learn some lesson? Many of our loved ones and friends have gone from our view. Their sweet smile and loving eyes that made it one eternal sunshine when in their presence, are soon no more. Many a sweet face we loved has faded from our view, and in our hearts linger sweet voices that are now silent. Seats are vacant in our homes that never can be filled. One by one our loved ones have passed beyond. They were beckoned and went out and the door was closed. Soon—Oh! we know not how soon, we may receive the call. Are we ready? Have we spent all of our time preparing to live and forgotten to prepare to die? 'Ere long we will have the summons, just as our dear ones that are gone, heard it. Shall we meet them? In fancy now they are often by our side, but their home is on a brighter shore. They visit us in our dreams, floating across our vision like shadows o'er a moonlit sea. When our hearts are bowed with grief, do they not often come and whisper thoughts of comfort and hope? They can not come to us, but we may go to them—we would not call them back. What family circle remains unbroken? Is there no empty chair, no cherished name, no loving memory, no one in yonder world?

Faith penetrates the veil and bids the invisible stand disclosed to our view, while its magic wand wakens into life, forms well remembered, but holier and lovelier far than when we knew them here.

Such occasions as this, with the thoughts that come to us, make us better, purer, gentler. We cannot commune with the dead and God, in whose presence they dwell, without feeling that there is a nobler life. Such thoughts should draw us upward. God-like aspirations should come to us as we wander along the border land of our sainted dead.

The love that surrounds the tomb is the most God-like attribute of the soul. It has its sorrows, but it, as well, has its delights. These thoughts may some time throw a passing cloud over the bright hour of social enjoyment, or spread a deeper gloom over the home of sorrow, yet, who of you, my dear friends, would exchange such thoughts as come to us for any song of pleasure or hour of gayety?

Oh, no, the sweetest voice in all the world is from the tomb. There is a remembrance of the dead to which we cling rather than turn to the charms of the living.

If we have been unkind; if we have given one pang of pain; if we have uttered one ungracious word or cruel look, remember that they will all sooner or later come knocking at the door of our soul. Let us, therefore, now repent and henceforth live more kindly and lovingly.

Let us now and here promise ourselves that henceforth we will be more faithful and affectionate in the discharge of our duties to the living.

I might say much more but time will not permit. When David T. Littler died, I lost a friend; a much older man than I, but strange as it may seem sometimes we select as a friend, and it is wise to do so, a man of much experience and older. Whatever success I may have obtained in this body is in no small way due to the confidence, association and friendship of David T. Littler.

Dear friends, we mourn the loss of our friend. Our country has lost a good citizen. To his relatives we extend our sympathies and our prayers, but it is blessed to feel and to know that "we are born for a higher destiny than earth."

"There is a country where the rainbow never fades, where the stars will spread out before us like islands that slumber on the ocean, and where our friends who only pass before us will meet us and greet us and be with us forever."

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative, unanimously, by a rising vote, and by virtue thereof.

At 12:55 o'clock p. m. the President *pro tempore* of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hall, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 5, for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 349, for "An act concerning local improvements," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended to pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 160, for "An act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block, for losses sustained by him, and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted and the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 163, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 311.

A bill for an act to amend sections 6, 10 and 19 of an act entitled, "An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same," approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 433.

A bill for an act to cede certain lands to the United States.

SENATE BILL No. 76.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus," approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 3 of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 2nd day of April, 1903, laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 3.

An act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in all cities of this State having a population of not less than seven thousand nor more than one hundred thousand and prescribing the powers and duties of such board.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 366, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

Senate Resolution No. 34.

WHEREAS, By article V, section 20 of the State constitution, it is provided that "An account shall be kept by the officers of the executive department and of all the public institutions of the State, of all moneys received or disbursed by them, severally, from all sources, and for every service performed, and a semi-annual report thereof made to the Governor under oath;" and

WHEREAS, It appears that for some years past all such officers of both parties have failed to make such report, and that this salutary provision of the Constitution is likely to lapse from lack of use; therefore,

Resolved, That all such officers be, and they are hereby required to make such reports hereafter and to make and file at once with the Governor for the use of the General Assembly such reports for the last preceding completed half of the fiscal year.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

At 10:06 o'clock, a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive message, received March 26, 1903, was taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President: I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, March 26, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint Dr. P. H. Wessel of Moline, Rock Island county, as a member of the State Board of Health, to succeed Dr. William O. Forbes of Chicago, whose term has expired.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence herein.

Very respectfully,
RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

And the question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the foregoing nominations?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Haas,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Campbell,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—35.
Coleman,				

At 10:09 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burnett introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 462, for "An act to regulate corporations or associations doing business by the issue and sale of bonds, certificates, debentures or other contracts on the single premium or partial payment plan, providing for State deposit of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), State supervision and State examination, manner of proceeding in courts of jurisdiction against insolvent companies and penalties for doing business in violation of this act,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Burnett, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, Senate Bill No. 447, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), and section six (6), and section twelve (12), and section eighteen (18), of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and by adding section four a (4a) thereto,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Templeton offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by striking out title of bill and first section down to and including the word "thereto", and insert the following in lieu thereof:

A bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6) and section twelve (12) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and by adding section four a (4a) thereto, and to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation, and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:* That section one (1), section four (4), section six (6) and section twelve (12) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, be amended as hereinafter designated and that section four a (4a) be added thereto, and that section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, be amended to read as hereinafter set forth."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, Senate Bill No. 385, a bill for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 324, for "An act to amend section six of 'An act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Powers,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 272, for "An act to amend section fifty-four (54) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named, approved June 23, 1883, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas—30.
Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,	
Dixon,	Hamilton,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 259, for "An act to enable cities to buy or construct tunnels, to fix the rate of compensation for the use thereof, and enter into contracts concerning such use and compensation, to pledge the income

and revenue therefrom for the payment thereof, and to establish a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds at maturity", reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 433, for "An act to cede certain lands to the United States,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Juul,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	Powers,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Rainey,	
Butler,				

Yeas—30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 57, for "An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled, 'An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated populations, and to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the same, and to prevent private imitations of the name of the same and regulating private employment agencies,' approved April 11, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Burnett,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Watson.
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	

Yeas—27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 257, for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust and making redemption therefrom,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler.	Evans,	Lundberg.	Powers,
Alden,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Maher.	Putnam,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Gardner,	McCabe.	Rainey,
Bailey.	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Barr,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Yeas—28.
Berry,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Parker,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fowler.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Berry moved that the foregoing vote, whereby the bill passed, be reconsidered, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 8, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg,

Senate Bill No. 316, a bill for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or willfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, April 1, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 316 as follows:

Printed bill, section 1, line 4, after the word "children," insert "under the age of 12 years."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 327, a bill for "An act to amend section 9 of Article XVIII of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 328, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 329, a bill for "An act to amend section 24 and to repeal section 25 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 435, a bill for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, 'An act to organize and regulate the business of life insurance,' approved March 26, 1869, in force July 1, 1869,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McCabe, Senate Bill No. 340, a bill for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds,' approved March 13, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary April 1, 1903:

Amend the printed bill as follows:

Section 4, line 5, after the word "court", insert, "or probate court where established".

Also in line 9, after the word "county" insert the words "or probate".

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McKenzie, Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary, March 11, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 261 as follows:

In line 3 of the printed bill, after the first word "survey" insert the following, "except in incorporated cities, villages or towns."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 463, for "An act to amend section 48 of an act entitled, 'An act

providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 172, a bill for "An act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 8, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

A message from the House by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 3, 1903, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 8, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Concurred in by the House April 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 28, for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, 11.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,
Bailey,
Barr,

Burnett,
Butler,
Campbell.

Dawson,
Evans,
Farnum.

Haas,
Mueller,
Parker.

Powers,
Templeton,
Townsend.
Yeas—15.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,
Coleman,
Farrelly,

Fowler,
Hamilton,

Helm,
Humphrey.

McCabe,
Putnam,

Rees,
Watson.
Nays—11.

Mr. Humphrey moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill failed to pass, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 8, 1903, immediately after the preceding special order.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, Senate Bill No. 40, a bill for an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities to own and operate and lease street railways," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 40 as follows:

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section 1 by inserting after the words "in any grant" the following words: "made under the provisions of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to street railroads and to repeal certain acts herein referred to,' approved and in force March 7, 1899."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section 1 by striking out the word "the" after the words "the expiration of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 377, for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey.
Alden,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Watson.
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Pemberton,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	

Yeas—37.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Stringer moved that the foregoing vote whereby the bill passed be reconsidered, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stringer, the consideration of the vote to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 8, 1903, immediately after the preceding special order.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Bailey, Senate Bill No. 410, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article III, of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 22, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 344, a bill for "An act to amend article 1 of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Friday, April 3, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1903.—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President and President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by Senator Gardner.

The journal of yesterday was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 10:03 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Gardner, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, April 3, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 172, for "An act to amend section 119 of chapter 121 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883," which was read at large a third time April 2, 1903.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Meehan,	Riley,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Mueller,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Parker,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson,
Campbell,		McCabe,	Rees,	Yeas—38.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President, I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 8, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit to the General Assembly a copy of the biennial reports of each of the following institutions and departments, to-wit:

Northern Illinois Hospital for the Insane.
 Western Illinois Hospital for the Insane.
 Southern Illinois Hospital for the Insane.
 Central Illinois Hospital for the Insane.
 Asylum for Incurable Insane,
 Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb.
 Institution for the Blind.
 Asylum for Insane Criminals.
 Soldiers' Orphans' Home.
 Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.
 Southern Illinois Penitentiary.
 Asylum for Feeble Minded Children.
 Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.
 Southern Illinois Normal University.
 State Reformatory.

I have the further honor to state that the following named institutions and departments have filed their biennial reports, but the same are now in the hands of the printers who have the contracts for the State printing, to-wit:

Soldiers' Widow's Home.
 State Penitentiary.
 State Training School for Girls.
 Eastern Hospital for the Insane.

It affords me pleasure to advise you that if you desire the reports last above mentioned, withdrawn from the printers, and transmitted to the General Assembly in manuscript, this can be easily done.

I have the honor to further report that the reports of the following named institutions are now in the hands of the Secretary of State, to-wit:

Industrial Home for the Blind.
 Eastern Normal School.
 Western Normal School.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 8, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for proper consideration by the General Assembly a communication from the officers of the Order of Railway Conductors, requesting legislation providing that insane persons transported upon the railways of this State be subjected to restraint sufficient to protect the traveling public and railway officials; and I have the honor to request serious consideration of the same.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.

Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the communication referred to in the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 7, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for consideration by the General Assembly the enclosed communication, dated March 31, 1903, from the Hon. W. R. Merriam, Director of the Census Bureau of the United States, requesting legislation to bring the State of Illinois within the registration area of the United States, in the matter of the registration of deaths; together with a pamphlet by him enclosed, entitled "Legislative Requirements for Registration of Vital Statistics—The Necessity for Uniform Laws, Methods and Forms."

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the communication referred to in the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 8, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to an act of the General Assembly approved May 11, 1901, I had the honor to appoint the members of the Commission therein authorized.

The duties devolving upon said Commission under the said act, were to ascertain and mark the positions occupied by Illinois troops in the Siege of Vicksburg. These duties have been faithfully performed by said Commission, so far as it was practicable within the limits of \$2,000.00 appropriated by the General Assembly for that purpose.

The report of that Commission, showing in detail the work done by it, was submitted to me at the beginning of the present session of the General Assembly, and is now in the hands of the binder having contract thereof, and will be laid before the members of the Senate and House of Representatives for their information and consideration.

The Commission has ascertained from the official records that in the memorable Siege of Vicksburg the State of Illinois furnished to the Army of the Union in that most brilliant and effective military campaign of the Civil War, seventy-nine separate regiments, batteries, troops and commands, besides the large number of citizens of this State who served in the Navy under command of Admiral Porter during the campaign covering the investment and siege of that most notable Confederate stronghold.

In order to appropriately mark the several positions occupied by the troops from this State at many different points along the Union line of investment from the point where the Union army commanded the Mississippi river and the City of Vicksburg on the north, extending around the entire city in front

of the Confederate fortifications to a point on the river west of the Warrenton road to the south of the city, the commission has estimated that the sum of \$257,000 is necessary to complete the work and carry out the objects expressed in the act of the General Assembly so approved May 11, 1901.

I have given the work of this commission, the subject matter of its appointment, and the objects and purposes for which it has asked this appropriation, earnest and careful consideration. I most heartily approve and commend the work done by its members, and sincerely urge upon the General Assembly the appropriation of the amount estimated to be necessary to complete the patriotic purpose of the Legislature in authorizing its creation.

Suitable bills are already under consideration by the Committees on Appropriation in the Senate and House of Representatives respectively, and while I do not doubt the friendly interest of the members of the General Assembly to consider these bills favorably, I esteem it both a duty and a privilege to commend and request prompt and favorable action upon the bills now pending at the present session.

As was said by the martyred President in his ever memorable speech at Gettysburg, "The world will little heed nor long remember what we say here, but it will never forget what they did here;" so it may be said of the brave and gallant men who fought and struggled and suffered on the field of Vicksburg and in the campaign which resulted in its capitulation to the Union forces, that their deeds and heroism will endure forever.

The campaign of Vicksburg with its wonderful successes, and all of the lasting advantages resulting to the nation from those splendid achievements, was due to the almost matchless abilities of General Ulysses S. Grant, and the soldiers of the Union army who had volunteered from the State of Illinois, during that campaign and siege, bore a most conspicuous and memorable part.

Illinois was there represented by more than twice the number of regiments, batteries and other military organizations there engaged from any other state in the Union, and in the matter of leadership the men from Illinois were pre-eminent.

It is now conceded by students of military campaigns that the one, which, under the command of General Grant, compelled the surrender of more than 31,000 veteran soldiers, within the strongest military fortress erected by the Confederate forces during the Civil war, was, in both conception and detail, almost without parallel in the annals of warfare. It was a campaign organized and carried on by the citizen soldiery of our republic. Every man of the number which made up the aggregate of the Union forces was a volunteer without compulsion, and every heart was loyal to the national Union and to the flag which was its emblem.

The fall of Vicksburg was the first decisive demonstration that the union of the states, as our fathers had created it, should endure, and that armed opposition to the rightful dominion of a national government over every foot of the soil of the United States could not prevail.

It is difficult for me, and I realize that it may be difficult for many of you, who in your department are joined with me in directing the affairs of the great commonwealth of Illinois, to realize the full measure of the sacrifices made by our fathers and brothers during the momentous struggle from 1861 to 1865, for the purpose of preserving the union of these states.

Up to the day when Vicksburg surrendered, fear was in the way. Doubt as to the final triumph of the union arms was everywhere present; courage faltered, and faith weakened in the stoutest hearts; but when Grant and his heroic army had achieved the results which flowed from the capture of Vicksburg, the clouds of adversity which had hung like a pall over the nation began to disappear. All hopes were strengthened, faith in all loyal hearts was renewed, courage took on the form of valor, and from that hour the battle went bravely on, without defeat or substantial disaster, until at Appomattox peace dawned upon a nation redeemed.

The building of durable and appropriate monuments to mark the places where brave men have struggled and fallen on the line of duty in defense of their country and its institutions, is not only the highest privilege of patriotism, but the most impressive evidence that succeeding generations appreciate both the value and necessity of heroic deeds.

The brave deeds of forgotten men have made a world for us, and the smallest tribute due from those who have benefited by noble daring and brilliant achievements is to mark upon imperishable lines the places where such deeds were done and such achievements attained.

Civilization has not yet led the race of man to that exalted station where the use of an armed and trained military force is not a necessity to organized society. The day of universal peace may be ushered in when the nations "shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks," and when "nation shall not lift up swords against nation neither shall they learn war any more," but there is no promise from the past that heroic deeds and heroic men will not be the best heritage of a noble national life.

I most fervently trust that our generation will not hesitate to offer willing tribute to the noble men who fought and fell, and who by deeds of heroism conquered—not a people but a peace, which has brought to us priceless benedictions.

Nearly forty years have rolled by since the loyal and brave men whose deeds we now have most fitting opportunity to honor, finished their work; the time for us to perform our duty is at hand. Shall we who were taught in infancy to lisp the names of the loyal men, who at the risk of all that was most dear to them accomplished so much for us, falter in the performance of what seems to me, should be esteemed a most grateful duty?

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 604.

An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 605.

An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry.

Passed the House April 2, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 787.

An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Passed the House April 2, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 605, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 787, a bill for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor, and to make an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Dunlap presented a petition from citizens of Champaign county, urging the passage of an act changing the time for holding the Circuit Court of Champaign county, which,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 339, for "An act to amend the title and section one of an act entitled 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street

railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways, approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 437, for "An act to regulate and control the investment and safekeeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such societies to deposit their reserve fund securities in the custody of the State of Illinois, and to provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 464 for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 257, a bill for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom,"

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill was passed April 2, 1903, be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 28, a bill for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901,"

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill failed to pass April 2, 1903, be reconsidered?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dawson,	Juul,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Meehan,	Riley,	Watson,
Campbell,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—27.
Clark,	Humphrey,	Powers,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Stringer,	Nays—2.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by striking out all of line 17, printed bill, after the word "district," and in line 18, the words "said district," and insert in line 16 after the word "district," the following: "Whose deed to said land is bona fide and of record 60 days prior to the time of the holding of said election."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 9, 1903, immediately after the preceding special order.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 377, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed on April 2, 1903, be reconsidered," the yeas and nays being called it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dawson,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Rainey,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson,
Campbell,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Riley,	
Clark,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Small,	Yeas—38.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stringer the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of admendment.

Mr. Stringer offered the following amendment to the bill which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 377 by striking out all after the word "follows" in line 5 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

There shall be elected by ballot in each town one supervisor (who shall be exofficio overseer of the poor) and who shall hold his office for the term of two years and until his successor is elected and qualified, one town clerk, one assessor and one collector, who shall severally hold their offices for the term of one year and until their successors are elected and qualified, and such justices of the peace, constables and highway commissioners as are provided for by law; Provided that in any town or city not included within the limits of any town (except Cook county) having four thousand inhabitants, there shall be elected one additional supervisor, to be styled assistant supervisor; in towns having six thousand five hundred inhabitants there shall be elected two assistant supervisors; and so for every additional twenty-five hundred inhabitants there shall be elected one additional assistant supervisor—the population of towns to be ascertained by the last federal or State census preceding the election, and such assistant supervisors shall likewise hold their offices for the term of two years and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Mr. Rees offered the following amendment to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Gardner the amendment was ordered to lie on the table.

Amend section 1, line 16, so as to read, after the word "supervisors," as follows: "And so for every additional five thousand inhabitants."

Mr. Fowler offered the following amendment to the bill which on motion of Mr. Stringer was ordered to lie on the table:

Amend section 1, line 8, by striking out the word "two" and insert the word "four."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A Message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. B. H. McCann, Assistant Clerk:

To the Honorable, the Senate of the State of Illinois:

By resolution of the House of Representatives, memorial exercises in honor of the late President McKinley and the late Governor John R. Tanner will be held this afternoon, Wednesday, April 8th, at 2:00 p. m., in the House.

I am instructed by the House to most cordially invite your honorable body to be present on this occasion.

J. H. MILLER,

Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the foregoing invitation was accepted, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the House of Representatives thereof, and that the Senate would attend in a body.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 176.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 77.

A bill for an act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus," approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 78.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus," approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 37.

SENATE BILL No. 226.

A bill for an act to prevent interference with the administration of justice in courts of record.

SENATE BILL No. 225.

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to wills," approved March 20, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 223.

A bill for an act to amend sections 21 and 49 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery," approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 222.

A bill for an act to amend article XVI of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 80.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the punishment of persons violating any of the ordinances of the several cities and villages in this State," approved and in force April 12, 1879.

SENATE BILL No. 220.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent," approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act entitled, "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877," which amending act was approved June 24, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 221.

A bill for an act to amend sections 53, 60, 70, 101, 112 and 114 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, and acts amendatory of said sections, and to repeal section 68 of said act.

SENATE BILL No. 415.

A bill for an act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment," approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 327.

A bill for an act to amend section 9 of Article XVIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 328.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations," approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 329.

A bill for "An act to amend section 24 and to repeal section 25 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

SENATE BILL No. 410.

A bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article III of 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 22, 1899."

SENATE BILL No. 344.

A bill for "An act to amend article 1 of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

SENATE BILL No. 435.

A bill for "An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled 'An act to organize and regulate the business of life insurance,' approved March 26, 1869, in force July 1, 1869."

SENATE BILL No. 261.

A bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys."

SENATE BILL No. 316.

A bill for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances."

SENATE BILL No. 340.

A bill for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds,' approved March 13, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 447.

A bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6) and section twelve (12) of an act entitled 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and by adding section four a (4a) thereto, and to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

SENATE BILL NO. 99.

A bill for "An act to amend section 1b of an act entitled 'An act for the relief of disabled members of the police and fire departments in cities and villages,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; as amended by act approved May 10, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 415, for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Burnett.	Fuller.	McKenzie.	Rees.
Alden.	Butler.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Riley.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Jandus.	Parker.	Small.
Bailey.	Evans.	Kunz.	Putnam.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farnum.	McCabe.	Rainey.	Templeton.
Berry.				Yeas--26.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dixon.	Hamilton.	Pemberton.	Nays--3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Berry moved that the foregoing vote whereby the bill passed be reconsidered, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 9, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dunlap introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 465, for "An act to amend Section seven (7) of an act entitled 'An act concerning Circuit Courts and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the Judicial Circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879 and in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Which was read at large a first time. ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 346, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, March 26, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 by adding after the word "county" in line 3, section 14, the words, "in counties of the third class."

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 by adding after the word "commission" in line 5, section 14, the following words, "in counties of the first and second classes."

Amend title of bill by inserting after the word "amend" the words "Section 14 of"; also strike out the word "enforced" and insert the words "in force."

After the word "Assembly" strike out the words and figures "Chapter 135" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That an act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, be amended to read as follows:"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 99, a bill for "An act to amend section 1b of an act entitled, 'An act for the relief of disabled members of the police and fire departments in cities and villages,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by act approved May 10, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the following resolution offered by him April 2, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 34.

WHEREAS, By article V, section 20 of the State constitution, it is provided that "An account shall be kept by the officers of the executive department and of all the public institutions of the State, of all moneys received or disbursed by them, severally, from all sources, and for every service performed, and a semi-annual report thereof made to the Governor under oath; and

WHEREAS, It appears that for some years past all such officers of both parties have failed to make such report, and that this salutary provision of the Constitution is likely to lapse from lack of use; therefore,

Resolved, That all such officers be, and they are hereby required to make such reports hereafter and to make and file at once with the Governor for the use of the General Assembly such reports for the last preceding completed half of the fiscal year.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the further consideration of the resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 76, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farrelly,	Lundberg.	Rees,
Alden,	Campbell,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Jandus.	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—32.
Burnett.	Farnum,	Kunz,		

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 77, for "An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farnum,	Juul,	Rainey,
Alden,	Campbell,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Clark,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Haas,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Yeas—31.
Berry,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	
Burnett,	Evans,	Jandus,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hamilton, Stringer, Nays—2.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 78, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to habeas corpus,' approved March 2, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 37,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 24; nays 8.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,
Burnett,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Yeas—24.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Rees,	Nays—8.
Dawson,	Hamilton,	Rainey,	Stringer.	

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, Senate Bill No. 274, a bill for "An act to revise the law in relation to liens," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendments to the bill, which were lost:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 274:

Section 19—Amend section 19 in line 4 by striking out the words after the word "performed" "to the extent of two weeks' wages."

Section 29—Amend section 29 in line 2 by inserting after the word "only" the words, "with the exception of labor claimants as hereinafter provided."

Also by the addition of section 29a, as follows:

Section 29a. Every mechanic, laborer or workman who shall personally perform service or labor for any contractor, sub-contractor or material man, in or upon any building or improvement shall be entitled to a lien for the amount due therefor upon the estate and interest of the person contracting as owner in and to the building or improvement and the land connected therewith, as defined in section 1 of this act. It shall be the duty of such mechanic, laborer or workman, within thirty days from the performance of the labor for which a lien is claimed, to serve on the owner or his agent, architect or superintendent having charge of the building or improvement, a written notice of his claim in the following form:

To (name of owner):

You are hereby notified that I have performed labor as a on your building at (here give street number or other general description of the property), from the day of, A. D., to the day of, A. D., under employment by, a contractor on said building, for which there is now due me the sum of dollars; and I hereby demand payment of said sum within ten days from the date of service thereof.

Dated this day of A. D.

Such claim for labor as aforesaid shall be a preferred lien to all others on the building or improvement, and if not paid within ten days from the date of serving such notice the lien may be enforced by bill in chancery or by filing in any pending suit for foreclosure, or to assert a lien against the same property, an affidavit setting forth briefly the nature and amount of claim; and in such case the owner and his interest in the property shall be liable for the payment of such claim in full, irrespective of the amount that may be due from him to such employing contractor. Such labor claimant shall, upon filing such affidavit, serve a notice thereof on all parties to the suit, and thereupon it shall be the duty of any person desiring to contest such claim to file an answer or denial thereof within ten days from such notice, whereupon the matter shall be summarily determined by the court, and the amount found due shall be ordered paid in full out of any funds first available for that purpose. The bill or affidavit aforesaid shall be filed, and the common law suit hereinafter mentioned shall be commenced, within three months from the date of serving notice.

Section 30—Amend section 30 in line 1 by striking out the words “not exceeding” after the word “for”, also in line 2 by striking out the words “two weeks”.

Also by adding in line 13 after the word “same” the following words: “In such case the owner shall be absolutely liable for the payment of such labor claim, irrespective of the amount that may be due from him to such employing contractor.”

Mr. Small moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

Mr. Juul moved to lay the foregoing motion on the table.

Which motion was decided in the negative,

The question then being, “Shall the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out?” it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 435, for “An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, “An act to organize and regulate the business of life insurance,” approved March 26, 1869, in force July 1, 1869.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being,” “Shall this bill pass?” it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe.	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,'	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas.	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Stringer,	Nays—5.
Fowler,				

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Townsend, Senate Bill No. 420, a bill for “An act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof,” was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Townsend offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend by inserting in line 3 of section 2, after the word “county,” the following: “In counties of the first and second class.”

Amend by inserting after the word “liquors” in line 4, section 2, the words “for future delivery.

Amend by inserting after the word “requires” in line 5, section 2, the words “upon the application by petition of a majority of the legal voters of said county.”

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Powers, Senate Bill No. 349, a bill for "An act concerning local improvements,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments reported from the Committee on Municipalities April 2, 1903:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 349. To be amended as follows: Strike out the words "or alleys," section 1, line 3, after the word "streets" in printed bill, and insert the words "other than cedar blocks or Macadam."

Strike out the words "or alleys," section 1, line 8, after the word "streets" in printed bill.

Strike out the words "or alleys," section 2, line 3, after the word "streets" in printed bill.

Strike out the words "or alleys," section 2, line 4, after the word "streets" in printed bill.

Strike out the words "or alleys," section 3, line 3, after the word "streets" in printed bill.

Strike out the words "or alleys," section 3, line 9, after the word "streets" in printed bill.

Strike out all of section 4 in printed bill.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Powers offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted.

Amend section 2 by adding after the word "tax" in the second line "after the enactment of this law."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 340, for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds,' approved March 13, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Campbell,
Clark,
Dawson,
Dixon,

Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Haas,
Helm,

Hughes,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Lundberg,
McCabe,
Meehan,

Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Putnam,
Rees,
Riley,

Small,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Watson.
Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Stringer,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 395, a bill for "An act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations or corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and power to close their affairs,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judiciary March 25, 1903:

Amend the printed bill as follows:

Section 3, in line 7, strike out the words, "and shall receive and collect all debts and claims belonging to it."

In section 4, line 2, strike out the word "ninety" and insert the word "twenty."

Section 4, in line 4, after the word "office," insert "or in the county where the auditor resides."

Section 5, in line 5, strike out the word "ninety" and insert the word "twenty."

In lines 6 and 7, after the word "brought," strike out the words "for the purpose."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 410, for "An act to amend section 1 of article 3 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 22, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Alden,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Berry,
Burnett,
Clark,
Coleman,

Dawson,
Dixon,
Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Haas,
Hall,

Hamilton,
Helm,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Juul,
Maher,
McCabe,
McKenzie,

Meehan,
Mueller,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Putnam,
Rees,
Rees,

Riley,
Small,
Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Walter,
Watson.

Yeas—38.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 323, for "An act to amend section 42I of 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Butler,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Walter,
Campbell,	Helm,	Mueller,	Riley,	Yeas--32.
Dixon,	Hughes,	Parker,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 259, a bill for "An act to enable cities and villages to buy or construct tunnels to fix the rate of compensation for the use thereof, and enter into contracts concerning such use and compensation, to pledge the income and revenue therefrom for the payment thereof, and to establish a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds at maturity.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate presented a petition from the members of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church of Volo, Illinois, protesting against the passage of Senate Bill No. 308, known as the Mark-Cooley Educational bill, which on motion of Mr. Campbell was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

The President of the Senate announced that on March the 30th Robert Sylvester had resigned as page and that he had appointed on that date Tully Summers in his place.

At 12 o'clock m. on motion of Mr. Campbell the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Rev. J. B. Van Cleave, of East St. Louis.

The journal of Wednesday, April 8, 1903, was being read when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

Mr. Coleman presented a petition from the members of the Home Study Reading Circle of Vandalia, Ill., in favor of the passage of House Bill No. 287, known as the compulsory educational bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Coleman, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 259.

A bill for an act to enable cities and villages to buy or construct tunnels, to fix the rate of compensation for the use thereof, and enter into contracts concerning such use and compensation; to pledge the income and revenue therefrom for the payment thereof, and to establish a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds at maturity.

SENATE BILL No. 395.

A bill for an act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations or corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and power to close their affairs.

SENATE BILL No. 346.

A bill for an act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs," approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 377.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 420.

A bill for an act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 349.

A bill for an act concerning local improvements.

SENATE BILL No. 28.

A bill for an act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 55.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h.

SENATE BILL No. 40.

A bill for an act to authorize cities to own and operate or lease street railways.

Mr. Mueller from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No 321, for "An act to amend section 2 of 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes.' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 457, for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 787, for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor, and to make an appropriation therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 1, for "An act concerning and authorizing the annexation of territory to sanitary districts," and

Senate Bill No. 237, a bill for "An act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago and to enlarge the corporate limits thereof," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bills be laid on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Clark, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 466, a bill for "An act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor," was

Under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 446, for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor John P. Altgeld, and to make an appropriation therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, was ordered to a second reading.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Wednesday, April 29, 1903, they stand adjourned sine die.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules were suspended and the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 467, for "An act to amend section 63 of article V of 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all amendments thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Mr. Watson (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 468, for "An act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof under the care or patronage of any religious denomination, where

they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created can not be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of of such corporation,”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Watson, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Meehan introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 469, for “An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled ‘An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages on real and personal property,’ approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Meehan, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 470, for “An act regulating private corporations and authorizing shareholders to compel accounting by delinquents in cases where boards of directors fail or refuse,”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alden introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 471, for “An act making an appropriation for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed,”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Alden, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 472, for “An act entitled, ‘An act to regulate theaters, opera houses and other places of public amusement,’”

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for “An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof.”

The pending question being, “Shall the vote whereby the bill failed to pass March 31, 1903, be reconsidered?”

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 12.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.
Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Clark,

Dawson.
Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Fort,
Fuller.

Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,
Helm,
Humphrey,
Juul,

Koch,
Kunz,
McCabe,
McKenzie,
Pemberton,
Powers,

Small,
Stubblefield,
Townsend,
Walter,
Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden.	Fowler.	Maher.	Rees.	Templeton.
Coleman.	Hamilton.	Parker.	Stringer.	Nays—12.
Farrelly.	Jandus.	Putnam.		

On motion of Mr. Farnum, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 14, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 28, for "An act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 3, 1889, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901."

Which having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Evans.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Powers.	Walter.
Burnett.	Haas.	Koch.	Putnam.	Watson.
Campbell.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.	
Clark.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Small.	Yeas—33.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Coleman. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House, by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 223.

An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association.

Passed the House April 8, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 71.

An act to authorize the Judges of County Courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population of not more than two hundred thousand.

Passed the House April 8, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 14.

An act to select Commissioners to spend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting the same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.

Passed by the House, April 8, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population of not more than two hundred thousand,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 223, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Barr, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 40, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities to own and operate or lease street railways,'" having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Mr. Clark moved that the bill be recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Clark, Dawson, Farnum,	Fuller, Helm, Kunz,	McCabe, Powers,	Small, Templeton,	Watson, Yeas—11.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Alden, Barr, Berry, Burnett, Butler,	Campbell, Coleman, Dixon, Evans, Farrelly, Fowler,	Gardner, Hall, Hughes, Humphrey, Jandus, Juul,	Koch, Lundberg, McKenzie, Meehan, Mueller, Pemberton.	Rees, Stringer, Stubblefield, Townsend, Walter, Nays—29.
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And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 46.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Alden, Bailey, Barr, Berry, Burnett, Butler, Campbell, Clark, Coleman,	Dawson, Dixon, Dunlap, Evans, Farnum, Farrelly, Fort, Fowler, Gardner, Haas,	Hall, Hamilton, Hughes, Humphrey, Jandus, Juul, Koch, Kunz, Lundberg.	Maher, McCabe, McKenzie, Meehan, Mueller, Parker, Pemberton, Powers, Putnam,	Rainey, Rees, Stringer, Stubblefield, Templeton, Townsend, Walter, Watson, Yeas—46.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Helm, Senate Bill No. 361, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Helm offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 361 as follows:

Strike out the word "ten" wherever it occurs in the bill and insert the word "five" in place thereof.

Amend title to the bill by striking out the word "and," after the figure "1," and insert in lieu thereof "three (3) and."

Amend line 2, section 1, after the figure "1," insert the word and figure "three (3)."

After section 1 insert the following:

Section 3. The manufacturer, importer or agent of any commercial fertilizer, exceeding five dollars per ton in price, shall pay, annually, on or be-

fore the first of May, a license fee of twenty dollars for the privilege of selling or offering for sale, within the State, said fee to be paid to the treasurer of the Illinois State Board of Agriculture: *Provided*, That whenever the manufacturer or importer shall have paid the license fee herein required, for any person acting as agent for such manufacturer or importer, such agent shall not be required to pay the fee named in this section.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 14, of the following title, has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 9th day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

An act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars in purchasing a life-sized marble or bronze statue of the late Frances E. Willard, and to provide a pedestal or base therefor, the statue and pedestal to be appropriately inscribed and ornamented, and also to defray the expense of transporting the same to Washington, D. C., when completed, and erecting it in the National Statuary Hall at Washington, D. C.

Senate Bill No. 349, for "An act concerning local improvements,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Alden,
Andrus,
Burnett,
Butler,
Clark,
Coleman,

Dawson,
Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fowler,
Fuller,

Haas,
Hall,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Koch,
Kunz,

Meehan,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Putnam,
Rainey,

Rees,
Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Townsend,
Watson,
Yeas—31.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hall introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 473, for an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to require every foreign corporation doing business in this State to have a public office or place in this State at which to transact its business, subjecting it to a certain condition and requiring it to file

its articles or charter of incorporation with the Secretary of State and to pay certain taxes and fees thereon,' approved May 26, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 22, 1899, and in force July, 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hall from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 442, for "An act entitled, 'An act to enable associations of persons to become bodies corporate—to act as financial agents and attorneys for others who contribute to a common fund,' which is to be used to purchase homes for such contributors," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 456, for an act amending section 4 of "An act concerning local improvements," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 462, for "An act to regulate corporations or associations doing business by the issue and sale of bonds, certificates, debentures or other contracts on the single premium or partial payment plan, providing for State deposit of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000,) State supervision and State examination, manner of proceeding in courts of jurisdiction against insolvent companies and penalties for doing business in violation of this act," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, Senate Bill No. 447, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6) and section twelve (12) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and by adding section four-a (4a) thereto, and to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation, and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Templeton offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 447.

Strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6), section twelve (12) and section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, and by adding section four A (4a) thereto."

Strike out all of section 1, after the word "Assembly," down to and including the twelfth printed line, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That section one (1), section four (4), section (6), section twelve (12) and section eighteen (18) of an act entitled "An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, be amended so as to read as hereinafter set forth, and that section four A (4a) be added thereto.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the order of Reading Bills of the Senate the Second Time was taken up for consideration.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 426, a bill for "An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hughes, House Bill No. 81, for "An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Campbell,
Clark,
Dixon,

Dunlap,
Evans,
Farnum,
Fowler,
Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,

Hamilton,
Helm,
Hughes,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Juul,
Koch,

Kunz,
McCabe,
Meehan,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Putnam,
Raine,

Rees,
Riley,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Senate Bill No. 246, a bill for "An act to amend 'An act concerning Canada thistles,' approved and in force March 15, 1872, declaring certain weeds nuisances and providing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, April 1, 1903:

Amend title by inserting after figures "1872," "as amended by an act of June 27, 1885," also by adding the following sections: "10-11-12-13 14-15 and 16."

Amend section 1 after figures "1872" by inserting "as amended by act of June 27, 1885," also by striking out after the word "same" in the seventh line all the words "to" and including the word "act" in eighth line.

Also by striking out section 8.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 358, a bill for "An act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association,' in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and by adding thereto sections 1b and 8b,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Building and Loan Associations, March 26, 1903:

Amend the printed bill by striking out section 1b, and inserting in its place the following:

Section 1b. It shall be unlawful for any company, association, corporation, organization or a co-partnership, assuming to be a company or corporation, doing business in this State for the purpose of receiving or accepting moneys from their subscribers, contributors or members, in installments for the purpose of creating a fund with which to supply homes unless such company, association, corporation, organization or co-partnership is organized and doing business under this act, and whoever violates any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000). The same may be recovered in any court having competent jurisdiction in the name of the People of the State of Illinois on relation of the Auditor of Public Accounts for the benefit of the county wherein said person or persons, association or corporation is located.

Amend section 5c of the printed bill by striking out the word "twenty" in line 62, page 4, and substituting the word "ten."

Amend section 8 of the printed bill by striking out the word "corporation" in line 145, page 6, and substituting the word "association."

Amend section 8 of the printed bill by striking out the word "majority" in line 154, page 7, and substituting the word "two-thirds."

Amend section 13 of the printed bill by striking out the word "whatsoever," in line 178, page 8, and substituting the word "whomsoever."

Amend section 22 of the printed bill by striking out the words, "a majority," in line 230, page 10, and substituting the words "two-thirds."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 55, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 3f, 8g and 8h," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend section 8a of the amendment to the printed bill by adding the following:

Provided further, That the fees now allowed State's attorneys in counties of the first and second class be hereafter taxed as costs in such proceedings, and when collected shall be paid into the county treasury.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 403, a bill for "An act to amend section 218 of an act entitled 'an act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 429, a bill for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculating in grain or other products."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McKenzie, Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, and

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 14, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 259, for "An act to enable cities and villages to buy or construct tunnels, to fix the rate of compensation for the use thereof, and enter into contracts concerning such use and compensation; to pledge the income and revenue therefrom for the payment thereof, and to establish a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds at maturity,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—34.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President:—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

WHEREAS, By direct vote of the people of the State of Illinois at a general election held in said State, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1902, it was voted that this General Assembly take the necessary steps under article 5, of the Constitution of the United States to bring about the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people; and,

WHEREAS, Article 5, of the Constitution of the United States provides that on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, the Congress of the United States shall call a convention for proposing amendments; now, therefore, in obedience to the expressed will of the people as expressed at the said election, be it

Resolved, By the Senate the House of Representatives concurring herein, that application be, and is hereby made to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States, as provided for in said article 5. And be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State do furnish to the President of the Senate of the United States, and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, to each, one copy of this resolution, properly certified under the great seal of the State.

Concurred in by the House, April 9, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Juul from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 214, for "An act to amend section two (2) of 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 31, a bill for "An act to authorize villages in this State to purchase or rent fire apparatus and appliances for protection from fire, and issue negotiable certificates of indebtedness therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 442, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to enable associations of persons to become bodies corporate, to act as financial agents and attorneys for others who contribute to a common fund, which is to be used to purchase homes for such contributors,'"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend the printed bill as follows:

In section 9, line 1 and 2, strike out the words "in their numerical order," and in line 2, after the word "whenever," strike out the words "there shall have been accumulated in" and in lines 3, 4 and 5 of said section, strike out the words "the home fund the sum of one thousand dollars, then contracts beginning with contract number one and succeeding contracts so issued in numerical order," and insert the words "the amount paid into the home fund to the credit of a contract shall amount in the aggregate to the sum of one thousand dollars, then such contract."

In line 5 of section 9, after the word "holder" strike out the word "the," and after the word "said" strike out the word "first."

Strike out section 11 from line 1 to line 21, inclusive, and insert the following: "Section 11. Upon the death of a contract holder, his legal representatives may first assume the obligations evidenced by said contract and be entitled to the benefits thereunder, or second, may surrender said contract and receive the full amount credited to the same in the home fund."

In line 24 of section 11 strike out the words "provided the disabled contract holder or holders are not."

In section 11 strike out all of line 25 and 26 and line 27 down to the word "contracts."

In line 28 after the word "disability" insert the words "or death."

In line 38 of section 11, after the word "board" strike out the word "that."

On motion of Mr. Humphrey the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 74, a bill for 'An act to amend section 2 of division XIII of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by inserting in line 9, printed bill, after the word "error," the following:

Provided. That when such defendant shall prosecute such writ of error the attorney so appointed by the court shall be paid a reasonable fee for prosecuting such writ, to be fixed by the court and paid by the county upon the certificate of the presiding judge.

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 123, a bill for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Juul, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 14, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 176, for "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays 7.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Koch,	Parker,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	McCabe,	Putnam,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Walter,
Dawson,	Fuller,	Juul,	Mueller,	Watson.

Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Coleman,	Hall,	Hamilton,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Evans,			Nays—7.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 142, for "An act to amend sections 202 and 210 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maher,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	McKenzie,	Walter,
Berry,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Hall,	Kunz,	Powers,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 160, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block, for losses sustained by him, and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 2, 1903:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 160.

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out the word "several" in line 2 of first paragraph of printed bill after the word "destroyed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out in line 2 of section 1 the words and figures "seven hundred and fifty (\$750.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "four hundred and thirty-five (\$435.00.)"

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out in lines 2 and 3, section 2, the words and figures "seven hundred and fifty (\$750.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "four hundred and thirty-five (\$435.00.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 321, a bill for an act to amend section 2 of "An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes," approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE SECOND TIME.

Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,'" approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893,

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Stringer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 49 by striking out all that portion of said bill following the word "State," in line 28, page 3.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 14, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 195, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate presented nine petitions from local unions (of the State of Illinois) of the American Federation of Labor, protesting against the passage of what is known as the Educational Bill of the Chicago Board of Education, which, on motion of Mr. Berry, were referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

Senate Bill No. 224, a bill for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

At 11:40 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Friday, April 10, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. Thomas Rees presiding, he having been designated by the President of the Senate to preside during today's session.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 474, for "An act making appropriations for the maintenance of the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind at Chicago, Ill., for the two years beginning July 1, 1903,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 475, for "An act making an appropriation for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 476, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

At 10:05 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Pemberton, the Senate adjourned until Monday, April 13, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1903, 5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President and President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by the Secretary, who called Senator Templeton to the chair, to preside.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, April 10, 1903, was read and ordered to stand approved.

At 5:02 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Templeton, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Juul, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 137.

A bill for an act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers.

SENATE BILL No. 370.

A bill for an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject.

SENATE BILL No. 358.

A bill for an act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, "An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association," in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; and by adding thereto sections 1b and 8b.

SENATE BILL No. 426.

A bill for an act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

SENATE BILL No. 465.

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879 as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 447.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 4, 6, 12 and 18 of an act entitled, "An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, and by adding section four-a (4a) thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 361.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 3 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers," approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.

SENATE BILL No. 403.

A bill for an act to amend section 218 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 55.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h.

SENATE BILL No. 429.

A bill for an act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculating in grain or other products.

SENATE BILL No. 195.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved June 21, 1893.

SENATE BILL No. 321.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act concerning the levy and extension of taxes, approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 74.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of division XIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 160.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block for losses sustained by him and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners.

Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 326, for "An act to protect miners operating mines, under a parol license or lease, for lead ore, zinc ore or other minerals," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 461, for an act to amend section 1A of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 451, for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fire proof, and providing penalties for violation thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Riley, from the Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 30, for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Riley, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Riley, from the Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 37, for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Riley, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Riley, from the Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 1, for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass. Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Riley moved that the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading be postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

Mr. Dunlap moved that the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading be postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 21, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal, which motion was decided in the affirmative,

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 477, for "An act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 478, for "An act to pay Mrs. Lydia Herring, administratrix of Earl H. Herring, deceased, for the use and benefit of his legal heirs, five thousand dollars for the accidental death of her son, the said Earl H. Herring, caused by a defective gun whilst serving on riot duty at Pana, Ill., December 30, 1898, in pursuance of lawful orders of his commander as a member of the Illinois National Guard,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Pemberton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 479, for an act to amend section 47 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Berry introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 480, for "An act in relation to the custody of insane persons."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, was ordered to a second reading.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 59.

An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Passed the House April 9, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof," on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Small, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893," on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Mueller, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President.—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 14, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Having been informed that a resolution is now pending calling for semi-annual reports from the various officers of the Executive Department, and the various institutions of the State, for the six months ending March 31, 1903, I have the honor to herewith transmit for consideration by the Senate, all of the semi-annual reports filed in my office up to this date, being the semi-annual reports of the Secretary of State and the Auditor of Public Accounts, and the semi-annual reports of the following Departments and Institutions, to-wit:

Insurance Department, Adjutant General, Vicksburg Commission, Fish Commission, Game Commissioner, Board of Pardons, Court of Claims, Board of Charities, Live Stock Commission, Board of Health, Board of Arbitration, Bureau of Labor, North Side Free Employment Bureau, Chicago, South Side Free Employment Bureau, Chicago, West Side Free Employment Bureau, Chicago, Free Employment Bureau, Peoria, Food Commissioner, Factory Inspector, Railroad and Warehouse Commission, Louisiana Purchase Commission, Canal Commission, Board of Dental Examiners, Board of Examiners of Architects, Lincoln Park Commission, Illinois State Penitentiary, State Reformatory, Training School for Girls, School for the Deaf, Institution for the Blind, Industrial Home for the Blind, Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Soldiers' Widows' Home, Northern Insane Hospital, Southern Insane Hospital, Eastern Insane Hospital, Western Insane Hospital, Central Insane Hospital, Asylum for Incurable Insane, Asylum for Insane Criminals, State Normal University, Northern Normal School, Southern Illinois Normal University, Eastern Normal School, Western Normal School.

The reports of the West Chicago Park Commission, the Board of Commissioners of the Southern Illinois Penitentiary, and the Board of Trustees of the Delinquent Home for Boys, are unavoidably delayed, but will be transmitted promptly upon their receipt.

As all of these reports are parts of the files of the Executive Office, I have the honor to request that after consideration by your Honorable Body, they be returned to this office.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 14, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for your consideration, a copy of my semi-annual report for the six months ending March 31, 1903, the original of which I have filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing messages and accompanying documents were referred to the Committee on Public Accounts.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 123, for "An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Berry.	Evans.	Hall.	Mueller.	Small.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Parker.	Stringer.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Fort.	Kunz.	Powers.	Walter.
Clark.	Fowler.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Watson.
Dawson.	Gardner.	Maher.	Rainey.	
Dunlap.	Haas.	Meehan.	Riley.	Yeas—33.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Fuller.	Humphrey.	Koch.	McKenzie.
				Nays—5.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893," was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, was reconsidered, the pending question being, "Shall the following amendment offered by Mr. Stringer April 9, 1903, be adopted?"

Amend Senate Bill No. 49, by striking out all that portion of said bill following the word "State," in line 28, page 3.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, the motion to postpone was laid on the table.

After debate, Mr. Mueller moved that the foregoing amendment be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 18.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Farrelly.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Riley.
Campbell.	Fort.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Small.
Clark.	Fuller.	Koch.	Parker.	Townsend.
Dawson.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Walter.
Dixon.	Haas.	Maher.	Rees.	
Farnum.	Hall.	McCabe.		Yeas—27.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden.	Coleman.	Humphrey.	Powers.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Dunlap.	Kunz.	Rainey.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Evans.	McKenzie.	Stringer.	Watson.
Butler.	Fowler.	Pemberton.		Nays—18.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by striking out of lines 29 and 30 of printed bill the words, "or for the mining and sale of coal."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 481, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Haas introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 482, for "An act to insure better protection of the public from accidents arising out of elevator service,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Haas, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Watson, Senate Bill No. 370, a bill for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Watson offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend line 1, section 2 of the amended bill, by inserting after the word "may," "in the discretion of the Governor."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Watson, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 444, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members for accidental or permanent disability to members thereof and to control such societies of this State and of other States doing business in this State, and providing and fixing a punishment for the violation of the provisions thereof and to

repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893," as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899 and in force July 1, 1899.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 476.

First. Amend printed bill by inserting after the forty-third item the following:

Forty-three and one-half. To the State Board of Arbitration for traveling expenses of the members and the secretary, and for postage, stationery, telegraphing, telephoning, expressage, additional clerk hire, office rent and all other necessary expenses, the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Second. Amend page 9 in line 223 of printed bill by striking out the figures "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,200.00".

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 163, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amendment to Senate Bill No. 163.

Amend Senate Bill No. 163 by striking out all of line one (1), section two (2), after the figure 2, and by striking out all of lines 2 and 3 of said section 2.

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 787, a bill for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 239, a bill for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, said section 20 being amended by act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 321, for "An act to amend section 2 of 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Fowler.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Alden.	Dawson.	Haas.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Humphrey.	Powers.	Walter.
Berry.	Dunlap.	Jandus.	Rainey.	
Burnett.	Evans.	Juul.	Rees.	Yeas—27.
Campbell.	Farnum.	Kunz.	Small.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Small, Senate Bill No. 315, a bill for "An act to amend the act in relation to township organization," having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Small offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Strike out the title of the bill and insert the following in lieu thereof:

A bill for "An act to amend sections 4, 12, 13, 16 and 18, Article I; section 3 of Article III; section 1 of Article VI; sections 1, 2 and 13 of Article VII; sections 1 and 7 of Article VIII; section 5 of Article XI, and section 3 of Article XIII, of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by act approved and in force April 15, 1875, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by act approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Amend section 1 by striking out all after the word "Assembly" down to and including the figures "1901," in line 30, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"That sections 4, 12, 13, 16 and 18, of Article I; section 3 of Article III; section 1 of Article VI; sections 1, 2 and 13 of Article VII; sections 1 and 7 of Article VIII; section 5 of Article XI, and section 3 of Article XIII of an

act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by act approved and in force April 15, 1875, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by act approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 447, for "An act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6), section twelve (12), and section eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, and by adding section four A (4a) thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Fuller.	Koch.	Small.
Alden.	Dixon.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hall.	McCabe.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Evans.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Townsend.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Rees.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Juul.	Riley.	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 439, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, Senate Bill No. 141, a bill for "An act to establish a uniform system of bookkeeping, auditing and accounting by municipal corporations, and for the inspection and supervision of public offices, and to provide means for the enforcement of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan, the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

Senate Bill No. 74, for an act to amend section 2 of division XIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Riley,
Alden,	Clark,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Walter,
Burnett,	Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,	Watson,
Butler,		Humphrey,	Powers,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 80, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the punishment of persons violating any of the ordinances of the several cities and villages in this State,' approved and in force April 12, 1879,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Alden,	Evans,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Andrus,	Farnum,	Juul,	Stringer,	
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—26.
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Templeton,	
Dixon,	Hughes,	Maher,	Townsend,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman,	Dawson,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 404, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to garnishment,' approved March 9, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 221, a bill for "An act to amend sections 53, 60, 70, 101, 112 and 114 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and acts amendatory of said sections, and to repeal section 68 of said act,"

Was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was recommitted to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 483, for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to remedy the evils consequent upon the destruction of any public records by fire or otherwise," approved and in force April 9, 1872,

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell, (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 484, for "An act to abolish imprisonment for debt."

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary. †

Senate Bill No. 327, for an act to amend section 9 of article XVIII of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rainey,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Townsend,
Clark,	Hughes,	Maher,	Riley,	Walter,
Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stringer,	Watson,
Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,		
Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,		

Yeas—26.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 328, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas 15; nays 14.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs,

Alden,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Juul,	Powers,
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,
Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson,

Yeas—15.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Evans,	Hall,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Farrelly,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Dawson,	Fowler,	Rainey,	Nays—14.

Mr. Fowler gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, as provided by the rules, enter a motion to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill failed to pass.

Senate Bill No. 465, for "An act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Walter,
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	Watson,
Coleman,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	
Dawson,				

Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 377, for "An act to amend section 1 of article seven (7) of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Riley,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,		

Yeas—31.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 358, for "An act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, 'An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association,' in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893; June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; and by adding thereto sections 1b and 8b,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Evans,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Farnum,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—36.
Clark,	Fuller,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

At 12:20 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hall, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 246.

A bill for an act concerning Canada thistles, approved and in force March 15, 1872, as amended by an act of June 27, 1885, also by adding the following sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, declaring certain weeds nuisances and providing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished.

SENATE BILL NO. 370.

A bill for an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject.

SENATE BILL NO. 444.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members for accidental or permanent disability to members thereof and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing a punishment for the violation of the provisions thereof and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith," approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 21, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 239.

A bill for an act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

SENATE BILL No. 404.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act in regard to garnishment."

SENATE BILL No. 439.

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 49.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved and in force June 19, 1893.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 330, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 257, a bill for "An act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom," on the order of third reading, the pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed the Senate April 8, 1903, be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The President announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 442, a bill for "An act entitled, "An act to enable associations of persons to become bodies corporate—to act as financial agents and attorneys for others who contribute to a common fund, which is to be used to purchase homes for such contributors,'" on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the bill and pending amendments were laid on the table.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," on the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 370, for "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and for the repeal of all other acts named herein in relation to said subject,"

Which, having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,	Yeas—38.
Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hughes,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 420, for "An act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—36.
Coleman,	Gardner,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hall, Senate Bill No. 451, a bill for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fire proof, and providing penalties for violation thereof,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 55, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties in this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f, 8g and 8h."

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; Nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Fort,	Jandus,	Powers,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Rainey,	Walter,
Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Watson.
Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Small,	
Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,		Yeas—32.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Fowler,	Stringer,	Nays—5.
Burnett,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 361, for "An act to amend sections one (1,) three (3) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Small,
Alden,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield.
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Yeas—34.
Dixon,				

'The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Butler,	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 485, for "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Missouri, for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Military.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 366, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 92, for "An act relating to the carriage of freight and the furnishing of freight cars by railroad companies," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Townsend, was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 375, for "An act to establish the maximum rate of fare to be paid by passengers on elevated railways in certain cases, and in cities in this State of 100,000 inhabitants and over," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 444, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members for accidental or permanent disability to members thereof and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing a punishment for the violation of the provisions thereof and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith.' Approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 21, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Small,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stringer,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Walter,
Dawson,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,	Watson,
Dixon,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 466, a bill for "An act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Dawson moved that the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading be postponed to be made the special order for Tuesday, April 21, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Mr. Clark moved that the motion to postpone be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays 15.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Small.
Andrus.	Fuller.	Juul.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Gardner.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Hall.	McCabe.	Rainey.	Walter.
Clark.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Riley.	Yeas—31.
Dixon.	Hughes.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Butler.	Fort.	Kunz.	Powers.	Watson.
Coleman.	Fowler.	Maher.	Rees.	Nays—15.
Dawson.				

Mr. Dawson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend printed bill by striking out all of section 9 and inserting in lieu thereof the following.

Section 9. The county clerk shall call an election on the question of annexation at the first election held hereafter at which all the legal voters of the above described territory and the Sanitary District of Chicago are entitled to vote. Notice of the election shall be given and the result thereof spread upon the records, as provided in section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to create sanitary districts and remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," etc., in force July 1, 1889, and all the above provisions of section 1, so far as applicable, shall govern in relation to the annexation of said territory. The ballots shall be printed:

For Annexation to Sanitary District.	Yes.
	No.

If a majority of the votes cast upon that question in both the said territory and in the Sanitary District of Chicago shall be in favor of annexation, the said territory shall thereafter constitute and remain a part of said sanitary district, and the powers and duties of the board of trustees of said district

shall extend over said territory so annexed the same as though it had always formed part of said sanitary district; but should a majority of the votes cast in either the said sanitary district or in the said territory be against annexation, then the said territory shall not be so annexed.

After debate. Mr. Clark moved that the foregoing amendment be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 16.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Walter,
Dixon,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Powers,	Watson,
Coleman,	Fort,	Maher,	Rees,	Nays—16.
Dawson,	Fowler,			

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 61.

A bill for an act to amend section four of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 36, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 467, for "An act to amend section 63 of article V of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all amendments thereto," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dawson introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 486, for "An act to enable the annexation of the North Shore to the Sanitary District of Chicago, and to provide for the main drainage thereof and the circulation of the waters of the North Branch of the Chicago River,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Dawson, was referred to the Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Small, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 434, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act for the protection of bank depositors,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 220, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act entitled 'An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution, and from distress for rent,' approved May 24, 1877, which amending act was approved June 24, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 6; nays, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Clark,	Farnum, Hall,	Juul,	Mueller,	Yeas—6.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry, Burnett, Coleman, Dawson, Dixon, Farrelly,	Fort, Fowler, Fuller, Gardner, Hughes, Humphrey,	Jandus, Koch, Lundberg, Maher, McCabe, McKenzie,	Meehan, Powers, Putnam, Rainey, Rees, Riley	Small, Stringer, Templeton, Walter, Nays—28.
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House Bill No. 787, for "An act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld, widow of the late ex-Governor, and to make an appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Andrus, Burnett, Butler, Campbell, Clark, Dawson, Dixon,	Dunlap, Farrelly, Fort, Gardner, Haas, Hall, Hughes, Humphrey,	Jandus, Juul, Koch, Kunz, Lundberg, Maher, McCabe,	Meehan, Mueller, Powers, Putnam, Rainey, Rees, Riley,	Stringer, Stubblefield, Townsend, Walter, Watson. Yeas—35.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry,
Coleman,

Evans,
McKenzie,

Pemberton,

Templeton,

Nays—6.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dunlap, from the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 605, for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading and to be printed with the amendments, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 16, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 289, a bill for "An act entitled an act to amend section 10 of 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions March 26, 1903:

Amendment to Senate Bill No. 289.

Amend Senate Bill No. 289 by adding after the words "to-wit'" in line 5 of the printed bill the following:

Section 10. In all indentures it shall be provided that the master shall cause such clerk, apprentice or servant to be taught to read and write, and the ground rules of arithmetic; and also that at the expiration of such term of service the master shall give to such apprentice a new bible, and two complete suits of new wearing apparel suitable to his or her condition in life, and \$20 in money in all cases where the term of service has been one year or more, and

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Jandus, Senate Bill No. 185, a bill for "An act making it unlawful for a corporation to engage in the practice of law,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, Senate Bill No. 395, a bill for "An act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations or corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and power to close their affairs," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend the printed bill by striking out of lines 4 and 5 of section 1, the clause "but at least once in each year,"

Amend the printed bill by striking out of line 5 of section 1 the word "every," and insert in lieu thereof the word "any."

Amend the printed bill by striking out of line 6 of section 1 the word "are" where it first occurs, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "may be."

Amend the printed bill by inserting after the word "homes" in line 10 of section 1 the words "or money."

Amend the printed bill by striking out all after the word "located" in line 22 of section 1 of the printed bill, and all of line 23 and line 24 and line 25, and that part of line 26 to and including the word "state," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"And if the Auditor of Public Accounts shall find that any such association, company or corporation is transacting its business in an unlawful or fraudulent manner or that the character of the business is unlawful, fraudulent or contrary to public policy, or that said business is in the nature of a lottery, or that the benefit to persons contracting with such association, company or corporation is in any manner dependent upon the number or order of issue of such contract, certificate or bond, with respect to other like contracts, certificates or bonds issued to other persons, said Auditor of Public Accounts shall report the facts to the Attorney General who shall have authority to institute proceedings in a court of chancery to enjoin such association, company or corporation from transacting its said business in the State of Illinois, and the chancery court shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine said cause according to equity, and to order the return of the money that may have been received unlawfully, fraudulently, or by any of the means hereinbefore specified to the persons paying the same. And the court may, in its discretion, appoint a receiver who, under the directions of the court, shall take possession of all the property and assets of such association, corporation or company and collect all claims that may be legally or equitably due to such association, company or corporation, and distribute the same after payment of costs to the persons entitled thereto. Or proceedings may be instituted by the Attorney General or any State's attorney in a court of law by information in the nature of *quo warranto* in accordance with the act relating to *quo warranto* proceedings.

"The Auditor of Public Accounts shall annually report to the Governor in writing, his doings in this behalf."

Strike out sections 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Amend title of bill by striking out the words, "power to close their affairs," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "conferring jurisdiction upon the courts in respect thereto."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and, by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 409, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, and by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and by an act approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 437, a bill for "An act to regulate and control the investment and safe keeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such societies to deposit their reserve fund securities in the custody of the State of Illinois, and to provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," was taken up for consideration.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Meehan offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend section 4 of the printed bill by adding the words:

"*Provided*, That in cities, towns or villages of a population of 10,000 or under, no ordinance for making any improvement shall be adopted unless a majority of property owners residing in such city, town or village whose property abuts upon such improvements, shall petition for same," after the word "same" in line 22.

On motion of Mr. Meehan, the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate presented two petitions from local unions of the Chicago Federation of Labor protesting against the

passage of what is known as the Educational Bill of the Chicago Board of Education, which, on motion of Mr. Berry, were referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

At 11:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 5:00 o'clock p. m.

5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 476.

A bill for an act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly.

SENATE BILL No. 451.

A bill for an act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fireproof and providing penalties for violation thereof.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 177.

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 145.

A bill for an act to amend section 32 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the Supreme Court of Cook county," approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 133.

A bill for an act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois.

Passed the House April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 289.

An act to amend section 15 of Article IV of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by act approved April 25, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

HOUSE BILL No. 290.

An act to amend sections 32, 33, and 34, of Article III, of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote, April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 519.

A bill for an act to amend section 80 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 9, 1891.

HOUSE BILL No. 264.

A bill for an act to amend section twenty-one (21), Article five (5), of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

HOUSE BILL No. 121.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard road," approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 298.

An act to repeal section 19 of Article IV of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.

HOUSE BILL NO. 299.

An act to amend section 17 of Article IV of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.

HOUSE BILL NO. 288.

An act to amend section 18 of Article IV of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed the House by two-thirds vote, April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 716.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof," approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901.

HOUSE BILL NO. 275.

A bill for an act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3, of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 63.

An act to authorize the several county and probate judges in this State to interchange, hold court for each other and perform each other's duties.

Passed the House April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 507.

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act concerning villages and incorporated towns," approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 245.

An act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions.

HOUSE BILL No. 297.

An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot," approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

HOUSE BILL No. 220.

An act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 6a.

Passed the House April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 91.

An act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898, in force February 25, 1898.

Passed by the House April 14, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 63, a bill for "An act to authorize the several county and probate judges of this State to interchange, hold court for each other and perform each other's duties,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 121, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard road,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Municipalities.

House Bill No. 145, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty-two of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to Circuit Courts and the Superior Court of Cook county,' approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 177, a bill for "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Municipalities.

House Bill No. 220, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a,

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 245, a bill for "An act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers, and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on License and Miscellany.

House Bill No. 264, a bill for "An act to amend section twenty-one (21), article five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 288, a bill for "An act to amend section 18 of article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 289, a bill for "An act to amend section 15 of article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House bill No. 290, a bill for "An act to amend sections 32, 33 and 34 of article III of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 298, a bill for "An act to repeal section 19 of Article IV, of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 299, a bill for "An act to amend section 17 of Article IV, of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and on motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 519, a bill for "An act to amend section 80 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 9, 1891,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 507, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning villages and incorporated towns,' approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, was ordered to second reading.

House Bill No. 716, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Townsend, Senate Bill No. 456, a bill for "An act amending section 4 of 'An act concerning local improvements,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 35.

WHEREAS, The session of this Legislature is drawing to a close and adjournment will soon take place, and,

WHEREAS, The standing committees will not be called upon to consider many bills during the balance of the session, and,

WHEREAS, In view of the foregoing it is not necessary that the Senate retain the same number of employes that was necessary during the busy part of the session; therefore, be it

Resolved, That all of the officers and employes of the Senate are hereby discharged after April 16, 1903, except the following:

J. H. Paddock, Secretary; E. W. Osgood, First Assistant Secretary; Julius Johnson, Second Assistant Secretary; Henry J. Motschman, Third Assistant Secretary; Ed Harlan, Sergeant-at-Arms; John Albin, First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; George W. Greenfield, Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; J. A. Ellison, Third Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; Ida M. Bacon, postmistress; Lucy M. Long, assistant postmistress; Charles C. Eaton, mail carrier; A. G. Goodspeed, Chaplain; Oscar A. Carlson, enrolling and engrossing clerk; Henry Froebe, first assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk; Peter Werner, second assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk; A. E. Anderson, bill clerk; W. D. Rose, proofreader; Freda Berg, stenographer; Belle Convery, stenographer; E. P. Field, stenographer; W. E. Savage, stenographer; W. R. Crossman, President's private secretary; George W. Funderburk, Minority President's private secretary; W. R. McKenzie, President *pro tempore*'s private secretary; T. B. Scouten, messenger; George H. Welch, messenger; Joseph Ware, assistant ventilator; Adam Gunderman, policeman; F. Haas, policeman; A. W. Mitchell, policeman; Clark Schumaker, policeman; George W. Schaeffer, policeman; F. Slater, policeman; George H. Woodson, policeman; G. E. Birkett, committee clerk; M. Beach, committee clerk; C. A. Caton, committee clerk; A. J. Corcoran, committee clerk; George W. Cowan, committee clerk; K. Devere, committee clerk; A. L. Hall, committee clerk; J. E. Harvey, committee clerk; Fred L. Hunt, committee clerk; C. Kaplan, committee clerk; L. P. Lewis, committee clerk; E. D. Northam, committee clerk; G. Pickrell, committee clerk; G. W. Raymond, committee clerk; F.

Stephan, committee clerk; E. Van Hoerbeke, committee clerk; Ed Vinson, committee clerk; D. G. Wersch, committee clerk; C. A. Boger, janitor; Richard Egan, janitor; K. F. Briggs, janitor; Samuel Dukes, janitor; George Duty, janitor; Francis L. Ferguson, janitor; M. McGowan, janitor; Johnson Fisher, janitor; Rufus Ray, janitor; W. F. Romoser, janitor; S. Cobb, janitor; Walter Cain, janitor; Beverly Wittshire, janitor; Alexander Allen, page; Carlisle Biermann, page; Frank Boyer, page; Walter M. Broderick, page; Morton Curtis, page; Harry O. Morrow, page; Horace Nowell, page; Ray Morris, page; Eddie Riekter, page; James Ryan, page; B. Southwick, page; Tulley Summers, page; Louis Veerman, page.

Resolved, That Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Senate librarian, and A. E. Nelson, committee clerk, be each retained until April 23, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rules were suspended and the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fowler offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 36.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to call from labor to rest the Hon. Chas. M. Ferrell, a distinguished citizen, statesman and soldier, he having expired on the 29th day of July, 1901; and

WHEREAS, He descended from a family distinguished for learning, courage, patriotism and statesmanship, being himself the son of a noble sire; and

WHEREAS, In the late Rebellion, when the war cloud hung heavy and low over our land, he volunteered his services in the defense of the flag of his country, and as captain of Company "A" of the 29th Regiment, Illinois Volunteers, he led to the fore front one hundred brave boys in blue from their peaceful and happy home in Hardin county, Illinois, to bloody fields of carnage and war to preserve the union of these states; and

WHEREAS, His ability as a leader, his bravery as a soldier and his distinguished services in the battles of Fort Henry and Fort Donnelson, won for him the admiration of his superiors in office, and as a mark of his distinguished services in the battle of Fort Donnelson, where his brigade in command of Major General McLernand, was the first to meet the enemy and was the last to oppose it on that dreadful day, and as a mark of recognition he was commissioned lieutenant colonel of the 29th Regiment Illinois Volunteers on the 14th day of March, 1862; and

WHEREAS, On the bloody battlefield of Shiloh and Corinth again he proved his worth as a soldier and leader of men, having stood where shot and shell ranged thickest, where steel met steel, and the blood of dying soldiers hastened on in rivulets to make red the waters of the beautiful Tennessee, and as a further mark of recognition of bravery and heroism he was promoted to the rank of colonel of the 29th Regiment of Illinois Volunteers on the 4th day of September, 1862; and

WHEREAS, He was engaged in many other battles of that dreadful conflict, always deporting himself equal to the emergency, courageous and brave; and

WHEREAS, He served his State with marked distinction as State Senator from the 51st Senatorial District in the 28th General Assembly of the State of Illinois; in all these public positions, his sagacity as a citizen, his ability as a statesman, his courage and bravery as a soldier, his honor as a man, won for him the respect and love of all who knew him, and undying fame for his memory. Physically, he was large and handsome. A type of perfect physical manhood. Mentally, he was strong and attractive. Throughout his entire life, his career both public and private, was marked with a strong personality of character and devotion, which drew about him wise and good men of the best instincts. He never shifted responsibility, but always dared to stand where duty called, whether it be in private life to minister to the poor and unfortunate, or on danger's fields of hissing bullets and glittering steel; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, express its profound sorrow for his death. That the State of Illinois and the United States of America have lost an eminent statesman, a brave soldier, a loyal citizen, a truly good and great man; his friends a congenial and brilliant comrade, and his relatives a devoted, kind and loving protector, whose memory will be kept green while life shall endure; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be properly engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate, and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the relatives of the deceased, and be it further

Resolved, As a mark of respect to his memory this Senate do now adjourn until 10:00 tomorrow morning.

By unanimous consent the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration, and on motion of Mr. Fowler, the further consideration of the same was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, after the regular order of business.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 45, for "An act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections, for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes; also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 457, a bill for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, Senate Bill No. 462, a bill for "An act to regulate corporations or associations doing business by the issue and sale of bonds, certificates, debentures or other contracts on the single premium or partial payment plan, providing for State deposit of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00), State supervision and State examination, manner of proceeding in courts of jurisdiction against insolvent companies and penalties for doing business in violation of this act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 246, for "An act to amend an act concerning Canada thistles, approved and in force March 15, 1872, as amended by an act of June 27, 1885, also by adding the following sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, declaring certain weeds nuisances and provid-

ing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Small.
Alden.	Dawson.	Haas.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Helm.	Pemberton.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Putnam.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Rainey.	Watson.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Rees.	Yeas—33.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Koch.	Riley.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stubblefield introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 487, for "An act to provide for and to regulate compulsory primary elections for the nomination of party candidates for certain offices to be elected within this State, the selection of party committeemen, and the submission of propositions of public or party policy,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stubblefield, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Berry (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 488, for "An act to regulate foreign corporations doing business in this State,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend line 29 of printed bill by inserting in line 29, after the word "them" the words "or for;" and amend line 30 by inserting the words "the mining and sale of coal".

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 476, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hays,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	Kunz,	Riley,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Small,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fowler,	Pemberton,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 344, for "An act to amend article I of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Small,
Andrus,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Walter.
Clark,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Rees,	
Dixon,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Riley,	Yeas—30.
Evans,	Jandus,			

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Burnett.	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

At 5:45 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Honorable John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Dawson, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 206.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes, approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," by adding section No. 108a.

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 337.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 488.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 765.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act regarding fees for the incorporation and the increase of capital stock of companies and corporations in this State,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Passed the House April 15, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 698.

A bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to give to companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Passed the House April 15, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 206, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes, approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,' by adding a section, No. 108a,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufac-

ture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on License and Miscellany.

House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 698, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to Committee on Municipalities.

House Bill No. 765, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act regarding fees for the incorporation and the increase of capital stock of companies and corporations in this State,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,' as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, was referred to Committee on Corporations.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 315.

A bill for an act to amend sections 4, 12, 13, 16 and 18 of article I; section 3 of article III; section 1 of article VI; sections 1, 2 and 13 of article VII; sections 1 and 7 of article VIII; section 5 of article XI and section 3 of article XIII of "An act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by act approved and in force April 15, 1875, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by act approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 395.

A bill for an act authorizing the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies, associations or corporations doing business in the State of Illinois and conferring jurisdictions upon the courts in respect thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 185.

A bill for an act making it unlawful for a corporation to engage in the practice of law.

SENATE BILL No. 289.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 91 of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both Houses, and on the 16th day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 91.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898, and in force Feb. 25, 1898.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 409.

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an act approved April 19, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, and by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and by an act approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 460, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with a substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the original bill be laid on the table and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the original bill was ordered to lie on the table, and the substitute, being Senate Bill No. 489, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," was,

Under the rules, read at large a first time, ordered to a second reading, and to be printed.

And, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 121, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of titles, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 414, for "An act to provide for the condemnation of the joint users of street railway tracks and stationary appliances in cities and villages," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 464, for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

And by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders,

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 468, for "An act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof, under the care or patronage of any religious denomination, where they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created can not be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 481, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation

for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 482, for "An act to insure better protection of the public from accidents arising out of elevator service," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 463, for "An act to amend section 48 of an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 479, for "An act to amend section 47 of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 490, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Rees (by request) introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 491, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for park purposes and for the improvement of the same for the use and benefit of the Illinois Society and to the people of the State of Illinois in general," which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Juul rising to a question of privilege, submitted the following:

SPRINGFIELD, April 16, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate of Illinois:

I hereby beg leave to tender my resignation from the Committee on Appropriations and respectfully request that said resignation take effect immediately.

NIELS JUUL.

There being no objection thereto, it was accepted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," the pending question being the motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill passed April 8, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof," on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Small, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," on the order of second reading.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend section one (1) of printed bill by inserting in line four (4) after the word "court" the following: "Or in the recorder's office in counties having a recorder."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 605, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the product of their skill and industry," which, having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments reported from the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions April 15, 1903:

Amend by inserting the word "wilfully" after the word "person" in line 3 of section 26 of the printed bill.

Amend by inserting after the word "and" in line 18, section 13 of printed bill, the following; "reported to the Governor and by him."

The question then being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Stubblefield offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend section 25 of printed bill by striking out of line 2 of section 25 the words and figures "May 21, 1904," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1905."

And amend line 7 of section 25 by striking out the words and figures "May 1, 1904," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1905."

Mr. Dawson moved to lay the foregoing amendments on the table. Which motion was lost.

Pending the consideration of the bill and amendments,

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration thereof was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 214, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Stubblefield offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 214.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

That an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, be and the same is hereby amended by adding the following section, number "2a."

Section 2a. That licenses to practice osteopathy shall be granted by the State Board of Health to all applicants of good moral character who pass the regular examination of such board, in anatomy, histology, physiology, obstetrics, gynecology, pathology, urinalysis, toxicology, hygiene and dietetics, diagnosis, theory and practice of osteopathy and present to said Board a diploma from a regular college of osteopathy maintaining the standard of the associated colleges of osteopathy in its requirements for matriculation and graduation and requiring personal attendance for at least four terms of

five months each. The fee for examination and for a certificate shall be fifteen dollars (\$15 00), ten dollars (\$10.00) for an examination and five dollars (\$5.00) for a certificate if issued.

The State Board of Health shall appoint an examiner who shall be a graduate of a recognized college of osteopathy and who shall examine applicants upon the theory and practice of osteopathy. He shall receive therefor five dollars (\$5.00) and the State Board of Health the balance of the fee. All reputable graduates of regular colleges of osteopathy who were practicing in this State prior to March 1, 1903, and who shall be recommended to said board by the executive committee of the Illinois State Osteopathic association, shall, upon application, without examination, be granted a license to practice osteopathy, provided such application for such license is made within ninety (90) days from the passage of this act: *Provided, further*, That a physician's certificate issued by a reputable college of osteopathy after an attendance of not less than two terms of five months each may be accepted by the board on the same terms as a diploma and the holder be subject to the same regulation in all other respects as other applicants before the board: *Provided, further*, That the board may in its discretion dispense with an examination in the case:

First—Of an osteopath duly authorized to practice osteopathy in any other state or territory or the District of Columbia who presents a certificate or license issued after an examination by the legally constituted board of such state, territory or District of Columbia, accorded only to applicants of equal grade with those required in Illinois. The fee for the issuance of such certificate or license shall be ten dollars (\$10.00.)

Second—An osteopath who has been in actual practice for the period of five years, who is a graduate of a reputable college of osteopathy, who may desire to change his residence to Illinois, and who makes application on a form to be prescribed by the board, accompanied by a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Osteopaths when so licensed shall have the same rights and privileges, and be subject to the same statutes and regulations as other physicians, but shall not have the right to give or prescribe drugs or to perform surgical operations.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Amend title by striking out the words and figures "Section two (2) of," and insert at end of title, "by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 2a."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, Senate Bill No. 45, a bill for "An act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes; also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the consideration of the bill was made a special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, Senate Bill No. 5, a bill for "An act to extend the powers of city councils in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Municipalities April 2, 1903:

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by adding the words, "the character of" after the word "regulate" in line 4.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by striking out the word "prohibit" in line 5, and substituting the words "to control the location of."

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by striking out all the words after the word "buildings" in line 6.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fuller, Senate Bill No. 419, a bill for "An act to amend section 48 of article 3 of an act to establish and maintain a system of free schools, approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions March 26, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 419 by striking out the words "a majority" in line 21 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 451, a bill for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fireproof, and providing penalties for violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 461, a bill for "An act to amend section 1a of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

On motion of Mr. Alden, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Watson, Senate Bill No. 468, a bill for "An act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof under the care or patronage of any religious denomination where they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created can not be carried out authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, House Bill No. 507, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning villages and incorporated towns,' approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Friday, April 17, 1903, immediately after the daily order of business.

Senate Bill No. 239, for "An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, said section 20 being amended by act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Helm.	Pemberton.	Stringer.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hughes.	Powers.	Stubblefield.
Andrus.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Rainey.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farnum.	Koch.	Rees.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Kunz.	Riley.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Mueller.	Small.	Yeas—32.
Clark.	Haas	Parker.		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Haas from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 245, for "An act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers, and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 403, for "An act to amend section 218 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill 'pass?'" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson.
Burnett,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Mueller,	Riley,	Yeas—29.
Coleman,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Stringer,	
Dunlap,	Humphrey,			

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Dawson. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hughes, House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment reported from the Committee on Municipalities April 15, 1903:

Amend by striking out in line 10, the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Mr. Walter offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend the amendment by striking out the figures "8,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "20,000."

Mr. Albertsen moved to lay the amendment to the amendment on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 8, nays, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Dunlap,	Fort, Gardner,	Hall, Juil,	McCabe, Putnam,	Yeas—8.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden, Berry, Burnett, Butler, Clark, Coleman.	Dawson, Farnum, Farrelly, Fowler, Fuller, Helm,	Humphrey, Jandus, Lundberg, Maher, Parker,	Powers, Raineey, Rees, Small, Stringer,	Templeton, Townsend, Walter, Watson. Nays—26.
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The question being, "Shall the amendment to the amendment be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment, as amended, be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Walter, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

A message from the House by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 186.

A bill for an act for the relief of the blind.

HOUSE BILL NO. 822.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, Watertown.

HOUSE BILL NO. 823.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, Watertown.

HOUSE BILL NO. 824.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, Kankakee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 825.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, Kankakee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 479.

A bill for an act to amend section 41 of the Criminal Code in relation to the destruction of Canada thistles and other noxious weeds.

Passed the House April 16, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An act for the relief of the blind,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to second reading.

House Bill No. 479, a bill for "An act to amend section forty-one of the criminal code in relation to the destruction of Canada thistles and other noxious weeds,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 822, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, Watertown,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 823, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, Watertown,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 824, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, Kankakee,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 825, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, Kankakee,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 311, for "An act to amend sections 6, 10 and 19 of an act entitled, 'An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Butler,	Farnum,	Juul,	Mueller,	Rainey,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Parker,	Riley.
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Powers,	
Dawson,	Humphrey,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas—20.
Dixon,	Jandus,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Alden,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Rees,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Port,	Koch,	Small,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	McCabe,	Stringer,	Watson.
Burnett,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,	Nays—26.
Coleman,	Gardner,			

Mr. Berry moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill failed to pass.

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 409, for "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning corporations,' approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879, and by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, and by an act approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; Nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Small,	Yeas—37.
Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stringer,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dunlap,	Kunz,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Jandus moved that the foregoing vote whereby the bill passed be reconsidered, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

At 12:25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Berry, the Senate adjourned until Friday, April 17, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator John Humphrey, presiding, he having been designated by the Senate to preside during today's session.

Prayer by Rev. M. N. Powers, Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 483, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to remedy the evils consequent upon the destruction of any public records by fire or otherwise,' approved and in force April 9, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 11, for "An act making appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 22, for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 25, for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State Charitable Institutions herein named" reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 26, for "An act making appropriations for the State Charitable Institutions herein named," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 34, for "An act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 35, for "An act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 46, for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 53, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University at Normal, Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 110, for "An act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois,"

reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 111, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 124, for "An act making appropriations for the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children at Lincoln, Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr Gardner, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 201, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 203, for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 204, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 207, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 213, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 436, for "An act to provide for the repair of the State Capital Building at Springfield, Illinois," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 341, for "An act making appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for the salaries of the officers of the State Government," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 400, for "An act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on the battlefield of Shiloh," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 163.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Illinois Farmer's Institute and County Farmers' Institutes.

SENATE BILL NO. 366.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 437.

A bill for an act to regulate and control the investment and safe keeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such so-

cieties to deposit their reserve fund securities in the custody of the State of Illinois, and provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 49.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved and in force June 19, 1893.

SENATE BILL No. 456.

A bill for an act amending section 4 of "An act concerning local improvements."

SENATE BILL No. 462.

A bill for an act to regulate corporations or associations doing business by the issue and sale of bonds, certificates, debentures or other contracts on the single premium or partial payment plan, providing for State deposit of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), State supervision and State examination, manner of proceeding in courts of jurisdiction against insolvent companies and penalties for doing business in violation of this act.

SENATE BILL No. 457.

A bill for an act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon.

SENATE BILL No. 261.

A bill for an act requiring the recording of surveys.

SENATE BILL No. 214.

A bill for an act to amend an act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 2a.

SENATE BILL No. 5.

A bill for an act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns.

SENATE BILL No. 419.

A bill for an act to amend section 48 of article 3 of "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.

SENATE BILL No. 461.

A bill for an act to amend section 1a of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 468.

A bill for an act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof under the

care or patronage of any religious denomination where they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created can not be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation.

SENATE BILL NO. 45.

A bill for an act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections, for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes. Also creating a board of voting machine commissioners, and defining its duties.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 236, for "An act concerning reserves for insurance companies writing personal, accident and liability insurance policies," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 418, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to incorporate and to govern casualty insurance companies in this State and of other states doing business in the State of Illinois, and providing and fixing the punishment of violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith,' in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 363, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefit to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State;' and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' by adding thereto an additional section to be designated as section 9 $\frac{1}{2}$," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 364, for "An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved and in force May 27, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 399, for "An act to regulate the business of insurance, and to prevent unauthorized individuals, copartnerships and associations from doing any insurance business in this State," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 698, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Dixon, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 490, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Dixon, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 59, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 426.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintenance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding in the county of LaSalle and the State of Illinois, to the memory of the sixteen men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians under the Chief Blackhawk, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1832.

HOUSE BILL No. 786.

A bill for an act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 774.

A bill for an act to amend section 9 of article 2 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed the House April 16, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 713.

A bill for an act to amend section 59 of an act entitled, "An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof, entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes; and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts, herein entitled and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.

HOUSE BILL No. 714.

A bill for an act to require drainage districts, lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying into a lower drainage district, whether such districts be organized under the same or different drainage laws of this State, to pay to the lower drainage district for benefits received, if any, by the lands of the upper district, by the enlarging or improving of the ditches or drains of the lower district, or the construction of an outlet or outlets for the ditches or drains of the lower district, within or outside the boundaries of said lower district; and to provide for the collection and payment of such benefits.

Passed the House April 16, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 195.

A bill for an act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 273.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat, by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and to provide for the punishment thereof," approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

HOUSE BILL No. 409.

A bill for an act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices," approved Feb. 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 785.

A bill for an act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois.

Passed the House April 16, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 802.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 100,000 inhabitants."

HOUSE BILL No. 827.

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of chapter 37 of an act fixing the terms of holding court in the several judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county, approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897.

HOUSE BILL No. 37.

A bill for an act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for penalty for a violation of this act.

Passed the House April 16, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 109.

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to provide for additional judges of the Circuit and Superior courts of the county of Cook," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House April 16, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for a penalty for violation of this act."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 195, a bill for "An act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 273, a bill for 'An act to amend an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and to provide for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 409, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled. 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874. in force July 1, 1874."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 426, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintainance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding, in the County of LaSalle and State of Illinois, to the memory of the sixteen men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians, under the Chief Blackhawk, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1832,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 713, a bill for "An act to amend section 59 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled and to repeal certain laws therein named,' approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

House Bill No. 714, a bill for "An act to require drainage districts lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying into a lower drainage district, whether such districts be organized under the same or different drainage laws of this State to pay to the lower drainage districts, for benefits received, if any, by the lands of the upper district, by the enlarging or improving of the ditches or drains of the lower district, or the construction of an outlet or outlets for the ditches or drains of the lower district, within or outside the boundaries of said lower district, and to provide for the collection and payment of such benefits,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, was referred to Committee on Waterways and Drainage.

House Bill No. 774, a bill for "An act to amend section 9 of article 2 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 785, a bill for "An act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 786, a bill for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 802, a bill for an act entitled, "An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employé's pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 100,000 inhabitants,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

House Bill No. 827, a bill for "An act to amend section 7 of chapter 37 of an act fixing the terms of holding court in the several judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county," approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, was ordered to a second reading.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

WHEREAS, The court house in and for the county of Clark, and State of Illinois, located at Marshall, Illinois, was on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1902, destroyed by fire; and,

WHEREAS, The said fire totally destroyed the law library contained in said court house, consisting of Illinois Supreme Court reports and Illinois Appellate Court reports;

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That the Secretary of State of Illinois be, and is hereby, instructed to immediately furnish the said Clark county with a complete set of Illinois Supreme Court reports and Appellate Court reports of this State.

Adopted by the House April 16, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, the foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was decided in the affirmative.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 492, for "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Fort introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 493, for "An act to compel common carriers to furnish cars for shippers without undue delay,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fort, was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Farnum introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 494, for "An act to provide for the regulation and license of private detectives, detective agencies and information bureaus,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

Mr. Templeton introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 495, for "An act to suppress pigeon shooting and similar sport,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Lundberg introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 496, for "An act to authorize the connecting of Lincoln Park with Lake Front or Grant Park, over and upon the submerged lands of the State of Illinois,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Lundberg, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 507, for "An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns," approved June 9, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.
Alden.
Berry.
Burnett.
Butler.
Campbell.
Clark.
Dawson.

Dixon.
Dunlap.
Evans.
Farnum.
Farrelly.
Fort.
Fowler.
Fuller.

Gardner.
Hall.
Humphrey.
Koch.
Kunz.
Lundberg.
Maher.

McCabe.
Mueller.
Pemberton.
Powers.
Putnam.
Raine.
Rees.

Small.
Stringer.
Templeton.
Townsend.
Walter.
Watson.
Yeas—36.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, Senate Bill No. 45, a bill for "An act to provide for the use of voting machines, at elections, for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes; also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend section 11 of the printed bill by inserting in line 12, after the word "columns" the words "which parties may, if desired, be divided into parallel and continuous rows or columns."

Amend section 15 of the printed bill by striking out the word "dial" in line 4.

Amend section 18 of the printed bill by striking out in line 2, the words, "a paper recording roll" and substituting therefor the words, "any recording device."

Amend section 18 of the printed bill by striking out in line 4 the word "roll" and substituting therefor the word "device."

Amend section 18 of the printed bill by striking out in line 6 the word "roll" and substituting therefor the word "device."

Amend section 18 of the printed bill by striking out in line 9 the word "roll" and substituting therefor the word "device."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, Senate Bill No. 479, a bill for "An act to amend section 47 of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time; and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" It was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 457, a bill for "An act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and,

On motion of Mr. Clark, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hall, Senate Bill No. 451, a bill for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fire proof, and providing penalties for violation thereof, was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Hall offered the following amendments, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 451, by adding after the word "halls" on line six (6) the following: "Of more than two stories in height."

Amendment to Senate Bill 451.

Amend printed bill by inserting after the word "buildings" in line 1, section 3, the following: "More than two stories in height and having a ground plan of not less than 50 by 100 feet."

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

And by unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Hall, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 366, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Pemberton.
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg.	Powers,
Berry,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher.	Rees.
Burnett,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie.	Small.
Butler,	Farnum,	Humphrey.	Mueller	Templeton.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Parker,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, House Bill No. 604, for "An act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Evans,	Kunz,	Rees,	Watson.
Campbell,	Farnum,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	Yeas—27.
Clark,	Farrelly,	Maher,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Senate Bill No. 437, for "An act to regulate and control the investment and safekeeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such societies to deposit their reserve fund securities in the custody of the State of Illinois, and provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Fort,	Pemberton,	Townsend
Alden,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Powers,	Walter.
Berry,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Evans,	Koch,	Rees,	
Clark,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Stringer,	Yeas—27.
Coleman,	Farrelly,	Mueller,	Templeton,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 429, a bill for "An act to regulate the sale and barter, and prevent speculation in grain or other products," on the order of third reading, was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 477, a bill for "An act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an act to revise the law in relation to counties, approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the house by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 641.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois." approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively.

Passed the House April 17, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 641, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively,'"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on License and Miscellany.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, Senate Bill No. 467, a bill for "An act to amend section 63 of article V of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all amendments thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stringer introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 497, for "An act to amend section nine (9) of 'An act concerning Circuit Courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Stringer, was ordered to second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, Senate Bill No. 121, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

Mr. Mueller offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Strike out the title of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill for an act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an act therein named." Also strike out in section 1 all after the word "Assembly" down to the word "that" in line 7.

Amend bill by adding the following:

"Section 5. That an act entitled, 'An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, be, and is hereby repealed.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 434, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act for the protection of bank depositors,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 463, a bill for "An act to amend section 48 of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Powers, Senate Bill No. 330, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Powers offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend title of bill by inserting, after the word "amend," "section six"(6) of."

Insert, after the words and figures "July 1, 1874," the following:

"Section 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:* That section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 6."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 11:25 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Monday, April 20, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President and the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by Senator Pemberton, he having been designated by the Senate to preside during today's session.

The journal of Friday, April 17, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Rees, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the order of reading bills of the Senate the second time was taken up for consideration.

Senate Bill No. 11, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said Reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 22, a bill for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 25, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That there be, and is hereby, appropriated for the purpose of defraying the ordinary expenses of the State institutions named in this act, for the year

beginning July 1, 1903, the sum of \$1,702,150, payable quarterly in advance, and the said appropriations shall be apportioned between the said institutions as follows: To the

Northern Hospital for the Insane at Elgin.....	\$185,000 00
Eastern Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee	372,000 00
Central Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville.....	185,000 00
Western Hospital for the Insane at Watertown	101,500 00
Southern Hospital for the Insane at Anna.....	115,000 00
Asylum for the Incurable Insane at Bartonville.....	105,000 00
Asylum for Insane Criminals at Chester.....	35,000 00
Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb at Jacksonville.....	110,000 00
Institution for the Education of the Blind at Jacksonville.....	55,000 00
Asylum for Feeble-minded Children at Lincoln	107,000 00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.....	176,000 00
Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal.....	62,500 00
Soldiers' Widows' Home at Wilmington.....	18,000 00
Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary at Chicago.....	40,150 00
State Training School for Girls at Geneva.....	35,000 00
Total.....	\$1,702,150 00

Section 2. For the purpose of defraying the ordinary expenses of the said State institutions for the year beginning July 1, 1904, the sum of \$1,972,150 is appropriated, payable quarterly in advance, and the said appropriation shall be apportioned between the said institutions as follows, and at the same rate thereafter, until the expiration of the first fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next General Assembly, as follows: To the

Northern Hospital for the Insane at Elgin.....	\$185,000 00
Eastern Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee	372,000 00
Central Hospital for the Insane, Jacksonville	185,000 00
Western Hospital for the Insane at Watertown	151,500 00
Southern Hospital for the Insane at Anna.....	160,000 00
Asylum for Incurable Insane at Bartonville.....	195,000 00
Asylum for Insane Criminals at Chester.....	35,000 00
Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb at Jacksonville.....	110,000 00
Institution for the Blind at Jacksonville.....	55,000 00
Asylum for Feeble-minded Children at Lincoln	182,000 00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.....	176,000 00
Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal.....	62,500 00
Soldiers' Widows' Home at Wilmington.....	18,000 00
Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary at Chicago	40,150 00
State Training School for Girls at Geneva.....	45,000 00
Total.....	\$1,972,150 00

Section 3. All moneys herein appropriated shall be due and payable to the trustees of the several institutions named, or to their order, only on the terms and in the manner provided in the nineteenth section of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the State Charitable Institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 26, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 26 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That the following sums be, and are hereby, appropriated to the State institutions named in this act, for the purposes herein stated, for the two years

beginning July 1st, 1903, the sum of \$1,150,908.50, and that said appropriation shall be apportioned between the institutions and shall be payable as herein stated, as follows:

TO THE NORTHERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, ELGIN.

Repairs and improvements, \$10,000 per annum.....	\$20,000
Painting, per annum, \$2,000.....	4,000
Maintenance of steam plant, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Care and improvement of grounds, \$1,500 per annum.....	3,000
Maintenance of library, \$500 per annum.....	1,000
Furniture.....	4,000
Live stock.....	1,000
Farm buildings and implements.....	2,000
Fencing.....	500
Three fire escapes.....	2,400
Cold storage and ice plant.....	20,000
New roof on main building.....	10,000
Machinery for work-shop.....	700
Machinery for laundry.....	700
Total.....	\$73,300

TO THE EASTERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, KANKAKEE.

Repairs and improvements, \$25,000 per annum.....	\$50,000
Improvement and care of garden, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Improvement of grounds, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Cement walks and curbing, \$2,500 per annum.....	5,000
Farm implements and live stock, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Repairing slate roofs, \$1,000 per annum.....	2,000
Iron beds, to replace old beds.....	5,000
Material and tools for work-shop, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
New furniture, \$6,000 per annum.....	12,000
Pathological laboratory, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Library, \$1,000 per annum.....	2,000
Painting, \$4,000 per annum.....	8,000
Maintenance of fire department, \$1,000 per annum.....	2,000
Re-setting windows.....	5,000
New brick farm building.....	30,000
Telephone system.....	3,000
Pipe coverings.....	3,500
Total.....	\$147,500

TO THE CENTRAL HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, JACKSONVILLE.

Repairs and improvements, \$10,000 per annum.....	\$20,000 00
Cement walks, \$1,500 per annum.....	3,000 00
Stand pipe and hose tower.....	4,200 00
Ice plant.....	6,500 00
Iron stairways for protection and necessary connections.....	10,000 00
Improvement of grounds, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000 00
Plumbing.....	7,000 00
Library, \$500 per annum.....	1,000 00
Painting, \$5,000 per annum.....	10,000 00
Live stock.....	2,000 00
Farm implements.....	500 00
Fencing, \$500 per annum.....	1,000 00
Paving street.....	5,268 50
Total.....	\$74,468 50

TO THE WESTERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, WATERTOWN.

Repairs and improvements, \$3,000 per annum.....	\$ 6,000
Library, \$250 per annum.....	500
Improvement of grounds, \$2,500 per annum.....	5,000
Enlarging kitchen and bath rooms.....	10,000
New boiler.....	4,500
New engine and dynamo.....	3,500
Draining farm.....	2,500
Farm implements and live stock.....	1,000
Carpenter shop and patients' workshop.....	5,000
Water supply and standpipe.....	4,000
New building, complete, including plumbing, heating and furnishing.....	125,000
Total.....	\$167,000

TO THE SOUTHERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, ANNA.

Repairs and improvements, \$10,000 per annum.....	\$20,000
Improvement of grounds, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
Library, \$300 per annum.....	600
Farm implements and live stock, \$1,250 per annum.....	2,500
Pumping station and machinery for new well.....	3,500
Four fire escapes.....	3,200
Cement walks.....	3,000
Enlarging kitchen.....	2,500
New barn.....	5,000
Total	\$44,300

TO THE ASYLUM FOR THE INCURABLE INSANE, BARTONVILLE.

Repairs and improvements, \$5,000 per annum.....	\$ 10,000
Improvement of grounds, \$10,000 per annum.....	20,000
For building and furnishing eight additional cottages, including dining rooms..	220,000
For sewers and connections for new buildings.....	2,000
New boiler.....	4,500
New dynamo.....	3,000
Water system.....	15,000
Total	\$274,500

TO THE ASYLUM FOR INSANE CRIMINALS, CHESTER.

Repairs and improvements, \$2,000 per annum	\$4,000
Library, \$100 per annum.....	200
Total	\$4,200

TO THE INSTITUTION FOR THE EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB,
JACKSONVILLE.

Repairs and improvements, \$8,000 per annum	\$16,000
Library, \$500 per annum.....	1,000
Water supply.....	5,000
Plumbing and heating.....	7,000
School library and studio (additional appropriation).....	25,000
To extend trade teaching.....	2,000
To purchase two new boilers and one new dynamo, reset old boilers and reconstruct and rebuild boiler house.....	20,000
Total	\$76,000

TO THE INSTITUTION FOR THE EDUCATION OF THE BLIND, JACKSONVILLE

Repairs and improvements, for first year, \$7,500; for second year, \$3,500.....	\$11,000
Materials for printing department, \$500 per annum	1,000
Carriage, barn and paint shop.....	3,000
Library and apparatus, \$400 per annum.....	800
Total.....	\$15,800

TO THE ASYLUM FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, LINCOLN.

Repairs and improvements, \$15,000 per annum	\$30,000
Improvement of grounds, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
For library and school books, \$500 per annum.....	1,000
For paving roads along State grounds	9,000
For constructing new brick smokestack.....	5,000
Total.....	\$49,000

TO THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME, QUINCY.

For repairs and improvements, \$10,000 per annum	\$20,000
Improvement of grounds, \$1,000 per annum.	2,000
Library, \$600 per annum.....	1,200
Reconstructing steam heating plant.....	4,000
Plumbing in cottages	8,000
Water mains and fire plugs.....	2,500
Improvement of cemetery	1,000
Total.....	\$38,700

TO SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME, NORMAL.

Repairs and improvements, for first year, \$7,000; for second year, \$4,000.....	\$11,000
Library, \$300 per annum	600
Well and pump	500
Completing and equipping hospital.....	2,000
For piano for kindergarten school	300
Total.....	\$14,400

TO THE SOLDIERS' WIDOWS' HOME, WILMINGTON.

Repairs and improvements, \$500 per annum.....	\$1,000
Improvement of grounds, \$100 per annum.....	200
Concrete walks	540
Brick barn	1,500
New power house.....	3,000
Total.....	\$6,240

TO THE CHARITABLE EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY, CHICAGO.

Repairs and improvements \$2,500 per annum.....	\$ 5,000
Library and amusements, \$150 per annum.....	300
For the purchase of ground and the construction of buildings for the care of infectious and contagious diseases.....	75,000
Total.....	\$80,300

TO THE STATE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, GENEVA.

Repairs and improvements, \$3,000 per annum	\$ 6,000
Improvement of grounds, \$500 per annum.....	1,000
Paroling and discharging girls, \$500 per annum	1,000
Library, \$100 per annum.....	200
Farm implements, live stock and vehicles, \$250 per annum.....	500
Two new cottages	36,000
Furniture for two new cottages	3,000
New boilers	3,500
Extension to boiler house.....	1,500
Smoke stack	3,500
Ice house.....	1,000
Deficiency in 1901 ordinary for second year	8,000
New chapel.....	20,000
Total.....	\$85,200

Section 2. The moneys herein appropriated shall be due and payable to the trustees of the several institutions herein named, or their order, only on the terms and in the manner now provided by law.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 34, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 11 the words and figures, "and annex, \$50,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$25,000.00."

Amendment No. 2.

Also after line 11 strike out the figures "\$68,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "total \$43,000.00."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 35, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 46, a bill for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 53, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 111, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 110, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale, Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 3 of section 1 the figures "\$30,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000.00."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 201, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 17, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 5 of section 1 the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five hundred dollars (\$500.00)."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 203, a bill for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural society,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time together with the following amendments thereto reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend printed bill by striking out in lines 3 and 4 the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500)."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out in lines 11 and 12 the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five hundred dollars (\$500)."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 204, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 2 of section 1 the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 207, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in lines 3 and 4 of section 1 the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five hundred dollars (\$500.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 213, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in lines 2 and 3 the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1000.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 341, a bill for "An act for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly and for the salaries of the officers of the State government,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 400, a bill for "An act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on the battlefield of Shiloh,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 436, a bill for "An act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol building at Springfield, Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 17, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by inserting after the word "Illinois" the following: "and making appropriations therefor."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend printed bill by striking out all of line 14 of page 2.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 5:10 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Farnum, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President, and the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by Senator Pemberton, who was designated by the Senate to preside during today's session.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 498, for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, House Bill No. 9, a bill for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, House Bill No. 245, a bill for "An act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Haas, Senate Bill No. 481, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Haas, Senate Bill No. 482, a bill for "An act to insure better protection of the public from accidents arising out of elevator service,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 827, a bill for "An act to amend section seven of chapter thirty-seven of an act fixing the terms of holding court in the several judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner, at the request of Mr. Pemberton, offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend House Bill No. 827 by striking out the word "third" in line 8 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "second."

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An act for the relief of the blind,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 477, a bill for "An act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874," on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Riley, Senate Bill No. 353, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of 'An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 362, a bill for "An act to amend section 26 of an act entitled, 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Des-plaines and Illinois Rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 483, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to remedy the evils consequent upon the destruction of any public records by fire or otherwise,' approved and in force April 9, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The acting President of the Senate presented a petition from Local Union No. 208, Musicians' Protective Union, Chicago, protesting against the passage of what is known as the Chicago Board of Education Bill, which,

On motion of Mr. Farnum, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

At 10:15 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Farnum, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Young, Assistant Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
STATE OF ILLINOIS,
SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 22, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The House extends an invitation to the President of the Senate, to the Senators and to the officers of the Senate to attend the memorial exercises in honor of the late Governor John P. Altgeld, to be held in Representatives' hall at 4:00 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 22, 1903.

J. H. MILLER,
Speaker.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Bailey, the foregoing invitation was accepted, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate would attend in a body.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," on the order of second reading, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Civil Service April 14, 1903:

Amend section 6 of House Bill No. 1 by striking out on line 23 the word "provided," and those that follow to line 39, and ending with the word "examination."

Amend section 33 of House Bill No. 1 by striking out the word "person" on the first line of said section and insert in lieu thereof the words, "commissioner, examiner, employé or agent of the commission;" also amend said section by inserting after the word "act" on line 2 the words, "or any rule promulgated in accordance with the provisions thereof."

Amend House Bill No. 1 by striking out all of section 38.

On motion of Mr. Burnett, the foregoing amendments were ordered taken up separately, and the question being, "Shall the first amendment be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 9.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Small,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Juul,	Parker,	Stringer,
Butler,	Dunlap,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry,	Evans,	Gardner,	Helm,	Koch,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Humphrey,	Nays—9.

Mr. Parker offered the following substitute for the second committee amendment, which was adopted:

Section 33. Penalties. Any person who shall wilfully, or through culpable negligence, violate any of the provisions of this act, and any commissioner, agent or employé of the commissioner who shall wilfully or through culpable negligence, violate any rule governing examinations, appointments, promotions or removals, promulgated in accordance with the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

The question then being, "Shall the third committee amendment be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dixon,	Juul,	Rainey,	Templeton.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Lundberg	Rees,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—23.
Coleman,	Hall,	Mueller,	Stringer,	
Dawson,	Jandus,	Parker,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Walter.
Berry,	Fort,	Koch,	Powers,	
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Nays—28.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend by adding after the word "laborers" in line 24, section 12, page 9 of the printed bill, the following:

"*Provided:* That not to exceed ten (10) per cent of the employes in any institution may be finally discharged during each calendar year by the superintendent of such institution for incompetency, neglect of duty or immorality; the superintendent shall in each case file a written statement with the commission, setting forth the reasons for such removal and shall endorse on said report the words, "final discharge." The commission may investigate the cause of such final discharge of any employe from service, if in their judgment the circumstances justify, and shall have power to reinstate the person discharged.

Mr. Dawson moved that the foregoing amendment be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Farrelly.	Hall.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Butler.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Parker.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Watson.
Dawson.	Haas.	Maher.	Rees.	Yeas—20.
Dixon.				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Fuller.	Koch.	Riley.
Andrus.	Coleman.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Small.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Evans.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Townsend.
Berry.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Burnett.	Fort.			Nays—27.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Dunlap be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. McKenzie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Commissioners appointed—Oath.] The Governor shall within thirty days after this act shall take effect appoint three persons as civil service commissioners to hold office, one until two years, one until four years and one until six years, from the first day of March, A. D. 1903, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualified, and they shall constitute the civil service commission for charitable institutions. And on the first day of March, A. D. 1905, and at the end of every two years thereafter the Governor shall in like manner, and by and with the consent of the Senate, appoint one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such commissioner for six years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified. Two commissioners shall constitute a quorum. All appointments to said commission, both original and to fill vacancies, shall be made so that not more than two commissioners shall at the time of appointment be members of the same political party. Said commissioners shall hold no other lucrative office or employment under the United States, the State of Illinois or any other municipal corporation or political division of the State. Each commissioner before entering upon the duties of his office shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of the State.

Section 2. Removal of Commissioners—Vacancy.] The Governor may remove any commissioner from office for want of moral character, incompetency, neglect of duty or malfeasance in office. At the time of such removal the Governor shall report the same in writing with the cause to the Senate. If the Legislature shall not be in session, then such report shall be filed with the Secretary of State and be by him transmitted to the Senate within ten days after the opening of the next session. Vacancy in the office of commissioner may be filled by appointment of the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session, original appointments, appointments to fill vacancy and removals may be made by the Governor, but they shall not become permanent until approved by the Senate.

Section 3. Classification.] Said commissioners shall within ninety days after their appointment classify all the offices and places of employment in the several charitable institutions of the State.

The offices and places so classified by the commission shall constitute the classified civil service of the State, and no appointments to any of such offices or places shall be made except under and according to the rules hereinafter mentioned.

Section 4. Rules] Said commission shall make rules to carry out the purpose of this act; and for examinations, appointments and removals, in accordance with its provisions; and the commission may, from time to time make changes in the original rules.

Section 5. Publication of Rules—Time of Taking Effect.] All rules made as herein provided, and all changes therein, shall forthwith be printed and distributed by said commission; and the commission shall give notice of the place or places where said rules may be obtained by publication in one or more daily newspapers of general circulation in the State, published in each of the seven largest cities in this State, according to last general census published by the United States, and in each such publication shall be specified the date, not less than ten days subsequent to the date of such publication, when said rules shall go into operation. Copies of all said rules and of all changes therein, duly certified by the commission, shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and shall also be sent to the county clerk of each county in the State within ten days after the adoption thereof, and shall by said county clerks be filed, preserved, indexed and recorded in well-bound books kept for that purpose, which files and records shall be open to the inspection of the public at all reasonable hours. Certified copies of such records shall be *prima facie* evidence of the existence in force of such rules in all courts of this State.

Section 6. Examinations.] All applicants for offices or places in any of the charitable institutions of this State, shall be subjected to examination, which shall be public, competitive and free to all citizens of the State of Illinois, with limitations specified in the rules of the commission as to residence, age, sex, health, habits and moral character. Such examinations shall be practical in their character and shall relate to those matters which will fairly test the relative capacity of the persons examined to discharge the duties of the position to which they seek to be appointed, and may include tests of physical qualifications and health, and when appropriate, of manual skill. No question in any examination shall relate to political or religious opinion or affiliations. The commission shall control all examinations, and may, whenever an examination is to take place, designate a suitable number of persons, either in or not in the official service of the State, to be examiners; and at least one of said commissioners shall attend such examinations, and it shall be the duty of such examiners, and if in the official service it shall be a part of their duty, without extra compensation, to conduct such examination as the commission may direct, and to make return or report thereof to said commission; and the commission may at any time substitute any other person, whether or not in such service, in the place of any one so selected; and the commission may themselves, at any time, act as such examiners and without appointing examiners. The examiners at any examination shall not all be members of the same political party.

Such examinations shall be held in each of the seven largest cities in the State according to the last general census published by the United States and the number of examinations to be held in each of said seven cities shall be, as near as possible, equal to the number held in each one of the others; and whenever the list of persons examined and eligible for original appointment for any position in the classified service shall be less than five, the commission shall hold an examination for such position.

Section 7. Notice of Examinations.] Notice of the time, place and general scope of every examination shall be given by the commission by publication for two weeks preceding such examination in at least two newspapers of general circulation printed and published in the city where said examination is to be held, and such publication shall not be made in more than one newspaper representing the same political party. Such notice shall also be posted in a conspicuous place in the office of the commission, and not less than 20 copies thereof shall be sent to each county clerk in this State for distribution, one copy of which shall be by each county clerk conspicuously posted in the county court house of each county.

Section 8. Registers.] From the returns or reports of examiners, or from the examinations made by the commission, the commission shall prepare a register for each grade or class of positions in the classified service of the charitable institutions of the State of the persons who shall attain such minimum mark as may be fixed by the commission for any part of such examination, and whose general average standing upon examination for such grade

or class is not less than the minimum fixed by the rules of said commission, and who are otherwise eligible; and such persons shall take rank upon the register as candidates in the order of their relative excellence as determined by examination, without reference to priority of time of examination.

Section 9. Promotions.] The commission shall by its rules provide for promotions on the basis of ascertained merit and seniority in service and examination, and shall provide in all cases where it is practicable that vacancies shall be filled by promotion. All examinations for promotion shall be competitive among such members of the next lowest grade or rank as desire to submit themselves to such examination; and it shall be the duty of the commissioners to submit to the appointing power the names of not more than three applicants for each promotion having the highest rating.

The method of examination and the rules governing the same and the method of certifying shall be the same as provided for applicants for original appointment.

Section 10. Appointments to Classified Service.] The head of a department or office in which a position classified under this act is to be filled shall notify said commission of that fact and said commission shall certify to the appointing officer the name and address of the candidate standing highest upon the register for the class or grade to which the position belongs; except that in cases of laborers, where a choice by competition is impracticable, said commission shall provide for the selection by lot from among those candidates proven to be fit for the employment by examination. In making such certification sex shall be disregarded except when some statute, the rules of the commission or the appointing power specify sex.

The appointing officer shall notify said commission of each position to be filled separately, and shall fill such place by appointment of the person certified to him by the commission therefor, which appointment shall be on probation for six months. At or before the expiration of six months the head of the department or office in which the candidate is employed, for incompetency, neglect of duty or immorality, may discharge him upon filing a written statement with the commission setting forth the reasons for such removal. If the appointee is not discharged within the period of probation, his appointment shall then become complete.

Said commission shall strike off names of candidates from the register after they have remained thereon more than two years.

Section 11. Classified Service—What Not Included.] All members of charitable boards, trustees and commissioners, superintendents of charitable institutions and one chief clerk or deputy and one stenographer for each institution to which the provisions of this act shall apply, shall not be included in the classified service.

Section 12. Removals.] No officer or employe in the classified civil service of the charitable institutions of the State, who shall have been appointed under said rules and after said examination, shall be removed or discharged except for cause, upon written charges, and after an opportunity to be heard in his own defense. Such charges shall be investigated by or before said Civil Service Commission, or by or before some officer or board appointed by said commission to conduct such investigation. The finding and decision of such commission or investigating officer or board, when approved by said commission, shall in every case be final, and shall be certified to the appointing officer and shall be forthwith endorsed by such officer. Nothing in this act shall limit the power of any officer to suspend a subordinate without pay for cause assigned in writing for a reasonable period, not exceeding thirty days. In case any such subordinate is so suspended for a second period within any consecutive six months, such second suspension shall operate as a removal under this section, when approved by the commission.

In the course of an investigation of charges, each member of the commission, and of any board so appointed by it, and any officer so appointed, shall have the power to administer oaths, and shall have the power to secure by

its subpoena both the attendance and the testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

Nothing in this section shall be construed to require such charges or investigation in the case of laborers.

Section 13. Reports to Commission.] Immediate notice in writing shall be given by the appointing power to said commission of all appointments, permanent or temporary, made in such classified civil service of the charitable institutions of the State, and of all transfers, promotions, resignations or vacancies, from any cause, in such service, and of the date thereof, and a record of the same shall be kept by said commission. When any office or place of employment is created or abolished, or the compensation attached thereto altered, the officer or board making such change shall immediately report it in writing to said commission.

Section 14. Investigations.] The commission shall investigate the enforcement of this act and of its rules, and the action of the examiners herein provided for, and the conduct and action of the appointees in said classified service; and may inquire as to the nature, tenure and compensation of all offices and places in the public service of the State. In the course of such investigation, each commissioner shall have the power to administer oaths, and said commission shall have the power to secure by its subpoena both the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

Section 15. Report of Commission.] Said commission shall on or before the 15th day of January of each year make to the Governor a report showing its own action, the rules in force, the practical effects thereof and any suggestions it may approve for the more effectual accomplishment of the purposes of this act. The Governor may require a report from said commission at any other time.

Section 16. President—Chief Examiner—Secretary of Commission.] Said commission shall select one of its members as president, one chief examiner and one secretary; and the work of said commission shall so far as possible be performed by said commissioners in person. The commission shall prescribe the duties of the president, chief examiner and secretary.

Section 17. Rooms—Meetings.] The Secretary of State shall cause suitable rooms to be provided for said commission at the Capitol in Springfield. It shall be the duty of the officers of the State or of any civil division thereof, at any place where examinations are directed by the commission or by its rules to be held, to allow the reasonable use of public buildings and rooms and to heat and light the same for holding such examinations and use all proper ways to facilitate the same.

The commission shall meet at Springfield on the first Mondays of January, March, May, July, September and November of each year, and special meetings may be called by the president or by the other two members of the commission.

Section 18. Salaries and Expenses.] Each of said commissioners shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars a year; the chief examiner, who shall be secretary, shall receive a salary of twenty-five hundred dollars a year, and said commissioners and chief examiner shall be paid their necessary traveling expenses. Any person not at the time in the official service of the State serving as a member of the board of examiners, or of a trial board, shall receive compensation for every day actually and necessarily spent in the discharge of his duty as an examiner or a member of the trial board, at the rate of not exceeding five dollars per day and necessary traveling expenses. Said commission may also incur necessary expenses for clerk hire, printing, stationery, and other incidental expenses, and the said salaries and expenses shall be allowed and paid in the same manner as the salary and expenses of the Governor's office.

Section 19. Frauds Prohibited.] No person or officer shall wilfully or corruptly, by himself or in co-operation with one or more other persons, defeat, deceive or obstruct any person in respect to his or her right of examination hereunder; or corruptly or falsely mark, grade, estimate or report upon the

examination or proper standing of any person examined hereunder, or aid in so doing; or wilfully or corruptly make any false representation concerning the same or concerning the person examined; or wilfully or corruptly furnish to any person any special or secret information for the purpose of either improving or injuring the prospects or chances of any person so examined, or to be examined, being appointed, employed or promoted.

Section 20. No Officer to Receive or Solicit Political Contributions.] No officer or employe shall solicit, orally or by letter, or receive or be in any manner concerned in soliciting or receiving any assessment, subscription or contribution from any member of the classified civil service for any party or political purpose whatever.

Section 21. No Person to Solicit Political Contributions from Officers or Employes.] No person shall solicit, orally or by letter, or be in any manner concerned in soliciting any assessment, contribution or payment for any party or political purpose whatever from any officer or employe in the classified service of the State.

Section 22. Assessments and Contributions in Public Offices Forbidden.] No person shall in any room or building occupied for the discharge of official duties by any officer or employe in the State solicit, orally or by written communication delivered therein, or in any other manner, or receive any contribution of money or other thing of value for any party or political purpose whatever from any member of the classified service of the State.

No officer, agent, clerk or employe under the government of this State who may have charge or control of any building, office or room occupied for any purpose of said government shall permit any person to enter the same for the purpose of therein soliciting or delivering written solicitations for, or receiving from, or giving notice to any member of the classified service of the State of any political assessments.

Section 23. Abuse of Official Influence Prohibited.] No officer or employe of the State shall discharge or degrade or promote or in any manner change the official rank or compensation of any officer or employe in the classified service of the State, or promise or threaten to do so for giving or withholding or neglecting to make any contribution of money or other valuable thing for any party or political purpose or for refusal or neglect to render any party or political service.

Section 24. Payment for Places Prohibited.] No applicant for appointment in said classified civil service, either directly or indirectly, shall pay or promise to pay any money or other valuable thing to any person whatever for or on account of his appointment, or proposed appointment, and no officer or employe in the classified service of the State shall pay or promise to pay, either directly or indirectly, any person any money or other valuable thing whatever for or on account of his promotion or proposed promotion.

Section 25. Recommendations in Consideration of Political Service Prohibited.] No applicants for appointment or promotion in said classified civil service shall ask for or receive a recommendation or assistance from any officer or employe in said service or from any person upon the consideration of any political service to be rendered to or for such person, or for the promotion of such person to any office or appointment.

Section 26. Abuse of Political Influence Prohibited.] No person while holding an office or position in the classified service of the State or in nomination for, or while seeking a nomination for or appointment to any such office, shall corruptly use or promise to use, either directly or indirectly, any official authority or influence (whether then possessed or merely anticipated) in the way of conferring upon any person, or in order to secure or aid any person in securing any office or public employment in the classified service, or any nomination, confirmation, promotion or increase of salary, upon the consideration or condition that the vote or political influence or action of the last named person or any other shall be given or used in behalf of any candidate, officer or party, or upon any other corrupt condition or consideration.

Section 27. Auditing Officers.] The Governor shall not approve any voucher for any claim of any public officer for the services of any person employed in the classified service of the State, in violation of the provisions of this act.

Section 28. Appointments and Removals to be Certified to the State Auditor.] The commission shall certify to the State Auditor, all appointments to offices and places in the classified civil service, and all vacancies occurring therein, whether by dismissal, resignation or death; and all findings, made or approved by the commission that a person shall be discharged from the classified civil service under the provisions of section 12 of this act.

Section 29. State Auditor Shall Approve Only of Salaries of Lawful Employees.] No treasurer, paying, fiscal or auditing officer of the State shall approve the payment of or be in any manner concerned in paying, any salary or wages to any person for services, as an officer or employee in any Charitable Institution of this State, unless such person is occupying an office or place of employment according to the provisions of law, and is actually performing the duties thereof, and is entitled to payment therefor.

Section 30. Treasurer to Pay Salaries Only of Lawful Employees.] No paymaster, treasurer or other officer or agent of the State shall wilfully pay or be in any manner concerned in paying any person any salary or wages for services as an officer or employee of any charitable institution, unless such person is occupying an office or place of employment therein, according to the provisions of law, and is actually performing the duties thereof, and is entitled to payment therefor.

Section 31. Salaries to be Paid Only After Certification.] It shall be unlawful for the auditor or any other fiscal officer of the State to draw, sign or issue, or authorize the drawing, signing or issuing of any warrant on the treasurer, or any disbursing officer of the State for the payment of, or for the treasurer or other disbursing officer of the State, to pay any salary or compensation to any officer, clerk or other person in the classified service of the State, unless on an estimate, payroll or account for such salary or compensation, containing the names of the persons to be paid, and a statement of the amount to be paid, and the matter on account of which the same is to be paid, shall be filed with him, bearing the certificate of the State Civil Service Commission that the persons named in such estimate, payroll or account have been appointed, or employed, or promoted in pursuance of law and of the rules made in pursuance of this act.

Section 32. Compelling Testimony of Witnesses—Production of Books and Papers.] Any person who shall be served with a subpoena to appear and testify, or to produce books and papers, issued by the commission or by any commissioner, or by any board, or persons acting under the orders of said commission, in the course of an investigation, conducted under any of the provisions of this act, and who shall refuse or neglect to appear, or to testify, or to produce books and papers relevant to said investigation, as commanded in such subpoena, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction, be punished as provided in section 33 of this act.

The fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State.

Section 33. Penalties.] Any person who shall wilfully, or through culpable negligence, violate any of the provisions of this act, or any rule promulgated in accordance with the provisions thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Section 34. Penalties. Removal from Office.] If any person shall be convicted under the last preceding section, any public office or place of public employment which such person may hold shall, by force of such conviction, be rendered vacant.

Section 35. What Officers to Prosecute.] Prosecutions for violation of this act may be instituted either by the Attorney General or by the State's attorney for the county in which the offense is alleged to have been committed, and if the Attorney General and State's attorney shall neglect or refuse to commence a prosecution under this act upon request and information furnished by said commission, then said commission may through special counsel commence such prosecution. Suits commenced upon information furnished by said commission or by them through special counsel shall be conducted and controlled by it through the president.

Section 36. Repeal] All laws or parts of laws which are inconsistent with this act, or with any of the provisions thereof, are hereby repealed.

Amend title by inserting after the word "service" the following, "of the charitable institutions."

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the amendment, which was adopted:

Amend the amendment by striking out of lines 18 and 19, section 10, page 6, of printed amendment, the words "which reasons shall be accepted by the commission as sufficient before the removal shall occur."

Mr. Riley moved to lay the amendment offered by Mr. McKenzie on the table, and the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative, the roll call resulting as follows: Yeas, 24; nays, 24. It being a tie vote, the President of the Senate voted no, and the Senate refused to lay the amendment on the table.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Juul,	Parker,	Small,
Burnett,	Dixon,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Stringer,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rainey,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	McCabe,	Rees,	Watson.
Coleman,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Riley,	Yeas—24.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Koch,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Mr. President.
Barr,	Fort,	Helm,	Pemberton,	
Berry,	Fuller,	Hughes,	Stubblefield,	Nays—25.
Clark,	Gardner,			

Mr. Riley moved the previous question.

Which motion was decided in the negative.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the amendment, which was adopted:

Amend by adding the following, known as section 37:

There shall be placed upon the ballot at the next general election a proposition for and against the adoption of this act. If by a majority of all the votes cast in said election it shall be adopted, it shall thereafter, immediately upon the result of such election being officially declared, become effective.

On motion of Mr. Kiley, the previous question was ordered on the amendment offered by Mr. McKenzie.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment, as amended, be adopted?" and a division being taken, it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by adding after the word "laborers" in line 24, section 12, page 9 of printed bill the following:

"*Provided*, That not to exceed ten (10) per cent of the employes in any institution may be finally discharged during each calendar year, by the superintendent of such institution, for incompetency, neglect of duty, or immorality; the superintendent shall in each case file a written statement with the commission setting forth the reasons for such removal and shall endorse on said report the words "final discharge." The commission may investigate the cause of such final discharge of any employe from service, if in their judgment the circumstances justify, and shall have power to reinstate the person discharged."

Mr. Stringer offered the following amendment to the bill, as amended:

Amend section one (1) of House Bill No. 1, in the Senate, as amended, by striking out all of that part of said section following the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

At the general State election to be held on Tuesday next after the first Monday in November in the year A. D. 1904, there shall be elected by the qualified voters of this State three persons, who shall be known as Civil Service Commissioners and who shall hold such office for a term of four years from the second Monday of January next after their election and until their successors are elected and qualified and they and their successors in office shall thereafter constitute the State Civil Service Commission. In all elections for State Civil Service Commissioners hereunder, each qualified voter in the State, may cast as many votes for one candidate as there are commissioners to elect, or may distribute the same among the candidates for such office as he shall see fit, and the three candidates receiving the highest number of votes at such election shall be declared elected. *Provided*, however, that until the first commissioners elected under this act assume the duties of their office as above provided, the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of Public Accounts, State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Attorney General shall be and are hereby declared to be ex officio State Civil Service Commissioners and in addition to their duties as now provided by law shall constitute the State Civil Service Commission.

Mr. Berry moved that the foregoing amendment be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 12.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Burnett,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,	Yeas—26.
Coleman,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farrelly,	Powers,	Stringer,	Watson,
Butler,	Fowler,	Rainey,	Stubblefield,	Nays—12.
Dawson,	Janus,	Rees,		

Mr. Berry moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill until Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

On motion of Mr. Riley, the motion to postpone was laid on the table.

Mr. Fowler moved to reconsider the vote whereby the amendment offered by Mr. Berry was adopted.

Which motion was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Riley, the previous question was ordered.

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 45.

A bill for an act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes; also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties.

SENATE BILL No. 451.

A bill for an act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fireproof, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 121.

A bill for an act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of titles, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an act therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 434.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act for the protection of bank depositors," approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

SENATE BILL No. 463.

A bill for an act to amend section 48 of an act entitled, "An act providing for the primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof," approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 477.

A bill for an act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 330.

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors," approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL NO. 479.

A bill for an act to amend section 47 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

SENATE BILL NO. 466.

A bill for an act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor.

SENATE BILL NO. 385.

A bill for an act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto.

SENATE BILL NO. 25.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State Charitable Institutions herein named.

SENATE BILL NO. 26.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the State Charitable Institutions herein named.

SENATE BILL NO. 11.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902.

SENATE BILL NO. 35.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

SENATE BILL NO. 46.

A bill for an act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb, Illinois.

SENATE BILL NO. 53.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, Illinois.

SENATE BILL NO. 111.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale, Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 400.

A bill for an act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on battlefield of Shiloh.

SENATE BILL No. 22.

A bill for an act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb, Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 110.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois University, at Carbondale, Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 201.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.

SENATE BILL No. 203.

A bill for an act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.

SENATE BILL No. 204.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association.

SENATE BILL No. 207.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association.

SENATE BILL No. 213.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymens' Association.

SENATE BILL No. 341.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly and for the salaries of the officers of the State Government.

SENATE BILL No. 436.

A bill for an act to provide for the repair of the State capitol building at Springfield, Ill., and making appropriations therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 34.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 109 of the following title has been

correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 17th day of April, 1903, laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to provide for additional judges of the Circuit and Superior Courts of the county of Cook," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 102, for "An act to amend section two (2) of article (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 264, for "An act to amend section twenty-one (21), article five (5), of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 519, for "An act to amend section 80 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 9, 1891," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 714, for "An act to require drainage districts lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying into a lower drainage district, whether such districts be organized under the same or different drainage laws of this State to pay to the lower drainage district, for benefits received, if any, by the lands of the upper district, by the enlarging or improving of the ditches or drains of the lower district, or the construction of an outlet or outlets for the ditches or drains of the lower district, within or outside the boundaries of said lower district, and to provide for the collection and payment of such benefits," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 765, for an act entitled, "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act regarding fees for the incorporation and increase of the capital stock of companies and corporations in this State,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 337, for an act entitled, "An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 802, for an act entitled, "An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employés pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 448, for "An act to amend section 22 of article VI of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' in force May 21, 1889, by adding to said section 22 of article VI of said act a paragraph to be numbered twelfth," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rainey, the bill, having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Helm, from the Committee on Judicial Apportionment, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 416, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, the bill was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Hughes, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 713, for "An act to amend section 59 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 716, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 288, for "An act to amend section 18 of article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 290, for "An act to amend sections 32, 33 and 34 of article III of an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 297, for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 298, for "An act to repeal section 19 of article IV of an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 299, for "An act to amend section 17 of article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 452, for "An act authorizing school districts managed by boards of education or directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in the public schools and authorizing payment therefor from the State common school funds," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 128, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer, while serving as a private in Company 'A,' Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guards," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended to pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 475, for "An act making an appropriation for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 107, for "An act making an appropriation for the St. Charles Home for Boys," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 119, for "An act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the positions of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, and making appropriation therefor," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted and the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 38, for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 131, for "An act making appropriations for the University of Illinois," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 145, for "An act making appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop A, 1st Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, A. D.,

1902," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 200, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 132, for "An act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled 'An act' to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 153, for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent improvements and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 187, for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 146, for "An act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac for the two years beginning July 1, 1903, and ending July 1, 1905," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 206, for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 295, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 351, for "An act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 20, for "An act making appropriations for the maintenance of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal, Illinois, for the two years beginning July 1, 1903," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 352, for "An act to make appropriation for a new cell house at the Illinois State Penitentiary, Joliet," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 230, for "An act making an appropriation for the College of Engineering of the University of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 21, for "An act to provide for the erection of a monument and for markers to memorize the participation in and the positions occupied by Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg and making appropriation therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 93, for "An act for the relief of the blind," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the Committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Walter, from the Committee on Labor and Manufactures, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 260, for "An act to amend section 74 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements' approved June 14, 1897, and amended by an act approved and in force May 9, 1901, reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules, the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

By unanimous consent Mr. Evans from the Committee on Finance introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 499, for "An act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Evans, ordered to a second reading.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 243.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs.

HOUSE BILL No. 305.

A bill for an act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb.

HOUSE BILL No. 349.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association.

HOUSE BILL NO. 403.

A bill for an act appropriating eight hundred and eighty dollars (\$880.00) to reimburse the First Infantry Illinois National Guard for property turned over by said regiment to the State of Illinois at the time when said regiment was mustered into the service of the United States during the Spanish American War.

HOUSE BILL NO. 800.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Central Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville.

Passed the House April 21, 1903,

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 339.

A bill for an act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and free reading rooms," approved and in force March 7, 1872.

HOUSE BILL NO. 464.

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House April 17, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 820.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, Lincoln.

HOUSE BILL NO. 821.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children at Lincoln.

HOUSE BILL NO. 801.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, Jacksonville.

HOUSE BILL No. 784.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.

HOUSE BILL No. 783.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.

HOUSE BILL No. 89.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 28.

A bill for an act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb.

HOUSE BILL No. 811.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Passed the House April 21, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 810.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Soldiers' Widows' Home.

HOUSE BILL No. 812.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

HOUSE BILL No. 813.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.

HOUSE BILL No. 814.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Quincy.

HOUSE BILL No. 809.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Widows' Home.

HOUSE BILL No. 356.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee Keepers' Association.

HOUSE BILL No. 520.

A bill for an act making provision for the refunding of surplus funds in the State Treasury to the credit of the bond funds of counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts and other municipal corporations having bonds registered in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when such bonds have become barred by the statute.

Passed the House April 21, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 806.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago.

HOUSE BILL No. 807.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago.

Passed the House April 21, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 114.

A bill for an act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by said church corporation, in whole or in part, for business purposes.

Passed by the House April 17, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 114, of the following title, has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 22d day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 114.

An act to give to church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate heretofore and now held by such church corporation, in whole or in part, for business purposes.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 28, a bill for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 89, a bill for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal Illinois,"

Was taken up and read a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 243, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 305, a bill for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 339, a bill for "An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872,"

Was taken up and read a large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Barr, was referred to Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

House Bill No. 464, a bill for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 349, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 403, a bill for "An act appropriating eight hundred and eighty dollars (\$880) to reimburse the First Infantry Illinois National Guard, for property turned over by said regiment to the State of Illinois at the time when said regiment was mustered into the service of the United States during the Spanish-American war,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 356, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 520, a bill for "An act making provision for the refunding of surplus funds in the State treasury to the credit of the bond funds of counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts and other municipal corporations having bonds registered in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when such bonds have become barred by the statute of limitations,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 783, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 784, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 800, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Central Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 801, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, Jacksonville,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 811, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 806, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 807, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House bill No. 809, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Widows' Home"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 810, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Soldiers' Widows' Home,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 812, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 813, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 814, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Quincy,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 820, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, Lincoln,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 821, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children at Lincoln,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 147.

A bill for "An act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois and the regulation of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violations of its provisions."

Passed the House April 17, 1903.

Together with the following amendment, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 11 of Senate Bill No. 147, as printed, as follows: In line 2 strike out the word "A" at end of the line, and in line 3 strike out the word "nurse" at the beginning of the line.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37:

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Butler,
Campbell,

Clark,
Dixon,
Evans,
Farnum,
Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,
Hamilton,

Helm,
Hughes,
Jandus,
Juul,
Kunz,
Lundberg,
McCabe,
McKenzie,

Meehan,
Mueller,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,
Rees,
Riley,
Small,

Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Watson.

Yeas—37.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, with amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 312.

A bill for an act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for noncompliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain acts therein named,

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by striking out the word "of" after the word "parents" in line 13 of section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by striking out the words "county clerk" in line 9 and insert in lieu thereof the words "State Board of Health".

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by striking out the word "commissioners," in line 1, section 8, and insert in lieu thereof the word "commissioner".

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by inserting the word "still" before the word "births", in line 10, section 10, and by striking out the figure "9" in line 9, section 10, and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "7".

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by inserting before the word "to" in line 8, section 11, the word "reported".

Amendment No. 6.

Amend section — of Senate Bill No. 312 by striking out of lines two and three the words "without necessary delay to the" and insert in lieu thereof the words "on or before the first day of the succeeding month to the proper".

Passed by the House April 17, 1903.

Amendment No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by striking out of line two of section 10 of the printed bill, after the words "to be", the words "the county" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a".

Amendment No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by inserting in line 4 of section 1 of the printed bill, after the word "birth," the words "with the name of such child and such other information as may be required by the State Board of Health".

Amendment No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 by inserting after the word "record", in line 1 thereof, the words "within ten days after their receipt".

Passed by the House April 17, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	

Yeas—43.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 22, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I respectfully invite your attention to a bill pending before your Honorable Body, providing for the purchase of the site of, and the restoration to former conditions as far as desirable, of old Fort Massac, and for the opening of it to the public forever as a place of entertainment and pleasure.

The bill appropriates \$10,000 or so much as may be needed therefor, for these purposes. I have given the subject matter of the bill my careful consideration, and I am prepared to, and do, recommend its passage.

Illinois was once a widespread debatable land where the advancing forces of American civilization met and vanquished the retiring forces of barbarism allied with those of European powers who at last surrendered with reluctance this great State into the control and sovereignty of the American union. Formerly there were numerous sites of those early struggles with their varying fortunes; but one by one they have yielded to the irresistible progress of our people and the destroying power of time. The site of Fort Dearborn is covered with business houses, and a great commerce passes upon the river where its palisades were formerly established. Kaskaskia and Chartras have been obliterated, and scarce a vestige remains of those villages. The Post of Peoria has been lost to all except tradition and history. Every other frontier place and demarkation has disappeared except this one alone, Fort Massac.

Fort Massac was established as a trading post more than two centuries ago. It has been occupied successively by Spaniard, Indian, Frenchman, Briton, and last of all by the American. A great deal that is interesting in the history of the Ohio Valley, and the growth of our people centers there. The present President of the United States, writing before his elevation to his high office, in his "Winning of the West," has done very much toward collecting and preserving the history and the traditions that pertain to Fort Massac. It was the object of solicitude by Washington when he was president of the United States; it was a point of rest for George Rogers Clark and the gallant band of frontiersmen under his leadership. Here the American flag was for the first time displayed upon the soil of Illinois. The old Fort, changed by its successive occupants, at last took the form of a bastion outwork which is situated adjacent to the city of Metropolis in Massac county, upon a bold eminence underlaid with rock, which rises some 80 feet above the river Ohio, and from which a view may be obtained of 20 miles up and down that historic and beautiful stream. The earthworks, builded a century ago, in place of the ruder structures of earlier times, have been preserved by the growth of grass from general demolition. But the old lines and bastions, the well and magazine of the Fort are still preserved. In and about the Fort are growing stately forest trees that mark its antiquity, and add their beauty to the place.

In the course of years the property itself has passed into private ownership, and the flourishing town of Metropolis has grown up to the border line of the old parade ground, not encroached thereon.

To turn to another branch of the subject: The Daughters of the American Revolution is a society that exists for the purpose of restoring fraternal relations between all the people of the United States, and restoring to the contemplation of the people those scenes and places and relics and memories which tend to revive the recollection and facts that we are a people of common origin and must be a people of common destiny. Under the inspiration of this society and at their request other communities and commonwealths have taken action tending to the re-establishment of revolutionary and ancient monuments. This society is doing noble work. Its membership extends into every State of the Union. It embraces a great array of those of our sisters who have been and are the ministers of peace, effection and of patriotism. In our own State they have established many chapters, and their membership here embraces a long list of women of whom the State is very proud, who are interested in its civic greatness, and who are tax payers to its treasury.

In their National convention assembled at Washington in 1902, they passed a resolution directing their presiding officer to appoint a committee to confer, among others, with the Governor of the State of Illinois, in reference to the Daughters of the American Revolution in Illinois "becoming the custodian under the supervision of the State, of Old Fort Massac, one of the oldest historic monuments in the country." Such committee was appointed and entered upon its duties, and as the result of their labors the bill now pending before you, and to which I call your attention, was introduced into the General Assembly.

I heartily commend its provisions to your favorable action. Of all existing structures which have come to us from the past, this is the most interesting left in Illinois. It is intimately associated with that which is heroic and great in the early settlement and conquest of the northwest from the savage and from foreign foes. It represents the sacrifices, the disappointments and the successes of 200 years of American and frontier life. If anything in the past is worth preserving this is, because of its antiquity and its long and varied history. It is a monument of the best purposes of our frontier civilization, and of the heroic determination of its former possessors. It is the last monument in the State of Illinois of those brave days of old.

I respectfully submit that all people in all ages and in all countries under a natural impulse of our kind, have sought to preserve the scenes and incidents of great struggles and great events; that the study of those struggles has a wider and deeper interest when prosecuted in the presence of those things which memorialize them, than as mere abstractions without a tangible resting

place. And it seems to me that if on our far, quiet, eastern border, on the tract over which our first pioneer life entered Illinois, we can perpetuate in so simple and inexpensive a manner as is proposed by the bill, a great landmark of the time and the men that made Illinois what she is, and what she has been, it will be a lesson in patriotism and in gratitude that will amply repay all that we may do by the proposed appropriation.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, April 21, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have honor to transmit herewith, for consideration by the Senate, the following semi-annual reports which have been filed in my office since the transmission to the Senate of my message under date of April 14, to-wit:

The semi-annual reports of

The Attorney General,
The Southern Illinois Penitentiary,
West Chicago Park Commission,
State Architect,
Board of Pharmacy,
Mining Board.

As all of these reports are part of the files of the Executive office, I have the honor to request that after consideration by your honorable body they be returned to this office.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Public Accounts.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McKenzie, the consideration of House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," as amended, on the order of third reading, was made the special order for Friday, April 24, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

At 12:25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m.

3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, it was ordered that when the Senate adjourn today it stand adjourned until Thursday, April 23, 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," on the order of second reading.

The question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative; and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, the consideration of the bill, on the order of third reading, was made the special order for Friday, April 24, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Parker April 2, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 34.

WHEREAS, By Article V, section 20, of the State Constitution, it is provided that "an account shall be kept by the officers of the executive department and of all the public institutions of the State, of all moneys received or disbursed by them, severally, from all sources, and for every service performed, and a semi-annual report thereof be made to the Governor under oath;" and,

WHEREAS, It appears that for some years past all such officers of both parties have failed to make such report, and that this salutary provision of the Constitution is likely to lapse from lack of use; therefore,

Resolved, That all such officers be, and they are hereby required to make such reports hereafter and to make and file at once with the Governor for the use of this General Assembly such reports for the last preceding completed half of the fiscal year.

On motion of Mr. Parker, the further consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 29, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Fowler April 15, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 36.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to call from labor to rest the Hon. Chas. M. Ferrell, a distinguished citizen, statesman and soldier, he having expired on the 29th day of July, 1901; and,

WHEREAS, He descended from a family distinguished for learning, courage, patriotism and statesmanship, being himself the son of a noble sire; and,

WHEREAS, In the late Rebellion, when the war cloud hung heavy and low over our land, he volunteered his services in the defense of the flag of his country, and as captain of Company "A" of the Twenty-ninth Regiment, Illinois Volunteers, he led to the fore front one hundred brave boys in blue from their peaceful and happy home in Hardin county, Illinois, to bloody fields of carnage and war to preserve the union of these states; and,

WHEREAS, His ability as a leader, his bravery as a soldier and his distinguished services in the battles of Fort Henry and Fort Donnelson, won for him the admiration of his superiors in office, and as a mark of his distinguished services in the battle of Fort Donnelson, where his brigade, in command of Major General McClernand, was the first to meet the enemy and was the last to oppose it on that dreadful day, and as a mark of recognition he was commissioned lieutenant colonel of the Twenty-ninth Regiment Illinois Volunteers on the 14th day of March, 1862; and,

WHEREAS, On the bloody battlefield of Shiloh and Corinth again he proved his worth as a soldier and leader of men, having stood where shot and shell ranged thickest, where steel met steel, and the blood of dying soldiers hastened on in rivulets to make red the waters of the beautiful Tennessee, and as a further mark of recognition of bravery and heroism he was promoted to the rank of colonel of the Twenty-ninth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers on the 4th day of September, 1862; and,

WHEREAS, He was engaged in many other battles of that dreadful conflict, always deporting himself equal to the emergency, courageous and brave; and

WHEREAS, He served his State with marked distinction as State Senator from the 51st Senatorial District in the 28th General Assembly of the State of Illinois; in all these public positions, his sagacity as a citizen, his ability as a statesman, his courage and bravery as a soldier, his honor as a man, won for him the respect and love of all who knew him, and undying fame for his memory. Physically, he was large and handsome. A type of perfect physical manhood. Mentally, he was strong and attractive. Throughout his entire life, his career both public and private, was marked with a strong personality of character and devotion, which drew about him wise and good men of the best interests. He never shifted responsibility, but always dared to stand where duty called, whether it be in private life to minister to the poor and unfortunate, or on danger's fields of hissing bullets and glittering steel; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, express its profound sorrow for his death. That the State of Illinois and the United States of America have lost an eminent statesman, a brave soldier, a loyal citizen, a truly good and great man; his friends a congenial and brilliant comrade, and his relatives a devoted, kind and loving protector, whose memory will be kept green while life shall endure; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be properly engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate, and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the relatives of the deceased, and be it further

Resolved, As a mark of respect to his memory this Senate do now adjourn until 10:00 tomorrow morning.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, the further consideration of the foregoing resolution was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the regular order of business.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 489, a bill for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Juul offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 489 by adding thereto:

"Section 3. Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this act shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage."

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 464, a bill for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," on the order of third reading,

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed on April 8, 1903, be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Barr, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof,"

The pending question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

On motion of Mr. Farnum, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 605, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," on the order of second reading.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend section 25 of printed bill by striking out of line 2 of section 25 the words and figures, "May 1, 1904," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1904."

And amend line 7 of section 25 by striking out the words and figures, "May 1, 1904," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1904."

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend section twenty-one (21) of the printed bill by adding the following:

"Or unless it shall also appear to the said Board of Prison Industries that said articles can be purchased cheaper in the open market."

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State as follows:

Resolved, That article IV of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto a section to be numbered and known as section 34, and reading as follows, to-wit:

Section 34. The General Assembly shall have power, subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter contained to pass any law (local, special or general) providing a scheme or charter of local municipal government for the territory now or hereafter embraced within the limits of the city of Chicago. The law or laws so passed may provide for consolidating (in whole or in part) in the municipal government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the city, board of education, township, park and other local governments and authorities having jurisdiction confined to or within said territory, or any part thereof, and for the assumption by the city of Chicago of the debts and liabilities (in whole or in part) of the governments or corporate authorities whose functions within its territory shall be vested in said city of Chicago, and may authorize said city, in the event of its becoming liable for the indebtedness of two or more of the existing municipal corporations lying wholly within said city of Chicago, to become indebted to an amount (including its existing indebtedness and the indebtedness of all the municipal corporations lying wholly within the limits of said city, and said city's proportionate share of the indebtedness of said county and sanitary district, which share shall be determined in such manner as the General Assembly shall prescribe) in the aggregate not exceeding five per centum of the full value of the taxable property within its limits, as ascertained by the last assessment, either for State or municipal purposes, previous to the incurring of such indebtedness (but no new bonded indebtedness, other than for refunding purposes, shall be incurred until the proposition therefor shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special); and may provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes within said city for corporate purposes, in accordance with the principles of equality and uniformity prescribed by this Constitution; and may abolish all offices, the functions of which shall otherwise be provided for; and may provide for the annexation of territory to or disconnection of territory from said city of Chicago by the consent of a majority of the legal voters (voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special) of the said city and of a majority of the voters of such territory voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and in case the General Assembly shall create municipal courts in the city of Chicago it may abolish the offices of justices of the peace, police magistrates and constables in and for the territory within said city, and may limit the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the territory of said county of Cook outside of said city to that territory, and in such case the jurisdiction and practice of said municipal courts shall be such as the General Assembly shall prescribe, and the General Assembly may pass all laws which it may deem requisite to effectually provide a complete system of local and municipal government in and for the city of Chicago.

No law based upon this amendment to the Constitution, affecting the municipal government of the city of Chicago, shall take effect until such law shall be consented to by a majority of the legal voters of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special; and no local or special law based upon this amendment affecting specially any part of the city of Chicago shall take effect until consented to by a majority of the legal voters of such part of said city voting on the question at any election, general, municipal or special. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to repeal, amend or affect section four (4) of article XI of the Constitution of this State.

Adopted by the House April 22, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Does the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the Joint Resolution?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 47; two-thirds voting in the affirmative.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Putnam,	
Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—47.
Dawson,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,	

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 463, a bill for "An act to amend section 48 of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901," on the order of third reading,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 463 by striking out all of section 48 of printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. The electors of any county, city, village or incorporated town now existing, or hereafter existing in this State, may adopt and become entitled to the benefit of this act in the following manner:

Whenever 1,000 of the legal voters of such county, city, village or incorporated town, voting at the last preceding election, shall petition the judge of the county court of such county to submit to a vote of the electors of said county, city, village or incorporated town, respectively, the proposition as to whether such county, city, village or incorporated town respectively, and the electors thereof shall adopt and become entitled to the benefits of this act, it shall be the duty of such county court and the judge thereof to submit such

proposition accordingly at the next succeeding general, State or county election, and if such proposition is not adopted at such election, the same shall, in like manner, be submitted to a vote of the electors of such county, city, village or incorporated town by such county court and the judge thereof, upon like application, at any general State or county election thereafter, and an order shall be entered of record in said county court, submitting the proposition as aforesaid. If 1,000 shall exceed one-eighth of the legal voters of such county, city, village or incorporated town, respectively, voting at the last preceding election, then such petition or application need not be signed or made by more than one-eighth of the legal voters of such county, city, village or incorporated town voting at the last preceding election.

The judge of said county court shall give at least ten day's notice of election at which such proposition is to be submitted by publishing such notice in one or more newspapers published in the county for at least five times, the first publication to be at least ten days before the day of election; and if no newspaper is published in said county, then by posting at least twenty-five copies of such notice in twenty-five of the most prominent places in such county, city, village or incorporated town, respectively, at least ten days before such election. Such election shall be held under the election law in force in such county, except as herein otherwise provided. The proposition so to be voted for shall be on a separate ballot, in plain, prominent type, and shall be prepared for that purpose in the same manner as other ballots, and shall be substantially in the following form:

For adoption of the act for primary elections of political parties.	Yes.	
	No.	

If a majority of the votes cast upon such proposition shall be voted for such proposition, this act shall thereby be adopted by such county, city, village or incorporated town, respectively, and the judge of the county court of the county shall thereupon enter of record an order declaring this act in force in all parts of such county, city, village or incorporated town, respectively.

Provided, That in counties of 125,000 inhabitants or more this act shall be in full force and effect without submitting the question of its adoption to a vote of the people, and

Provided further, That this act shall not apply to counties having a population of less than 125,000 inhabitants and more than 50,000 inhabitants and that in such counties where the provisions of this act may have been heretofore adopted, none of the provisions of this act shall be operative, and,

Provided, That in counties having a population of less than 50,000 inhabitants, where the provisions of this act may have been or may hereafter be adopted, this act shall apply only to county conventions and shall not apply to township, city, ward, senatorial, congressional, State or judicial conventions.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the amendment:

Amend by striking out all after the word "act" in line 14, section 48, printed bill, the words "none of the provisions of this act shall be operative," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the same may be resubmitted to the people on petition in the same manner as provided for in the first instance, for adoption or rejection by vote of the people at any regular election."

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing amendment offered by Mr. Dunlap was laid on the table.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Gardner be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McCabe, House Bill No-698, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 160, for "An act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block for losses sustained by him, and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Kunz.	Townsend.
Andrus.	Dawson.	Helm.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Barr.	Dixon.	Humphrey.	Powers.	Watson.
Butler.	Fuller.	Jandus.	Rees.	
Campbell.	Gardner.	Juul.	Stubblefield.	Yeas—27.
Clark.	Haas.	Koch.	Templeton.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 163, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas. 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Small,
Alden,	Dixon,	Haas,	Maher,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Riley,	Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 11, for "An act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Small,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Fort,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—43.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Riley,	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 22, for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hall,	Kunz,	Riley,
Alden,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Small,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 25, for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman.	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stringer.
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Templeton.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus.	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 26, for "An act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Fort,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson,
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg.	Riley,	Yeas—38.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Small,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 34. for "An act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley.
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg.	Rainey,	Yeas—40.
Coleman,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 35, for "An act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie.	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Powers,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Walter,
Berry,	Fort,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson,
Butler,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Maher,	Small,	Yeas—41.
Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 46, for "An act making appropriation for the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—38.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 53, for "An act to make appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Maher,	Small,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	
Clark,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 110, for "An act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Raine,	Walter,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Rees,	Watson.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Riley,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Maher,	Small,	
Campbell,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Stringer,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Mueller,		

Yeas—40.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 111, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	McCabe,	Small,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Riley,	

Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 201, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Small,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus, ¹	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,	
Clark,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	

Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 203, for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman.	Haas,	Maher,	Riley.
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 204, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 42.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Riley.
Alden,	Dawson,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fort,	Jandus,	Rees,	Yeas—42.
Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 213, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley.
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,		Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 341, for "An act making appropriation for the payment of officers and members of the next General Assembly and for salaries of the officers of the State government,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fort,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 400, for "An act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on the battlefield of Shiloh,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen	Dixon,	Hall	McKenzie,	Small,
Alden	Dunlap,	Hamilton	Mueller	Stringer
Andrus	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Templeton
Barr	Farrelly,	Juul	Putnam	Townsend
Berry	Fort,	Koch	Rainey,	Walter
Campbell	Fuller	Lundberg,	Rees	Watson
Coleman,	Gardner	McCabe,	Riley	Yeas—41

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 436 for "An act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol building at Springfield, Illinois, and making appropriations therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fort,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Clark,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson,
Coleman,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 468 for "An act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof under the care or patronage of any religious denomination where they find that the purpose for which the corporation was created can not be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Alden,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield.
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	
Coleman,	Hall,			

Yeas—41.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 466 for "An act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Mr. Barr moved that the bill be recalled to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Clark moved to lay the motion of Mr. Barr to recall the bill to the order of second reading on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 19.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Evans,	Juul,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Townsend
Campbell,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,	
Clark,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,	
Dixon,	Jandus,			

Yeas—20.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Berry,	Fort,	Helm,	Small,
Alden,	Butler,	Fowler,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Gardner,	Putnam,	Watson.
Barr,	Farrelly,	Hamilton,	Rees,	Nays—19.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Evans,	Jandus.	Parker,	Stubblefield.
Andrus,	Farnum.	Juul.	Powers,	Templeton.
Bailey.	Fuller,	Koch.	Putnam,	Townsend,
Burnett.	Gardner,	Lundberg.	Rainey,	Walter.
Campbell,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small,	
Dixon.	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,	Yeas—35.
Dunlap,	Humphrey.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Barr,	Butler,	Fort.	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Small, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 393, for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, be amended to read as follows," reported the same back with the recommendation that that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 49, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved and in force June 19, 1893,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dixon.	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Berry.	Evans.	Helm,	McCabe.	Rees,
Burnett.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Riley.
Butler.	Gardner,	Jandus.	Mueller.	Small.
Campbell.	Haas,	Koch.	Parker,	Townsend.
Clark,	Hall,	Kunz,	Powers,	Walter.
				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dunlap,	Fowler,	Pemberton,	Rainey.
				Nays—5.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Alden, Senate Bill No. 263, a bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose Scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits," approved and

in force April 11, 1899, was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments reported from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, April 1, 1903:

Amend by inserting after the words "provided that" in line 23, section 1 of the printed bill the words, "the nurserymen whose premises are inspected shall first pay to the State Entomologist the sum of \$5.00 to defray the expenses of making such inspection, and"

Amendment No. 2.

Also in line 25, section 1 strike out the word "transportation."

Amendment No. 3.

Also in same line strike out the word "inspector" and insert in lieu thereof the word "inspection,"

Also in line 10, section 6 strike out the word "provisions" the words and figures "of section 2,"

Also in line 13, section 6 strike out after the word "act" the words "less the sums received under section 1 of this act,"

Also in line 16, section 6 strike out after the word "funds" the words "provided for carrying this act into effect" and insert in lieu thereof the words "paid over to the State Treasurer under the provisions of this act,"

On motion of Mr. Dunlap the first three committee amendments was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap the balance of the committee amendments were laid upon the table.

The question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Templeton, Senate Bill No. 495, a bill for "An act to suppress pigeon shooting and similiar sports,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time; and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 5:30 o'clock p. m., Mr. Humphrey moved that the Senate do now adjourn, which motion was lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 500, for "An act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the Circuit Court of Cook county,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Butler, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dixon introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 501, for "An act to establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Dixon, was referred to the Committee on Military.

Senate Bill No. 477, for "An act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Evans.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Riley.
Alden.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Small.
Bailey.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Fowler.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Butler.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Powers.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Walter.
Clark.	Haas.	Maher.	Rainey.	Watson.
Coleman.	Hall.	McCabe.	Rees.	Yeas -40.
Dunlap.				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for a penalty for violation of this act,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, Senate Bill No. 416, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Thursday, April 23, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, House Bill No. 827, a bill for "An act to amend section seven of chapter thirty-seven of 'An act fixing the terms of holding court in the several judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by striking out all of line 6, section 7 of printed bill, after the word "Champaign," and all of line 7 up to and including the word "March" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"On the first Monday in January, the first Monday in April and the first Monday in September of each year."

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 363, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefit to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State; and providing and fixing the punishment for the violating of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' by adding thereto an additional section, to be designated as section 9 $\frac{1}{2}$,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 364, a bill for "An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved and in force May 27, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, Senate Bill No. 102, a bill for "An act to amend section two (2) of article one (1), of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 102 by striking out the word "nine" in line 14 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Amend Senate Bill No. 102 by inserting after the words "South Chicago," in line 15, the following: "Also five fit and competent persons to fill the office of justice of the peace in the town of North Chicago".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 261, for "An act requiring the recording of surveys," Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Townsend.
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Walter,
Barr,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Putnam,	
Burnett,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—32.
Campbell,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fort, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 519, a bill for "An act to amend section 80 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved and in force April 9, 1891,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 264, a bill for "An act to amend section twenty-one (21), article five (5), of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, Senate Bill No. 480, a bill for "An act in relation to the custody of insane persons,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Townsend, House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, April 22, 1903.

Amend by striking out of line 7, page 2 of printed bill the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3."

Amend by adding

"Section 2. Whereas an emergency exists, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading, and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 5:40 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Rev. James G. Tucker, of Fairfield, Ill.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 135, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Charles Balsley, corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 136, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 161, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill Senate Bill No. 248, for "An act making an appropriation of \$15,000 for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 121, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,'" approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1883," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading and to be printed with the amendments.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Mueller presented the following resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16.

WHEREAS, It is claimed by the Survivors Association of the Cairo Expedition of April, 1861, that the records regarding the troops and organizations of said expedition on file in the Adjutant General's office, State of Illinois, are incomplete and in many cases incorrect, and,

WHEREAS, Justice demands that the records pertaining to the military history of the Illinois troops in the wars of the Nation should be absolutely correct, reliable and complete; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That the Adjutant General of the State of Illinois is hereby authorized and empowered to confer with the Survivors' Association of the Cairo Expedition of April, 1861, to examine and obtain extracts from the War Department relative to the Cairo expedition aforesaid, and to correct and amend the records in his office in accordance with the facts ascertained by him and to which the troops and organizations of the Cairo expedition may be justly and legally entitled.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and adopted.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 63, for "An act to authorize the several county and probate judges in this State to interchange, hold court for each other and perform each other's duties," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 71, for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 220, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 275, for "An act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 488, for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 210, for "An act relating to the assignment by any person of his or her future unearned wages, salary or compensation," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 388, for "An act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employés, to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employe, by his or her representative, and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purpose," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 484, for "An act to abolish imprisonment for debt," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 5, for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 17; nays, 9.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Templeton.
Barr.	Hall.	Maher.	Rees.	Walter.
Butler.	Jandus.	Parker.	Riley.	Yeas—17.
Dawson.	Kunz.	Powers.		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Farrelly.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Townsend.
Farnum.	Fuller.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Nays—9.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 461, for "An act to amend section 1a of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Hall.	Maher.	Small.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Powers.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Koch.	Rees.	Walter.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Riley.	Yeas—37.
Coleman.	Haas.	Lundberg.		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 36, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus.	Dixon.	Hall.	Maher.	Templeton.
Bailey.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Townsend.
Barr.	Farnum.	Helm.	Mueller.	Walter.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Hughes.	Parker.	Watson.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Humphrey.	Riley.	
Campbell.	Fuller.	Juul.	Small.	Yeas—35.
Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Stubblefield.	
Coleman.	Haas.	Lundberg.		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	McCabe,	Pemberton,	Nays—4.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 45, for "An act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections for casting, registering, recording and counting ballots or votes; also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 10.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Fuller,	Juul,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Gardner,	Koch,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Parker,	Watson.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	
Dawson,	Hughes,	Maher,	Stringer,	Yeas—27.
Dixon,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Hall,	Meehan,	Nays—10.
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Rees.	
Burnett,	Fowler,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 357.

A bill for an act to provide for the establishing and use of a uniform series of school text books in the free public schools of the State other than in counties of the third class.

Passed the House April 14, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 357, a bill for "An act to provide for the establishing and use of a uniform series of school text books in the free public schools of the State other than in counties of the third class,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time,

Mr. Burnett moved that the rules be suspended and that the bill be ordered to a second reading without reference,

Which motion was decided in the negative, and,

On motion of Mr. Berry, the bill was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 451, for "An act to require certain buildings and portions of buildings to be made fireproof, and provide penalties for violation thereof," which

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley, ¹
Andrus,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Juul,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Koch,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,				Yeas—31.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Rees,
Fowler,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 353.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of "An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes," approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL NO. 362.

A bill for an act to amend section 26 of an act entitled "An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 481.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole," approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 482.

A bill for an act to insure better protection to the public from accidents arising out of elevator service.

SENATE BILL NO. 483.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to remedy the evils consequent upon the destruction of any public records by fire or otherwise," approved and in force April 9, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 489.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act in regard to evidence and deposition in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL NO. 416.

A bill for an act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits and to repeal an act therein named.

SENATE BILL NO. 495.

A bill for an act to suppress pigeon shooting and similar sports.

SENATE BILL NO. 463.

A bill for an act to amend section 48 of an act entitled "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations, and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof," approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901.

SENATE BILL NO. 102.

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of article one (1) of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 480.

A bill for an act in relation to the custody of insane persons.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel and for the punishment thereof," on the order of third reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 30, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 416, for "An act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits, and to repeal an act therein named, which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 12.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Riley.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Small.
Bailey.	Evans.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Berry.	Fuller.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Gardner.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Campbell.	Haas.	Koch.	Putnam.	Yeas—35.
Clark.				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Butler.	Farrelly.	Kunz.	Powers.	Stringer.
Coleman.	Fowler.	Maher.	Rees.	Watson.
Dawson.	Jandus.			Nays—12.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 128, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer, while serving as a private in Company A, Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guard,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 128 by striking out in line 3 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 475, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Southern Illinois penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 475, by striking out all after line 5 of the printed bill in section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1904, the sum of.....	\$ 90,000 00
For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1905, the sum of.....	200,000 00

And to enable the commissioners to keep profitably employed, in accordance with law, the convicts of said penitentiary, and the commissioners are hereby authorized to expend so much of the amount hereby appropriated as may be necessary to keep employed as nearly as may be all prisoners who are now or may hereafter become idle but in accordance with law.

For repairs and refurnishing, \$5,000 per annum.....	\$10,000 00
For contingent expenses, \$5,000 per annum.....	10,000 00
For maintaining library and furnishing chapel, \$250 per annum.....	500 00
For expense in enforcing parole law, \$2,500 per annum.....	5,000 00
For purchasing team.....	1,000 00
For erection of a small ice plant.....	3,000 00
For purchase of 112 acres of land adjoining prison farm and clay fields.....	6,000 00
For erecting and equipping a prison hospital.....	15,000 00

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 119, a bill for "An act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the positions of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, and making appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 119 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That for the purpose of commorating the service and marking by appropriate monuments and markers the positions of the several commands of Illinois volunteers that were engaged in the siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, in the National Military Park at that place, and also the services of those that were engaged therein but not actually in the siege lines, and to pay the actual expenses of the commissioners hereinafter created, the following provisions and appropriations in this act contained are hereby enacted and made:

"Section 2. That for carrying out the purposes of this act, the Governor shall appoint nine commissioners to be known as the Illinois Vicksburg Military Park Commission who shall have participated in said campaign and siege and were members of Illinois commands engaged therein, to whom no compensation for services shall be paid, but who shall receive their actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$9,000 to be paid out of said appropriation. And said commissioners shall make full report to the Governor of their acts and doings hereunder.

Section 3. The said commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to first make contracts for the construction, delivery and erection of appropriate monuments and markers for each regiment and battery and detachment, or other organization of Illinois volunteers that participated in said campaign and siege within the limits of said National Military Park upon the positions occupied by said several regiments, batteries, detachments or other organizations, to be made entirely of granite and to be appropriately inscribed, and also for the construction, delivery and erection of similar monuments and markers upon a central site set apart or to be set apart for that purpose by the Secretary of War of the United States, appropriately inscribed to designate the commands that participated in said campaign and siege but not actually in the siege lines, and second, to make a contract or contracts for the construction, delivery, and erection of a State monument, to be located upon the site already set apart for that purpose by the Secretary of War of the United States within the limits of said National Military Park, as a memorial to all the soldiers and sailors of Illinois who participated in said campaign and siege, the same to be of enduring stone and bronze, with all the foundations and approaches, retaining walls, tablets, inscriptions and memorials, the total cost of all which monuments and markers and other materials and work connected with the construction and erection thereof as herein provided for, together with the actual expenses of said commissioners, shall not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Section 4. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act there is now hereby appropriated the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), to be applied thereto, so far as the same will reach, to be paid out of money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 5. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants on the Treasurer, on the presentation of proper vouchers certified by said commission and approved by the Governor, for the payment of the cost of said monuments and markers, and other material and work connected with the construction and erection thereof, to the extent of the appropriation hereby made, when the same shall be constructed, delivered and erected in places to be designated by said commission, in accordance with the terms and provisions of such contract or contracts to be made hereunder, and also to pay the actual expenses of said commissioners."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 145, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop A, First Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, A. D. 1902,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903."

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 145 by striking out in line 3 of printed bill the words and figures "three thousand dollars (\$3,000)," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500)."

Amendment No. 2.

Add a new section as follows, to be known as section 2:

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for said sum, payable to the order of Herman Becker or to his duly constituted conservator.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 132, a bill for "An act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 200, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 153, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements, and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out in lines 2 and 3 of printed bill the words and figures "one hundred and sixteen thousand dollars (\$116,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Eighty-six thousand dollars (\$86,000.)"

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out all of lines 8 and 9 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out all of lines 16 and 17 of printed bill.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 187, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 11 of section 1 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200)" and insert in lieu thereof the following "thirty-two hundred and sixty dollars (\$3,260.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 146, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac, for the two years beginning July 1, 1903 and ending July 1, 1905.

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 146 by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following: "that the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the purpose herein named, payable according to law:"

For ordinary expenses, \$150,000.00 per annum.....	\$300,000 00
For discharge, parole and return of prisoners, \$8,000 per annum.....	16,000 00
For repairs and improvements, \$5,000 per annum.....	10,000 00
For equipment and maintenance of trade schools, \$5,000 per annum.....	10,000 00
For material for trade school instruction, \$5,000 per annum.....	10,000 00
For maintenance of electric light plant, telephone, telegraph and fire alarm system, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000 00
For school books for inmates, \$750 per annum.....	1,500 00
For school seats, maps, desks and charts, \$750 per annum.....	1,500 00
For extension and equipment of library, \$1,000 per annum.....	2,000 00
For teams, cows and additional farm machinery, \$1,000 per annum.....	2,000 00
For lectures, entertainments, concerts and amusements for inmates, \$600 per annum.....	1,200 00

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrants on the State Treasurer for the moneys hereinbefore appropriated upon the order of the Board of Managers of said reformatory, signed by the president and attested by the secretary with the seal of the said reformatory attached, and approved by the Governor.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 206, a bill for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for an extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 206 by striking out in lines 15 and 16 of section 1 of printed bill the words and figures "fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out all of lines 23 and 24 of section 1 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out in line 11, section 2 of printed bill, the words and figures "twenty five thousand dollars (\$25,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)."

Amendment No. 4.

Strike out in line 8 of section 6 the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)."

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out all of section 7 of said printed bill.

Amendment No. 6.

Strike out all of section 8 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 7.

Strike out lines 11 and 12 of section 4 the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 295, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 295 by adding in section 1 after line 5 the following: "or for any other State purpose, and said sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) shall not be expended until the State has received a deed conveying a good clear title in fee simple to said property."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That the following amounts, or as much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated to the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet, for the purposes hereinafter named and no other:

For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1904, the sum of.....	\$ 90,000 00
For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1905, the sum of.....	240,000 00
For operating and maintaining the woman's prison the sum of \$7,500 per annum..	15,000 00
For meeting the expenses of maintaining and operating the parole system, the sum of \$5,000 per annum	10,000 00
For painting, relaying floors, repairs, renewing roofs and walls of buildings, renewing and rebuilding steam and water pipes, engines, boilers and machinery, and to make such other repairs and renewals as may be required to keep said prison plant in ordinary repair the sum of \$25,000 per annum	50,000 00
For equipping new dining room and kitchen with necessary fixtures and cooking utensils, the sum of	5,000 00
For new roof on west cell house, the sum of	18,000 00
For new heating plants in shops, the sum of	5,000 00
For replacing sidewalks in the yard, the sum of	2,500 00

The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys hereinbefore appropriated, upon the order of the board of commissioners of said penitentiary, signed by the president and attested by the secretary, with the seal of said institution attached, and approved by the Governor.

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 131, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the University of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)" in line 10 of section 1 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out in lines 19 and 20 of section 1 of printed bill the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000)."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out in lines 21 and 22 of section 1 of printed bill the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)."

Amendment No. 4.

Strike out all of lines 27 and 28 and 29 of section 1. of printed bill.

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out lines 3, 4 and 5 of section 2 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 6.

Strike out all of lines 14, 15 and 16 of section 2 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 7.

Strike out all of lines 19 and 20 of section 2 of printed bill.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment by striking out "and 16" and insert "line 16, section 2."

"For a woman's building, forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) per annum for the years 1903 and 1904."

Mr. Gardner moved to lay the foregoing amendment on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 24; nays, 20.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stringer,	Yeas—24.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Barr.	Fowler,	Juul,	Parker,	Riley,
Coleman,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Small,
Dixon,	Humphrey,	Maher,	Rainey,	Templeton.
Dunlap,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Rees,	Nays—20.
Evans,				

The question being "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 107, a bill for "An act making appropriation for St. Charles Home for Boys,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 22, 1903:

Amendment to Senate Bill No. 107 reported from the Committee on Appropriations April 22, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 107 by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That the following sum of money be, and is hereby, appropriated to the St. Charles Home for Boys, St. Charles, Kane county, Illinois, to-wit: the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purpose hereinafter named:

For buildings and equipment.....	\$100,000 00
For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1904.....	25,000 00
For ordinary expenses for the year ending June 30, 1905.....	25,000 00

The money herein appropriated for ordinary expenses shall be due and payable to the trustees of said institution only on the terms and in the manner provided in the nineteenth section of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the State Charitable Institutions and the Reform School and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency."

The moneys herein appropriated for buildings and equipment shall be due and payable to the trustees of said institution or their order only on the terms and in the manner now provided by law.

Mr. Evans offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend the committee amendment to Senate Bill No. 107 as follows:

In line 3, strike out the word "one" and insert the word "three".

In line 4, strike out the figures "100,000" and insert "300,000".

Mr. Gardner moved to lay the foregoing amendment on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 17; nays, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Helm,	Mueller,	Walter,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Burnett,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Townsend,	Yeas—17.
Campbell,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rainey,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Maher,	Riley,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Dawson,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Nays—26.
Dixon,	Haas,			

The question then being "Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Evans be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the committee amendments, as amended, be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner moved to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 5, a bill for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns," failed to pass today, and,

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Kunz,	Powers,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dawson,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dixon,	Maher,	Rainey,	Walter,
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Meehan,	Rees,	Watson,
Butler,	Evans,	Mueller,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Parker,	Stringer,	Yeas—33.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hamilton,	Humphrey,	Nays—2.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Senate Bill No. 346, for "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved January 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 17.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend.
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Riley,	
Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Small,	Yeas—27.
Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,	

The following voted in the negative:

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Walter,
Barr,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Rainey,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	Nays—17.
Butler,	Fowler,	Meehan,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Mr. Stringer gave notice that on tomorrow he would move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed, as required by the rules.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Parker, Senate Bill No. 5, a bill for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages," was taken up on the order of second reading.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendments, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend by striking out from the title the words, "and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns," and substituting therefor the words "having a population of twenty-five thousand or more."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by striking out from lines 2 and 3 of section 1 of the bill the words, "and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns" and substituting therefor the words, "having a population of twenty-five thousand or more."

The question then being, "Shall the bill as amended be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

On motion of Mr. Parker, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Friday, April 24, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Evans, Senate Bill No. 499, a bill for "An act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 480, for "An act in relation to the custody of insane persons,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Haas,	McCabe,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hall,	Meehan,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Burnett,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman,	Hamilton,	Rees,	Small,	Stringer,
Fowler,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McKenzie, House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. McKenzie offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend by striking out section thirty-seven of the bill.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McKenzie, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Friday, April 24, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 102, for "An act to amend section two (2) of article one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 47.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—47.
Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 419, for "An act to amend section 48 of article 3 of 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 13, nays, 22.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon.	Lundberg.	Parker.	Walter.
Andrus,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,	Yeas--13.
Berry,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Farnum,	Hall,	Kunz,	Riley,
Clark,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Stringer.
Coleman,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Townsend.
Dawson,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees.	Watson.
Evans,	Haas,			Nays--22.

Senate Bill No. 463, for "An act to amend section 48 of an act entitled 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties or organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended and approved May 11, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark.	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees.
Barr,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer.
Berry,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Powers,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Townsend.
				Yeas--30.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton,	Nays--1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 135, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for Charles Balsey, Corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 23, 1903.

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out in line 2 of printed bill the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

Amendment No. 2.

Add a new section to be known as section 2,

"Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for said sum payable to the order of Charles Balsey."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 136, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 23, 1903.

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out in line 2 of printed bill the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand and five hundred dollars (\$2,500)."

Amendment No. 2.

Add a new section to be known as section 2.

"Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for said sum, payable to the order of Jesse Rupert."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative."

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 161, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 23, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out in line 2 of printed bill the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five hundred dollars (\$500)."

Amendment No. 2.

Add a new section to be known as section 2.

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for said sum payable to the order of Albert Stevens."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, a motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 248, a bill for "An act making an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 23, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by striking out the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.)"

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line 2 of printed bill the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.)"

Amendment No. 3.

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 5 and 6 of section 2 of printed bill the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.)"

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 483, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to remedy the evils consequent upon the destruction of any public records by fire or otherwise,' approved and in force April 9, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Meehan,	Rees,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Yeas—26.
Campbell,	Fowler,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Humphrey,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President:—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16.

WHEREAS, It is claimed by the Survivors Association of the Cairo Expedition of April, 1861, that the records regarding the troops and organization of said expedition on file in the Adjutant General's office, State of Illinois, are incomplete and in many cases incorrect, and

WHEREAS, Justice demands that the records pertaining to the military history of the Illinois troops in the wars of the Nation should be absolutely correct, reliable and complete; therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That the Adjutant General of the State of Illinois is hereby authorized and empowered to confer with the Survivors Association of the Cairo Expedition of April, 1861, to examine and obtain extracts from the war department relative to the Cairo expedition aforesaid, and to correct and amend the records in his office in accordance with the facts ascertained by him and to which the troops and organizations of the Cairo expedition may be justly and legally entitled.

Concurred in by the House, April 23, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, Senate Bill No. 490, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Dixon offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 490 by striking out the following words of the title: "and all amendments thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "as amended by act of June 17, 1887."

Also amend by striking out in lines 3 and 4 of the printed bill the words, "and all amendments thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the words "as amended by act of June 17, 1887".

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 330, for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,
And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Gardner,	Mueller,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hall,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Helm,	Powers,	Walter.
Berry,	Evans,	Kunz,	Rainey,	
Burnett,	Farnum,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—26.
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Meehan,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 137, for "An act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,
And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	Powers,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Rees,	Walter.
Burnett,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—31.
Campbell,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Small,	
Clark,	Haas,	Mueller,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 452, a bill for "An act authorizing school districts managed by boards of education or directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in the public schools, and authorizing payment therefor from the State common school funds,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,
And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Burnett gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, make a motion to reconsider the vote whereby House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," was ordered to a third reading today; and he also gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, make a motion to reconsider the vote whereby the amendment to said House Bill No. 1, offered by Mr. McKenzie, was adopted today.

At 12:00 o'clock m. on motion of Mr. Campbell the Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment,

Hon. John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The President of the Senate announced the pending question before the Senate was the notice of the motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 346, a bill for "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to sheriffs,' approved Jan. 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, was passed on yesterday.

Mr. Stringer moved to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was passed.

Mr. Stubblefield moved to lay the motion the table.

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	McCabe,	Small,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Townsend,
				Yeas—20.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Hall,	Maher,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Walter,
Barr,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Berry,	Evans,	Kunz,	Powers,	Nays—23.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Rees,	

The question then being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed on yesterday be reconsidered?" and

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 22, nays, 16.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Hall,	Maher,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Walter,
Barr,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Rees,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Lundberg,		Yeas—22.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Evans,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Clark,				Nays—16.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois."

Mr. Burnett moved to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was ordered to a third reading on yesterday,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 24; nays, 9.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Dawson,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Fowler,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Fuller,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Evans,	Gardner,	Small,	Watson,
Coleman,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—24.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Clark,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Campbell,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Nays—9.

Mr. Burnett offered the following amendment to the bill:

Section 37. There shall be placed upon the ballot at the next general election a proposition for and against the adoption of this act. If, by a majority of all votes cast upon the question in said election it shall be adopted, it shall thereafter, immediately upon the result of such election being officially declared, become effective.

Mr. Powers offered the following substitute for the foregoing amendment:

Amend House Bill No. 1 by adding:

* Section 37. There shall be placed upon the ballot at the next general election a proposition for and against the adoption of this act. If by a majority of all votes cast in said election it shall be adopted, it shall thereafter, immediately upon the result of such election being officially declared, become effective.

Mr. Hamilton moved that the substitute for the amendment be laid on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Clark,	Hall,	Koch,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Parker,	Yeas—14.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Dawson,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Walter,
Berry,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Watson,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Nays—23.
Coleman,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Rees,	

The question then being, "Shall the substitute offered by Mr. Powers be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Farnum,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Walter,
Dawson,	Fort,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Watson.
Dunlap,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Yeas—20.
Evans,				

The following voted in the negative; Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Juul,	Parker,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	Stringer,
Barr,	Gardner,	Maher,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Berry,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Hamilton,			Nays—27.

The question then being, "Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Burnett be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29, nays, 19.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fort,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Fowler,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Fuller,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Gardner,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Putnam,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Small,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Hall,	Koch,	Mueller,	Rees,
Campbell,	Hughes,	Lundberg,	Parker,	Riley,
Dawson,	Jandus,	Maher,	Pemberton,	Stringer,
Dixon,	Juul,	McKenzie,	Rainey,	Nays—19.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 23, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the offices of justice of the peace in the county of Cook the persons below named, their respective towns being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the Town of South Chicago—John C. Everett, to succeed himself; William T. Hall, to succeed himself; John Richardson, to succeed himself; George W. Underwood, to succeed himself; Max L. Wolf, to succeed himself; Thomas Bradwell, to succeed himself; Timothy D. Hurley, to succeed himself and to fill the office heretofore held by M. R. M. Wallace, deceased; John K. Prindiville, to succeed himself.

For the Town of North Chicago—Emanuel C. Hamburger, to succeed himself; Joseph G. Sheldon, to succeed himself; George H. Woods, to succeed himself; Walter J. Gibbons, to succeed himself; George Kersten, to succeed himself.

For the Town of West Chicago—Jarvis Blume, to succeed himself; Q. J. Chott, to succeed himself; Max Eberhardt, to succeed himself; Miles Kehoe, to succeed himself; Olaf Severson, to succeed himself; James C. Dooley, to succeed himself; James M. Doyle, to succeed himself; M. J. O'Donoghue, to succeed himself; A. J. Sabath, to succeed M. A. LaBuy, and to hold the office held by M. A. LaBuy in the year 1895.

For the Town of Hyde Park—F. M. Charlton, to succeed himself; Gideon E. Clark, to succeed himself; A. V. Lee, to succeed himself; Philip Koehler, to succeed George L. Ford; Charles H. Callahan, to succeed himself; M. J. Quinn, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Lake View—Emil A. W. Johnson, to succeed himself; Maurice C. Lange, to succeed Henry Bonnefoi, deceased; Niles E. Olsen, to succeed himself; John A. Mahoney, to succeed himself; John M. Stevens, to succeed C. J. Whitney.

For the Town of Lake—Asa G. Adams, to succeed P. H. Duggan; R. M. Jandus, to succeed himself; Henry D. Smalley, to succeed Edwin Rhoades; John Fitzgerald, to succeed himself; John J. Hennessey, to succeed John M. Moore.

For the Town of Jefferson—Robert L. Campbell, to succeed himself; Hubert Crocker, to succeed O. H. McConoughey; Albert F. Keeney, to succeed Robert M. Holt; Thomas Edgar, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Calumet—M. J. Mohan, to succeed E. E. Wilder; John W. Clarke, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Norwood Park—David M. Ball, to succeed himself.

And I respectfully ask that you concur therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to special committee consisting of the Cook county Senators.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Dixon, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 195, for "An act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Burnett, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 289, for "An act to amend section 15 of Article IV, of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 440, for "An act to amend article 9 of section 146 of chapter 122 of an act entitled, 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 502, for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Alden introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 503, for "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Alden, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Stringer introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 504, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for an expression of opinion by electors on questions of public policy at any general or special election,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, so as to provide for legislation which will give legal effect to the will of the people as shown by the vote on such questions, by adding thereto a section to be numbered section three,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 605, for "An act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," which

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass, as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 49.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman,	Gardner,	Lundberg.	Rees.
Alden.	Dawson,	Haas,	McCabe.	Riley.
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Small.
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer.
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stubblefield.
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker.	Templeton.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Butler,	Fort,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Yeas—49.

Ordered that the titled be as afforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 263.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San José scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits," approved and in force April 19, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 464.

A bill for an act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations.

SENATE BILL NO. 61.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 363.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith," by adding thereto an additional section to be designated as section 9¹/₂.

SENATE BILL NO. 364.

A bill for an act to amend section 12 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to the beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof," approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved and in force May 27, 1897.

SENATE BILL NO. 448.

A bill for an act to amend section 22 of article VI of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," in force May 21, 1889, by adding to said section 22 of Article VI of said act a paragraph to be numbered twelfth.

SENATE BILL NO. 200.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association.

SENATE BILL NO. 145.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop A, First Cavalry, Illinois National Guards for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, 1902.

SENATE BILL NO. 153.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois.

SENATE BILL NO. 132.

A bill for an act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress approved Aug. 30, 1890, entitled, "An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress," approved July 2, 1862.

SENATE BILL NO. 146.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac for the two years beginning July 1903, and ending July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL NO. 187.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 119.

A bill for an act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the positions of Illinois Volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi and making appropriation therefor.

SENATE BILL NO. 475

A bill for an act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed.

SENATE BILL NO. 128.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney, for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer, while serving as private in Company A, Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guard.

SENATE BILL NO. 206.

A bill for an act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the agricultural experiment station and to make appropriations therefor.

SENATE BILL NO. 5.

A bill for an act to extend the powers of the City Council in cities having a population of 25,000 or more.

SENATE BILL NO. 135.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the benefit of Charles Balsley, Corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.

SENATE BILL NO. 136.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.

SENATE BILL NO. 161.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.

SENATE BILL NO. 490.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to Oil Inspection, approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and as amended by act of June 17, 1887.

SENATE BILL NO. 452.

A bill for an act authorizing school districts managed by Boards of Education or Directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in the public schools and authorizing payment therefor from the State Common School Fund.

SENATE BILL NO. 248.

A bill for an act making an appropriation of five thousand dollars for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke.

SENATE BILL NO. 499.

A bill for an act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes.

SENATE BILL NO. 107.

A bill for an act making appropriation for St. Charles Home for Boys.

SENATE BILL NO. 131.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the University of Illinois.

SENATE BILL NO. 295.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organization of the Illinois National Guard, located at Bloomington, Illinois.

SENATE BILL NO. 351.

A bill for an act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 312 of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 24th day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 312.

An act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof and repealing certain acts therein named.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 5, for "An act to extend the powers of the city council in cities having a population of 25,000 or more," which

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon.	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dunlap.	Jandus,	Parker,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans.	Kunz.	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Hamilton.	Maher,	Rainey,	Watson.
Butler,				Yeas—26.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hall, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE THE THIRD TIME.

Senate Bill No. 464, for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Fowler,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Gardner.	McKenzie,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dunlap.	Haas,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hall,	Powers,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Putnam.	Townsend.
Clark,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Rainey,	Watson.
				Yeas—30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 489, for "An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Riley,
Baily,	Evans,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Juul,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Powers,	Walter,
				Yeas—40.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 107, for "An act making appropriation for the St. Charles Home for Boys,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Small,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	
Dawson,	Hall,			Yeas—41.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 119, for "An act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the positions of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, and making appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Small,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Townsend,
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Walter,
Dawson,	Hall,	Maher,	Rainey,	Watson,
				Yeas—45.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 128, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney, for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer while serving as a private in Company A, Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guards,"

[Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 48.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,	Fort,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—48.
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 131, for "An act making appropriations for the University of Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Maher,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Fort,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—45.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Riley,	
Coleman,	Haas,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 132, for "An act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862,'"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 47.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Hall.	McCabe.	Riley.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Small.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Fort.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Juul.	Powers.	Walter.
Butler.	Fuller.	Koch.	Putnam.	Watson.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Rees.	Yeas—47.
Clark.	Haas.	Lundberg.		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill, No. 248, for "An act making an appropriation of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 42.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Hall.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Alden.	Dawson.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Hughes.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Bailey.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Powers.	Townsend.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Putnam.	Walter.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Rainey.	Watson.
Burnett.	Fuller.	Koch.	Rees.	
Butler.	Gardner.	Kunz.	Riley.	Yeas—42.
Campbell.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Small.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 145, for "An act making appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop A, 1st Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H., Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, A. D., 1902,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Haas.	McCabe.	Riley.
Alden.	Dawson.	Hamilton.	McKenzie.	Small.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Helm.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Burnett.	Fort.	Juul.	Powers.	Watson.
Butler.	Fuller.	Koch.	Putnam.	Yeas—43.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Rees.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 146, for "An act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac for the two years beginning July, 1903, and ending July 1, 1905.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 47.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Maher.	Small,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stringer.
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Butler,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—47.
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 153 for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements, and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 43.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	Maher.	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stringer.
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—43.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 187, for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher.	Riley,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer.
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fort,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson.
				Yeas—45.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 200, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 50.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner.	Kunz,	Putnam.
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg.	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
				Yeas—50.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 206, for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 50.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fort,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—50.
Coleman,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 295, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard, located at Bloomington, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Parker,	Stubblefield.
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—41.
Clark,	Hall,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 351, for "An act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 50.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Burnett,	Fort,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Yeas—50.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Riley,	
Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Small,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 475, for "An act making an appropriation for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 50.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Burnett,	Fort,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Yeas—50.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Maher,	Riley,	
Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Small,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 135, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Charles Balsley, Corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 49.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Small,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fort,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—49.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 161, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 46.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	Maher,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fort,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—46.
Clark,	Gardner,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 136, for "An act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark.	Haas.	Maher.	Rees.
Alden.	Coleman.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Riley.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Small.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Farnum.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Koch.	Powers.	Townsend.
Butler.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Putnam.	Walter.
Campbell.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Watson.
				Yeas—45.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 499, for "An act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Mr.

Albertsen.	Campbell.	Haas.	McKenzie.	Riley.
Alden.	Clark.	Hamilton.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Coleman.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Bailey.	Dawson.	Juul.	Parker.	Townsend.
Barr.	Dunlap.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Walter.
Berry.	Farnum.	Kunz.	Powers.	Watson.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Lundberg.	Rees.	Yeas—36.
Butler.	Gardner.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hall.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, Senate Bill No. 484, a bill for "An act to abolish imprisonment for debt,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Meehan, the bill was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Walter offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 61 by inserting in line 11, section 4 of printed bill, after the figures "33,000" the words "and more than 20,000."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 61 by striking out in line 11, section 4, printed bill, the figures "30,000" and insert "28,000."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend printed bill No. 61 (Senate) by striking out lines 24, 25, 26, 27, 28.

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 61 by striking out in line 17, section 4, the words and figures "30,000" and insert "28,000."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative, and,

On motion of Mr. Meehan, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Monday, April 27, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

Senate Bill No. 214, for "An act to amend 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 4, 1899, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 2a,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Haas.	Maher.	Riley.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Mueller.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Butler.	Farnum.	Koch.	Powers.	Walter.
Campbell	Farrelly.	Kunz.	Putnam.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Rainey.	Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Fort.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 495, for "An act to suppress pigeon shooting and similar sport,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Butler,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Walter,
Barr,	Dixon,	Juul,	Rees,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Riley,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farrelly,	Meehan,	Townsend,	Nays—4.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, Senate Bill No. 388, a bill for "An act to require corporations, companies or individuals who may employ agents, servants or employes to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employe by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purpose,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Lundberg offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 388 by striking out all of section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Any person, company, association or corporation violating the provisions of section 1, shall upon conviction be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$1000."

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, House Bill No. 409, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 121, for "An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an act therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28, nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Alden,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Evans,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Farnum,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	
Clark,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hall,	Rees.	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 263, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San José scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits,' approved and in force April 11, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Clark,	Fowler,	Maher,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Parker,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson,
Burnett,	Evans,	Koch,	Rees,	
Butler,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Stringer,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 490, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and as amended by act of June 17, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Koch,	Powers,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Maher,	Riley,	Yeas—32.
Campbell,	Haas,	McKenzie,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Hamilton,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 482, for "An act to insure better protection of the public from accidents arising out of elevator service,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

Those following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,	Watson,
Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—31.
Dawson,	Hamilton,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 481, for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Butler,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Walter,
Clark,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Rainey,	Watson,
Coleman,	Fowler,	Koch,		Yeas—28

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry,	Burnett,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Haas, House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 429, a bill for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculation in grain or other products," on the order of third reading was made the special order for Monday, April 27, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Senate Bill No. 452, for "An act authorizing school districts managed by boards of education or directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in the public schools, and authorizing payment therefor from the State common school funds,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Evans,	Jandus,	Maher,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Juul,	Meehan,	Rees,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Mueller,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Powers,	Yeas—26.
Dawson,	Haas,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Hamilton,	Humphrey,	Stubblefield,	Nays—4.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 827, for "An act to amend section seven of Chapter thirty-seven of an act fixing the terms of holding court in the several Judicial Circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook County, approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" as amended, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Yeas—35.
Clark,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments thereto.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 145, for "An act to amend section thirty-two of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to Circuit Courts and the Superior Court of Cook county,' approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dixon, from the Committee on Military, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 501, for "An act to

establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 362, for "An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled, 'An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois Rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and

The question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	Juul,	Powers,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,			Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of this bill.

Senate Bill No. 390, for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning Circuit Courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the Judicial Circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,	
Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Riley,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dawson, Senate Bill No. 210, a bill for "An act relating to the assignment by any person of his or her future unearned wages, salary or compensation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Dawson offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 210 by adding thereto, after the word "person" on line 5 of the printed bill, the following: "Except where such assignment,

transfer or pledge shall have been made in payment of or for food, clothing or the necessities of life actually and in good faith sold and delivered by the assignee or pledgee to the person making such assignment, transfer or pledge or to his family,"

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hall, House Bill No. 765, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act regarding fees for the incorporation and the increase of capital stock of companies and corporations in this State,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,'"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question then being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 167, for "An act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Burnett,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Stringer.
Alden,	Campbell,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Haas,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Butler,	Hamilton,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That when both houses adjourn on Friday, April 24, 1903, that they stand adjourned until 10:00 o'clock, Tuesday morning, April 28, 1903.

Adopted by the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 448, for "An act to amend section 22 of article VI of an act entitled 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free

schools,' in force May 21, 1889, by adding to said section 22 of article VI of said act a paragraph to be numbered twelfth,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Walter,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Berry,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—28.
Butler,	Haas,	Maier,	Riley,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, House Bill No. 121, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam and other hard road,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following Senate amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, April 23, 1903:

Amend House Bill No. 121, line eight (8), by striking out the word "county" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "road district."

Amend House Bill No. 121, line ten (10), by striking out the word "meeting" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "election."

Amend House Bill No. 121, line thirteen (13), by striking out the word "districts" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "district."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

By unanimous consent Mr. Meehan offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 37.

WHEREAS, The sad news has come to us of the death of the Honorable Deloss L. Griggsby, a former member of the Legislature of this State in the 38th General Assembly from the 36th district.

WHEREAS, We realize that in the death of one of our former members and a fellow citizen, the State of Illinois has lost a valued citizen and statesman, and his family a loving and devoted member. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved family and friends our most sincere and heartfelt sympathy, and in testimony of which it is ordered that this memento and resolution be spread at large, on the records of the Senate, and that a copy of the same under the great Seal of the State of Illinois be forwarded to the decedent family at Pittsfield, Illinois.

Resolved, That as a further respect to his memory, this Senate do now adjourn, until Monday, April 27th, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, the foregoing resolution was taken up for consideration and unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And thereupon, the President *pro tempore* of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until Monday, April 27, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1903, 5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, April 24, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The President of the Senate presented eleven petitions from local unions of the Chicago Federation of Labor, protesting against the passage of what is known as the Educational bill of the Chicago Federation of Labor, which, on motion of Mr. Farnum, were referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE
SECOND TIME.

House Bill No. 195, a bill for "An act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 802, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants,'"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 288, a bill for "An act to amend section 18 of Article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, ordered printed,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 289, a bill for "An act to amend section 15 of article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 290, a bill for "An act to amend sections 32, 33 and 34 of article III of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 298, a bill for "An act to repeal section 19 of Article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 299, a bill for "An act to amend section 17 of Article IV of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall this bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 716, a bill for "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force February 10, 1898, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Berry, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Which was a special order for today, was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment reported from the Committee on Appropriations, April 22, 1903:

Amend House Bill No. 38 by striking out in section 1 the following words and figures: "fifty dollars (\$50) per acre" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500)".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An act entitled an act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 429, a bill for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculation in grain and other products,"

Which was a special order for today, was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

House Bill No. 714, a bill for "An act to require drainage districts lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying into a lower drainage district, whether such districts be organized under the same or different drainage laws of this State to pay to the lower drainage district, for benefits received, if any, by the lands of the upper district, by the enlarging or improving of the ditches or drains of the lower district, or the construction of an outlet or outlets for the ditches or drains of the lower districts, within or outside the boundaries of said lower district; and to provide for the collection and payment of such benefits,

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 713, a bill for "An act to amend section 59 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agriculture, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named,' approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the consideration of House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars and for a penalty for violation of this act,"

Was made the special order for Tuesday, April 28, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Rees introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 505, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor," which

Was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Rees, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rees, Senate Bill No. 503, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 5:10 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 61.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 388.

A bill for an act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employes to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employe by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purposes.

SENATE BILL No. 484.

A bill for an act to abolish imprisonment for debt.

SENATE BILL No. 498.

A bill for an act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents.

SENATE BILL No. 210.

A bill for an act relating to the assignment by any person of his or her future unearned wages, salary, or compensation.

SENATE BILL No. 503.

A bill for an act to amend section 10 of "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate bill of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 28th day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 147.

A bill for an act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick in the State of Illinois, and the regulation of institutions which graduate or confer degrees or diplomas on nurses, and the graduates thereof, by the State Board of Health, and imposing a penalty for violations of its provisions.

Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 133, for "An act to regulate the speed of automobiles, and other horseless conveyances, upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 641, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections, to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent Mr. Fowler introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 506, a bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act creating the office of supervising architect of the State of Illinois, and defining his powers and duties."

Mr. Fowler moved that the bill be ordered to a second reading without reference to a committee.

Mr. Dawson moved to lay Mr. Fowler's motion on the table.

The yeas and nays being demanded it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 19; nays 10.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,

Clark,
Dawson,
Dixon,
Evans,

Farnum,
Fuller,
Haas,
Hall,

Helm
Humphrey,
Koch,
Kunz,

McKenzie.
Mueller,
Riley.
Yeas—19.

Those voting in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,
Dunlap,
Farrelly,

Fowler,
Pemberton,

Rees,
Stringer,

Stubblefield,
Templeton,

Nays—10.

On motion of Mr. Dawson the bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 287.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control," approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

Passed by the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 123.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

HOUSE BILL NO. 331.

A bill for an act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 634.

An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 745.

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 122.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 605.

A bill for an act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1.

Amend by inserting the word "wilfully" after the word "person" in line 3 of section 26 of the printed bill.

No. 2.

Amend by inserting after the word "and," in line 18, section 13 of printed bill, the following: "reported to the Governor and by him."

No. 3.

Amend section 25 of printed bill by striking out of line 2, section 25, the words and figures "May 1, 1904," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1904."

And amend line 7 of section 25 by striking out the words and figures "May 1, 1904," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "July 1, 1904."

No. 4.

Amend section twenty-one (21) of the printed bill by adding the following: "or unless it shall also appear to the said Board of Prison Industries that said articles can be purchased cheaper in the open market."

Concurred in by the House, April 24, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 619.

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the County of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 827.

An act to amend section seven of chapter thirty-seven of an act fixing the terms of holding court in the several judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 827 by striking out the word "third" in line 8 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "second."

Amend by striking out all of line 6, section 7 of printed bill, after the word "Champaign" and all of line 7 up to and including the word "March" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"On the first Monday in January, the first Monday in April and the first Monday in September of each year."

Concurred in by the House April 24, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 36.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, as amended April 19, 1899,

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend by striking out in line 10 of printed bill the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Concurred in by the House April 24, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. J. B. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 102.

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of article one (1) of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899.

Passed by the House by a two-third vote, April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 122, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House bill No. 123, a bill for "An act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 331, a bill for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Coleman, was ordered to second reading.

House Bill No. 745, a bill for "An act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Coleman was ordered to second reading.

House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be suspended and that the bill be ordered to a second reading without reference.

The yeas and nays being demanded it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 11.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Mueller,	Riley.
Alden,	Coleman,	Jandus,	Parker,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Maher,	Putnam,	Watson.
Barr,	Dunlap,	McCabe,	Rainey,	Yeas—26,
Butler,	Farrelly,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Berry,	Hamilton,	Koch,	Stubblefield,	Walter,
Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Townsend,	Nays—11.
Gardner,	Hughes,			

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 171.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of "An act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed the House April 24, 1903.

Together with the following amendment, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 171, by striking out in line 13 of the printed bill the word "second" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "third" and by inserting in said line 13 after the word "April" the word "July" and by adding after the word "November" in said line 13 the words "*Provided*, That the July term shall be devoted exclusively to the trial of chancery cases and to the trial and transactions in civil and criminal cases not requiring a jury, and no jury shall be impaneled for the July term."

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Riley,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Fowler,	Maher,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rainey,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois,

Which, having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Mr. Parker moved that rule 41 of the Senate be suspended to allow him to make a motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was ordered to third reading.

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 14, nays, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dawson,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Butler,	Dixon,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson,
Coleman,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rainey,	Yeas—14.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Barr,	Fuller,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Walter,
Berry,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Nays—27.
Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,		

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	Juul,	Rees,	Yeas—37.
Coleman,	Haas,	Koch,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Dawson,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,	Nays—4.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, April 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of justice of the peace in the county of Cook the person below named, his town being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the Town of Hyde Park—Frank Foster, to succeed Ed Lewis.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to a special committee consisting of the Cook county Senators.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President.—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate the following persons to fill the offices below set opposite to their respective names, namely:

Members Court of Claims—Luther M. Dearborn, 100 Washington street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed William C. Jones of Crawford county, term expired; James M. Lee of Decatur. Macon county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Douglas W. Helm of Massac county, resigned.

Members State Board of Charities—A. S. Wright of Woodstock, McHenry county, for the term ending April 9, 1907, to succeed Emil S. Hirsch of Chicago, Cook county, resigned; James A. Glenn of Ashland, Cass county, for the term ending April 9, 1908, to succeed Julia Lathrop of Rockford, Winnebago county, resigned.

Members State Board of Arbitration—Chauncey B. Geiger of Ashley. Washington county, for the term ending March 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Walter A. Mathis of Centrallia, Marion county, for the term ending March 1, 1906, to succeed D. J. Keefe of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

Member of the State Board of Health—Henry Richings of Rockford, Winnebago county, for the term ending Dec. 30, 1907, to succeed Florence W. Hunt of Chicago, Cook county, term expired.

Member State Board of Pharmacy—Matthias C. Metzger of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending Dec. 30, 1907, to succeed W. C. Simpson of Vienna, Johnson county, term expired.

Members of the Canal Commission—William L. Sackett of Morris, Grundy county, for the term ending April 15th, 1903, to succeed C. E. Miller of La Salle county, resigned; Clarence E. Snively of Canton, Fulton county, for the term ending April 15th, 1905, to succeed himself; William R. Newton of Yorkville, Kendall county, for the term ending April 15th, 1905, to succeed himself.

Members of Live Stock Commission—Anthony W. Sale of Springfield, Sangamon county, for the term ending April 21st, 1905, to succeed himself.; William P. Smith of Monticello, Piatt county, for the term ending April 21st, 1906, to succeed himself.

State Food Commissioner—Alfred H. Jones of Robinson, Crawford county, for the term ending July 1st, 1905, to succeed himself, his term having expired.

Members of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission—Isaac L. Ellwood of DeKalb, DeKalb county, for the term ending January 1st, 1903, to succeed James McKinney of Mercer county, resigned; James S. Neville of Bloomington, McLean county, for the term ending January 1st, 1905, to succeed C. J. Lindly of Bond county, term expired; Arthur L. French of Chapin, Morgan county, for the term ending January 1st, 1905, to succeed himself, his term having expired.

Members of the Board of Pardons—Montreville T. Layman of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending July 1st, 1904, to succeed Frank Crane of Chicago, Cook county, resigned; Andrew Russel of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending July 1st., 1905, to succeed himself.

Member of the Fish Commission—August Lenke of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1st, 1903, to succeed Adolph F. Gartz of Cook county, resigned.

Members Board of Examiners of Architects—Harry B. Wheelock of Evanston, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed C. W. Nothnagel of Chicago, Cook county, removed; Peter B. Wight of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself; H. Clifford Ricker of Champaign, Champaign county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, (at East St. Louis)—Philip D. Hebner of Mascoutah, St. Clair county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed S. E. Nichols of Lebanon, St. Clair county, term expired.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, (Chicago)—Sehon G. Wadsworth of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Thomas J. Cavanagh, term expired.

Superintendent Free Employment Office (West Side) Chicago—Stephen P. Revere of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Frederick E. Erickson, term expired.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office. (West Side,) Chicago—Patrick J. Meaney of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Clerk Free Employment Office, (West Side,) Chicago—Lizzie Henneberry of Chicago, Cook county, for term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed herself.

Superintendent Free Employment Office, (South Side,) Chicago—George W. Geary of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office, (South Side,) Chicago—Angus A. Barnes of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed John Felker of Chicago, resigned.

Clerk Free Employment Office, (South Side,) Chicago—Margaret E. May of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed herself.

Superintendent Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—David M. Brothers of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed W. E. Goodman, term expired.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—Thomas Devenish of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Clerk Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—Miss Selma Bostrom of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Mrs. J. C. Schaufel.

Superintendent Free Employment Office, Peoria—Edward E. Walker of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office, Peoria—David E. Congesky of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Clerk Free Employment Office, Peoria—Charles E. Easton of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Members of the State Board of Dental Examiners—G. H. Damron of Arcola, Douglas county, for the term ending July 1, 1906, to succeed H. W. Pitner of Fairfield, Wayne county, resigned; Clark R. Rowley, 167 Dearborn street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed J. H. Smyser, resigned; T. W. Pritchett of Whitehall, Greene county, for the term ending July 1, 1904, to succeed W. C. Jocelyn of Cairo, Alexander county, resigned; Donald M. Gallie, 100 State street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Clarence C. Corbett of Madison county, resigned; J. G. Reid, 126 State street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1907, to succeed himself.

Members of Board of Commissioners of Labor—George L. Pittenger of Centralia, Marion county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Samuel M. Dalzell of Spring Valley, Bureau county, term expired; Randolph Smith of Flora, Clay county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself; William S. Boyer of Galesburg, Knox county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed L. W. Fribourg of Decatur, Macon county, term expired; Edward Wills of Decatur, Macon county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Thomas D. Kelligar of Pana, Christian county, term expired; Michael H. Madden of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed P. H. Donnelly of Chicago, Cook county, resigned, John Felker having been appointed temporarily to fill the unexpired term.

Member Board of Trustees of the Northern Insane Hospital—James B. Lane of Elgin, Kane county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Western Hospital for the Insane—Frank W. Gould of Moline, Rock Island county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Eastern Hospital for the Insane—Almet Powell of Gilman, Iroquois county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Southern Hospital for the Insane—Walter H. Wood of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Central Hospital for the Insane—William L. Fay of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed himself, he having been temporarily appointed for the term ending March 1st, 1903, to succeed John B. Joy, deceased, January 7th, 1902.

Commissioner Illinois State Penitentiary—George T. Buckingham of Danville, Vermilion county, for the term ending July 1st, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members Board of Managers of the State Reformatory—Homer F. Aspinwall of Freeport, Stephenson county, for the term ending July 1st, 1905, to succeed John J. Lane, resigned; Garrett DeF. Kinney of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1st, 1907, to succeed Homer F. Aspinwall, resigned.

Trustee of the State Institution for the Blind—George W. Moore of Arnold, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1st, 1909, to succeed William L. Fay, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Industrial Home for the Blind—Belle T. Hyman of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1st, 1905, to succeed F. S. Peabody of Cook county, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb—Francis H. Wemple of Waverly, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1st, 1907, to succeed Edward S. Greenleaf of Morgan county, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees Soldiers' and Sailor's Home—Charles W. Hawes of Rock Island county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself; Joseph B. Messick of East St. Louis, St. Clair county, for the term ending March 1, 1907, to succeed C. V. Chandler, resigned, C. D. Kendall having been temporarily appointed.

Member Board of Trustees State Training School for Girls—Fanny J. Howe, of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1st, 1904, to succeed B. E. Sunny, resigned; Henry C. Whittemore of Sycamore, DeKalb county, for the term ending March 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Charles E. Smiley of Du Page county, for the term ending March 1, 1906, to succeed himself; Mrs. Flora G. Moulton, 2119 Calumet avenue, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1, 1904, to succeed Victoria M. Richardson of Cook county, term expired.

Members Board of Trustees of Soldiers' Orphans' Home—William G. Cochran of Sullivan, Moultrie county, for the term ending March 1, 1907, to succeed himself; N. B. Thistlewood of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed A. S. Wright of McHenry county, resigned; Benson Wood of Effingham, Effingham county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members of State Board of Education—B. O. Willard of Rushville, Schuyler county, for the term ending February 18, 1905, to succeed N. W. Shanahan of Cook county, resigned; Frank Horn of Du Quoin, Perry county, for the term ending July 1, 1907, to succeed Charles D. Bent of Whiteside county, resigned; Edward A. Gastman of Decatur, Macon county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Edward R. Kimbrough of Danville, Vermillion county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Charles L. Capen of Bloomington, McLean county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Joseph L. Robertson of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members Board of Trustees Soldiers' Widows' Home—Walter C. Newberry of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Martha K. Baxter of Pawnee, Sangamon county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Mrs. Derella W. Johnson of Cook county, resigned; Margaret I. Sandes of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Flo Jamison Miller, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees Southern Illinois Normal University—W. S. Phillips of Ridgway, Gallatin county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed J. S. Martin of Marion county, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Eastern Illinois Normal School—H. G. Van Sandt of Montrose, Effingham county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed W. H. Hainline of McDonough county, resigned.

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Western Normal School—Fred R. Jelliff of Galesburg, Knox county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed I. H. Southwick, resigned; George W. Ross of Carrollton, Greene county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed C. V. Chandler of Macomb, McDonough county, resigned; Frank W. Blane of Petersburg, Menard county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed S. P. Robison of McLean county, term expired, S. A. Fairbank having been temporarily appointed.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (at Peoria)—R. M. Hanna of Peoria, Peoria county, to succeed Samuel S. Smith, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

Mr. Pemberton from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 102, of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 28th day of April, 1903, laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

An act to amend section two (2) of article I of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an act approved and in force March 14, 1899.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed on April 9, 1903, be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Berry, the further consideration of the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, April 29, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 61, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Bailey.	Dixon.	Humphrey.	Maher.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Evans.	Jandus.	McKenzie.	Townsend.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Meehan.	Walter.
Butler.	Fowler.	Koch.	Putnam.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Rainey.	
Coleman.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Riley.	Yeas—30.
Dawson.	Hamilton.			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Alden.	Dunlap.	Nays—3.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 429, for "An act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculation in grain or other products," which

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 18; nays, 15.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Burnett.	Farnum.	Gardner.	Townsend.
Bailey.	Coleman.	Farrelly.	Helm.	Walter.
Barr.	Dunlap.	Fort.	Pemberton.	
Berry.	Evans.	Fowler.	Templeton.	Yeas—18.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Lundberg.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Butler.	Fuller.	McCabe.	Rainey.	
Campbell.	Haas.	Meehan.	Rees.	Nays—15.
Dawson.	Humphrey.			

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act entitled 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," on the order of second reading.

Mr. Berry offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Strike out in line 9, section 9 of printed bill, the words and figures "two thousand (2,000)" and insert the words and figures "eighteen hundred (1800)".

Strike out of line 10, section 9, the words and figures "one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (1,250)", and insert the words and figures "twelve hundred dollars (1,200)".

Mr. Berry offered the following amendment to the bill:

Strike out of line 11, section 9, the words and figures "18" and insert the words and figures "14".

Mr. Dunlap moved that the foregoing amendment be laid on the table,

And the yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays 9.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Coleman.	Helm.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Bailey.	Dawson.	Hughes.	Maher.	Riley.
Barr.	Dixon.	Humphrey.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Burnett.	Dunlap.	Jandus.	Parker.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Juul.	Putnam.	Watson.
Clark.	Hall.	Kunz.	Rainey.	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Evans.	Gardner.	Koch.	Walter.
Berry.	Farnum.	Hamilton.	Mueller.	Nays—9.

The question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading, and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, the consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was made the special order for Wednesday, April 29, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Mr. Berry gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, make a motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was ordered to a third reading,

Mr. Berry gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, make a motion to reconsider the vote whereby his amendments to the bill were adopted.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 37, for "An act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for a penalty for violation of this act," which,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and

The question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Riley.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Evans.	Helm.	McCabe.	Templeton.
Butler.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Townsend.
Clark.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Parker.	Walter.
Coleman.	Fowler.	Juul.	Rainey.	Watson.
Dawson.	Haas.	Kunz.	Rees.	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Kunz, House Bill No. 186, for "An act for the relief of the blind,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 41; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Haas.	Koch.	Rainey.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Kunz.	Riley.
Andrus.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Lundberg.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Helm.	McCabe.	Templeton.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Townsend.
Berry.	Fort.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Walter.
Butler.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Juul.	Parker.	
Clark.	Gardner.			Yeas—41.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Stubblefield. Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 195, for "An act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois.

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 26; nays 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dixon.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Riley.
Barr.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Maher.	Watson.
Butler.	Evans.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Yeas—26.
Campbell.	Farnum.	Juul.	Parker.	
Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Putnam.	
Dawson.	Haas.	Kunz.	Rainey.	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Fort,	Hughes,	Rees,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	McCabe,	Stringer,	Nays—23.
Burnett,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Mueller moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill passed.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Barr, from the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 339, for "An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fuller, House Bill No. 59, for "An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, 'An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 37; nays 7.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Maher,	Rainey,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Rees,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Campbell,	Fort,	Juul,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Clark,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Parker,	Walter,
Dawson,	Gardner,			Yeas—37.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Fowler,	Helm,	Templeton,	Nays—7.
Coleman,	Hamilton,	Koch,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately,

And having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed as amended.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, House Bill No. 245, for "An act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,	Walter,
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson,
				Yeas—40.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Fowler,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

At 12:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m.

3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 28, for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 89, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University at Normal, Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 223, for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 243, for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 305, for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 331, for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 349, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the Committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 356, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee Keepers' Association," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 403, for "An act appropriating eight hundred and eighty dollars (\$880) to reimburse the First Infantry, Illinois National Guard, for property turned over by said regiment to the State of Illinois at the time when said regiment was mustered into the service of the United States during the Spanish-American war," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 426, for "An act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintainance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding, in the county of LaSalle and State of Illinois, to the memory of the sixteen men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians under the Chief Black Hawk, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1832," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 520, for "An act making provision for the refunding of surplus funds in the State Treasury to the credit of

the bond funds of counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts and other municipal corporations having bonds registered in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when such bonds have become barred by the statute of limitations," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 785, for "An act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 786, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 806, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" in was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 807, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the order of reading bills from the House of Representatives the second time was taken up for consideration.

House Bill No. 42, a bill for "An act to amend section 53 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 464, a bill for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 63, a bill for "An act to authorize the several county and probate judges in this State to interchange, hold court for each other and perform each others duties."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 220, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act in regard to Attorneys General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 145, a bill for "An act to amend section thirty-two of 'an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved February 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 339, a bill for "An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 641, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. McCabe, House Bill No. 698, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining States, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridge, and in adjoining counties, and acquire stock in and guarantee bonds of such street railways,' approved June 4, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Mr. Dawson moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill until tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the motion to postpone was laid on the table.

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas.	Kunz.	Putnam.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Helm.	McCabe.	Riley.
Bailey.	Evans.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Stringer.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Berry.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Parker.	Walter.
Butler.	Fuller.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Campbell.				Yeas—36.

Ordered that the titled be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Berry moved to reconsider the foregoing vote whereby the bill passed.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, Senate Bill No. 388, for "An act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employés to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employé by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purpose,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 25; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Coleman.	Hamilton.	Lundberg.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dawson.	Helm.	Maher.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Dixon.	Jandus.	Putnam.	Templeton.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Rees.	Walter.
Butler.	Fowler.	Kunz.	Riley.	Watson.
				Yeas—25

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Farnum.	Humphrey.	Nays—2.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hall, House Bill No. 765, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act regarding fees for the incorporation and the increase of capital stock of companies and corporations in this State,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dawson.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Riley.
Bailey.	Dixon.	Helm.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Barr.	Evans.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Parker.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Koch.	Putnam.	Yeas—38.
Coleman.	Haas.	Kunz.	Rees.	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton. Nays—1.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, Senate Bill No. 316 for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintainance by any person of his wife or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Evans.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Templeton.
Andrus.	Farrelly.	Lundberg.	Putnam.	Townsend.
Barr.	Haas.	McCabe.	Rainey.	Walter.
Berry.	Hall.	McKenzie.	Rees.	Watson.
Clark.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stringer.	Yeas—28.
Dixon.	Jandus.	Parker.	Stubblefield.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the consideration of the bill was made the special order for April 29, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An act to establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" It was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 713, for "An act to amend section 59, of an act entitled, "An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof, entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,'" approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled and to repeal certain laws therein named," approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Rees,	Watson,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Riley,	
Campbell,	Hall,	Mueller,	Stringer,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bill No. 171 of the following title has been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 28th day of April, 1903, was laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 171,

An act to amend section 3 of "An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of justice of the peace in and for the town of Calumet, in the county of Cook, Andrew Gillespie, 808 West One Hundred and Third street, to succeed to the position now held by J. W. Beach.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES.

Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to a special committee consisting of Cook county Senators.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint John McGillen of 535 Cleveland avenue, Chicago, Cook county, as trustee of the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, to succeed William Barclay of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 714, for "An act to require drainage districts lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying into a lower drainage district, whether such districts be organized under the same or different drainage laws of this State, to pay to the lower drainage district for benefits received, if any, by the lands of the upper district by the enlarging or improving of the ditches or drains of the lower district, or the construction of an outlet or outlets for the ditches or drains of the lower district, within or outside the boundaries of said lower district, and to provide for the collection and payment of such benefits,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Barr,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Rees,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Riley,	
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Stringer,	Yeas—32.
Butler,	Haas,	McKenzie	Stubblefield,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 71, for "An act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence and to provide for their compensation, in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 33; nays 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Butler,
Campbell,

Clark,
Farnum,
Fuller,
Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,
Hamilton,

Helm,
Humphrey,
Jandus,
Juul,
Kunz,
Maher,
McKenzie,

Meehan,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Putnam,
Rees,
Riley,

Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Townsend,
Walter,
Watson,
Yeas—33.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Coleman,

Fowler,

Nays—2.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 505, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and that it be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill so referred.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 212.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 338.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.

HOUSE BILL NO. 354.

A bill for an act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 212, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutions,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 338, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 354, a bill for an act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 358.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.

HOUSE BILL NO. 456.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST
TIME.

House Bill No. 358, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders Association."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 456, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois.

Was taken up and read at large a first^d time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 9, for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment reported from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to-day:

Amend House Bill No. 9, by inserting after the last word in the last line, the following words:

"Provided, that this act shall not apply in counties of the third class."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, House Bill No. 121, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard road,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Butler.	Haas.	Kunz.	Riley.
Andrus.	Campbell.	Hall.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Bailey.	Dawson.	Helm.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Barr.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Berry.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Putnam.	
Burnett.	Fuller.	Juul.	Rees.	Yeas—27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 264, for "An act to amend section twenty-one (21), article five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 27; nays 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hughes	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Watson.
Butler,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Riley,	
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,		Yeas—27.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Dawson,	Fowler,	Hamilton,	Stringer,
Coleman,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 519, for "An act to amend section 80 of an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved and in force April 9, 1891,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Riley,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,	Watson.
				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Stubblefield,	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 802, for "An act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Evans,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Campbell,	Farnum,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Clark,	Fuller,	Mueller,	Walter,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Haas,	Putnam,	Watson,
Barr,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Rees,	
Berry,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Riley,	
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Maher,	Stringer,	Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, Senate Bill No. 498, for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 19, nays, 13.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Barr,	Dawson,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Berry,	Haas,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Campbell,	Hall,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Clark,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Yeas—19.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Farrelly,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Watson,
Coleman,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Rees,	
Farnum,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	Nays—13.

House Bill No. 409, for "An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices,' approved Feb. 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Rainey,
Alden,	Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Helm,	Maher,	Walter,
Barr,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hall,	Rees,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 14.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902.

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote, April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 751.

A bill for an act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same a forest preserve and public park.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 751, a bill for "An act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same, a forest preserve and public park.

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. McKenzie gave notice that he would, within the next legislative day, enter a motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents," failed to pass today.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Fowler, April 15, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 36.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to call from labor to rest the Hon. Chas. M. Farrel, a distinguished citizen, statesman and soldier, he having expired on the 29th day of July, 1901; and

WHEREAS, He descended from a family distinguished for learning, courage, patriotism and statesmanship, being himself the son of a noble sire; and

WHEREAS, In the late Rebellion, when the war cloud hung heavy and low over our land, he volunteered his services in the defense of the flag of his country, and as captain of Company "A" of the 29th Regiment, Illinois Volunteers, he led to the fore front one hundred brave boys in blue from their peaceful and happy home in Hardin county, Illinois, to bloody fields of carnage and war to preserve the union of these states; and

WHEREAS, His ability as a leader, his bravery as a soldier and his distinguished services in the battles of Fort Henry and Fort Donnellson, won for him the admiration of his superiors in office, and as a mark of his distin-

guished services in the battle of Fort Donnelson, where his brigade in command of Major General McLernand, was the first to meet the enemy and was the last to oppose it on that dreadful day, and as a mark of recognition he was commissioned lieutenant colonel of the 29th Regiment, Illinois Volunteers on the 14th day of March, 1862; and

WHEREAS, On the bloody battlefield of Shiloh and Corinth again he proved his worth as a soldier and leader of men, having stood where shot and shell ranged thickest, where steel met steel, and the blood of dying soldiers hastened on in rivulets to make red the waters of the beautiful Tennessee, and as a further mark of recognition of bravery and heroism he was promoted to the rank of colonel of the 29th Regiment of Illinois Volunteers on the 4th day of September, 1862; and

WHEREAS, He was engaged in many other battles of that dreadful conflict, always deporting himself equal to the emergency, courageous and brave; and

WHEREAS, He served his State with marked distinction as State Senator from the 51st Senatorial District in the 28th General Assembly of the State of Illinois; in all these public positions, his sagacity as a citizen, his ability as a statesman, his courage and bravery as a soldier, his honor as a man, won for him the respect and love of all who knew him, and undying fame for his memory. Physically, he was large and handsome. A type of perfect physical manhood. Mentally, he was strong and attractive. Throughout his entire life, his career both public and private, was marked with a strong personality of character and devotion, which drew about him wise and good men of the best interests. He never shifted responsibility, but always dared to stand where duty called, whether it be in private life to minister to the poor and unfortunate, or on danger's fields of hissing bullets and glittering steel; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, express its profound sorrow for his death. That the State of Illinois and the United States of America have lost an eminent statesman, a brave soldier, a loyal citizen, a truly good and great man; his friends a congenial and brilliant comrade, and his relatives a devoted, kind and loving protector, whose memory will be kept green while life shall endure; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolution be properly engrossed by the Secretary of the Senate, and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the relatives of the deceased; and be it further

Resolved, As a mark of respect to his memory this Senate do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative, unanimously, by a rising vote, and

At 5:00 o'clock p. m., the President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until tomorrow morning.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Albertsen, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An act to amend sections forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill passed April 8, 1903, be reconsidered?"

On motion of Mr. Berry, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of House Bill No. 337, "A bill for an act entitled, 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,'" on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hall, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Friday, May 1, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 402.

A bill for an act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow, three thousand dollars on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as a private in Company K, First Regiment Infantry, Illinois National Guard, when in active service.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 506.

A bill for an act in relation to wages earned out of this State.

HOUSE BILL NO. 778.

A bill for an act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with wash rooms for the use of the miners therein employed.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 176.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled, "An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same," approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and amended by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 455.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 490.

A bill for an act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or of his minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 152.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration.

Passed the House by two-thirds vote, April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 510.

A bill for an act relating to employment offices and agencies.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 846.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School.

HOUSE BILL No. 848.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School.

HOUSE BILL No. 847.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School.

Passed the House April 28, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 152, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 176, a bill for "An act to amend section 4 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and amended by an act of the General Assembly of the State of the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 402, a bill for "An act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow three thousand dollars on account of the death of their son George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as a private in Company K, First Regiment Infantry, Illinois National Guard, when in active service,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 455, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Fuller, was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

House Bill No. 490, a bill for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 506, a bill for "An act in relation to wages earned out of this State,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to second reading.

House Bill No. 510, a bill for "An act relating to employment offices and agencies,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and, by unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 778, a bill for "An act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with wash rooms for the use of the miners therein employed," was taken up and read at large a first time, and ordered printed.

Mr. Hamilton moved that the bill be ordered to a second reading, which motion was lost, and,

On motion of Mr. Hall, was referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

House Bill No. 846, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 848, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 847, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 285.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring additional lands or territory contiguous to or abutting upon any park, boulevard or driveway under the control of such park commissioners, and to pay for the lands or territory thus acquired," approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed the House, April 28, 1903, by a two-thirds vote, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 285, adopted by the House April 28, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by adding thereto the words, "And to amend the title thereof."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section one, page 2, line 7, printed bill by striking out the words, "and the title thereof."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out lines 9, 10 and 11, page 2, where they first occur; also by inserting after line 24, page 4, of the printed bill the following section:

Section 3. That the title of said act be amended to read as follows: "An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems under their control by acquiring and improving additional lands or territory and to pay for such acquisition and improvement."

Also change the numbering of section 3 to section 4.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill, and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark.	Haas.	Koch.	Parker.
Alden.	Dixon.	Hall.	Kunz.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Lundberg.	Rainey.
Bailey.	Evans.	Helm.	Maher.	Rees.
Barr.	Farnum.	Hughes.	McCabe.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	McKenzie.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fuller.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Walter.
Butler.	Gardner.	Juul.	Mueller.	
Campbell.				

Yeas—40.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Parker, April 2, 1903:

Senate Resolution No. 34.

WHEREAS, By article V, section 20 of the State Constitution, it is provided that "An account shall be kept by the officers of the executive department and of all the public institutions of the State, of all moneys received or disbursed by them, severally, from all sources, and for every service performed, and a semi-annual report thereof made to the Governor under oath; and

WHEREAS, It appears that for some years past all such officers of both parties have failed to make such report, and that this salutary provision of the Constitution is likely to lapse from lack of use; therefore,

Resolved, That all such officers be, and they are hereby required to make such reports hereafter and to make and file at once with the Governor for the use of the General Assembly such reports for the last preceding completed half of the fiscal year.

Mr. Parker offered the following substitute therefor:

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Senate that from this time forth there should be filed with the Governor by each of the officers of the executive departments, the superintendents, presidents or wardens of the public institu-

tions of the State, and the heads of commissions and boards, in accordance with section 20, article V of the Constitution, a semi-annual report under oath of all the moneys received or disbursed by them; that the Auditor of Public Accounts should prepare proper blanks or forms for such reports to the end that the same shall be as nearly as possible uniform; that such reports shall each contain, amongst other things, the names of all persons to whom money shall have been paid and the amount thereof and the purpose for which the payment was made; and that the Secretary of the Senate be, and is hereby instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution to each officer, superintendent, president or warden, and head of a board or commission, together with a request on behalf of the Senate that such reports be made and filed.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the further consideration of the resolution and substitute was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, April 30, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Humphrey, from the special committee consisting of the Cook county Senators, to which was referred the nominations of the Governor made April 24, 1903, and April 28, 1903, for justices of the peace of Cook county, made the following report:

To the Honorable, the Senate:

We, the Special Committee of Cook County Senators, beg leave to report as follows on the nominations for justices of the peace:

We recommend the confirmation of all the justices of the peace nominated by the Governor, with the exception of the following:

Henry D. Smalley, to succeed Edwin D. Rhodes, for the town of Lake.

N. J. Mohan, to succeed E. E. Wilder, for the town of Calumet.

Frank Foster, to succeed Ed Lewis, for the town of Hyde Park.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN HUMPHREY, Chairman.

NIELS JUUL, Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing report was referred to the executive session.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 354, for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriation therefor," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the bill was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto reported from the Committee on Appropriations today:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out all of lines 23 and 24 of section 1 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out in line 11 of section 2 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out in lines 11 and 12 of section 4 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00)."

Amendment No. 4.

Strike out in lines 5 and 6 of section 5 of printed bill the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00)."

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out in line 8 of section 6 of printed bill, the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00)."

Amendment No. 6.

Strike out all of section 7.

Amendment No. 7.

Strike out all of section 8.

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 10:30 o'clock, a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering messages from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive message, received April 28, 1903, was taken up and read:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President: I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, April 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate the following persons to fill the offices below set opposite to their respective names, namely:

Member Court of Claims—Luther M. Dearborn, 100 Washington street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed William C.

Jones, of Crawford county, term expired; James M. Lee, of Decatur, Macon county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Douglas W. Helm, of Massac county, resigned.

Members State Board of Charities—A. S. Wright, of Woodstock, McHenry county, for the term ending April 9, 1907, to succeed Emil S. Hirsch, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned; James A. Glenn, of Ashland, Cass county, for the term ending April 9, 1908, to succeed Julia Lathrop, of Rockford, Winnebago county, resigned.

Members State Board of Arbitration—Chauncey B. Geiger, of Ashley, Washington county, for the term ending March 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Walter A. Mathis, of Centralia, Marion county, for the term ending March 1, 1906, to succeed D. J. Keefe, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

Member of the State Board of Health—Henry Richings, of Rockford, Winnebago county, for the term ending December 30, 1907, to succeed Florence W. Hunt, of Chicago, Cook county, term expired.

Member State Board of Pharmacy—Matthias C. Metzger, of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending December 30, 1907, to succeed W. C. Simpson, of Vienna, Johnson county, term expired.

Members of the Canal Commission—William L. Sackett, of Morris, Grundy county, for the term ending April 15, 1903, to succeed C. E. Miller, of LaSalle county, resigned; Clarence E. Snively, of Canton, Fulton county, for the term ending April 15, 1905, to succeed himself; William R. Newton, Yorkville, Kendall county, for the term ending April 15, 1905, to succeed himself.

Members of the Live Stock Commission—Anthony W. Sale, of Springfield, Sangamon county, for the term ending April 21, 1905, to succeed himself; William P. Smith, of Monticello, Piatt county, for the term ending April 21, 1906, to succeed himself.

State Food Commissioner—Alfred H. Jones, of Robinson, Crawford county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself, his term having expired.

Members of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission—Isaac L. Ellwood of DeKalb, DeKalb county, for the term ending January 1, 1903, to succeed James McKinney of Mercer county, resigned; James S. Neville of Bloomington, McLean county, for the term ending January 1, 1905, to succeed C. J. Lindly of Bond county, term expired; Arthur L. French of Chapin, Morgan county, for the term ending January 1, 1905, to succeed himself, his term having expired.

Members of the Board of Pardons—Montreville T. Layman of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending July 1, 1904, to succeed Frank Crane of Chicago, Cook county, resigned; Andrew Russel of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself.

Member of the Fish Commission—August Lenke of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Adolph F. Gartz of Cook county, resigned.

Members of Board of Examiners of Architects—Harry B. Wheelock of Evanston, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed C. W. Nothnagel of Chicago, Cook county, removed; Peter B. Wight of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself; H. Clifford Ricker of Champaign, Champaign county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, (East St. Louis)—Philip D. Hehner of Mascoutah, St. Clair county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed S. E. Nichols of Lebanon, St. Clair county, term expired.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Chicago)—Sehon G. Wadsworth of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Thomas J. Cavanaugh, term expired.

Superintendent Free Employment Office (West Side) Chicago—Stephen P. Revere of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Frederick E. Erickson, term expired.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office (West Side) Chicago—Patrick J. Meaney of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Clerk Free Employment Office (West Side) Chicago—Lizzie Henneberry of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed herself.

Superintendent Free Employment Office (South Side), Chicago—George W. Geary of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office (South Side), Chicago—Angus A. Barnes of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed John Felker of Chicago, resigned.

Clerk Free Employment Office (South Side), Chicago—Margaret E. May of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed herself.

Superintendent Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—David M. Brothers of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed W. E. Goodwin, term expired.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—Thomas Devenish of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself.

Clerk Free Employment Office (North Side), Chicago—Miss Selma Bostrom of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Mrs. J. C. Schaufel.

Superintendent Free Employment Office, Peoria—Edward E. Walker, of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Assistant Superintendent Free Employment Office, Peoria—David E. Congesky of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Clerk Free Employment Office, Peoria—Charles E. Easton of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

Members of the State Board of Dental Examiners—G. H. Damron of Arcola, Douglas county, for the term ending July 1, 1906, to succeed H. W. Pitner of Fairfield. Wayne county, resigned; Clark R. Rowley, 167 Dearborn street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed J. H. Smyser, resigned; T. W. Pritchett of Whitehall, Greene county, for the term ending July 1, 1904, to succeed W. C. Jocelyn of Cairo, Alexander county, resigned; Donald M. Gallie, 100 State street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Clarence C. Corbett of Madison county, resigned; J. G. Reid, 126 State street, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1907, to succeed himself.

Members of Board of Commissioners of Labor—George L. Pittenger of Centralia, Marion county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Samuel M. Dalzell of Spring Valley, Bureau county, term expired; Randolph Smith of Flora, Clay county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed himself; William S. Boyer of Galesburg, Knox county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed L. W. Fribourg, of Decatur, Macon county, term expired; Edward Wills of Decatur, Macon county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed Thomas D. Kelligar of Pana, Christian county, term expired; Michael H. Madden of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed P. H. Donnelly of Chicago, Cook county, resigned, John Felker having been appointed temporarily to fill the unexpired term.

Member Board of Trustees of the Northern Insane Hospital—James B. Lane, of Elgin, Kane county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Western Hospital for the Insane—Frank W. Gould, of Moline, Rock Island county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Eastern Hospital for the Insane—Almet Powell, of Gilman, Iroquois county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Southern Hospital for the Insane—Walter H. Wood of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Member Board of Trustees of the Central Hospital for the Insane—William L. Fay of Jacksonville, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself, he having been temporarily appointed for the term ending March 1, 1903, to succeed John B. Joy, deceased, January 7, 1902.

Commissioner Illinois State Penitentiary—George T. Buckingham, of Danville, Vermilion county, for the term ending July 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members Board of Managers of the State Reformatory—Homer F. Aspinwall of Freeport, Stephenson county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed John J. Lane, resigned; Garrett DeF. Kinney of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending July 1, 1907, to succeed Homer F. Aspinwall, resigned.

Trustee of the State Institution for the Blind—George W. Moore of Arnold, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed William L. Fay, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Industrial Home for the Blind—Belle T. Hyman of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1, 1905, to succeed F. S. Peabody, of Cook county, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb—Francis M. Wemple of Waverly, Morgan county, for the term ending March 1, 1907, to succeed Edward S. Greenleaf of Morgan county, resigned.

Members Board of Trustees Soldiers' and Sailors' Home—Charles W. Hawes of Rock Island, Rock Island county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself; Joseph B. Messick of East St. Louis, St. Clair county, for the term ending March 1, 1907, to succeed C. V. Chandler, resigned, C. D. Kendall having been temporarily appointed.

Members Board of Trustees State Training School for Girls—Fanny J. Howe of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1, 1904, to succeed B. E. Sunny, resigned; Henry C. Whittemore of Sycamore, DeKalb county, for the term ending March 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Charles E. Smiley of Du Page county, for the term ending March 1, 1906, to succeed himself; Flora G. Moulton, 2119 Calumet avenue, Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending March 1, 1904, to succeed Victoria M. Richardson of Cook county, term expired.

Members Board of Trustees of Soldiers' Orphans' Home—William G. Cochran of Sullivan, Moultrie county, for the term ending March 1, 1907, to succeed himself; N. B. Thistlewood of Cairo, Alexander county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed A. S. Wright of McHenry county, resigned; Benson Wood of Effingham, Effingham county, for the term ending March 1, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members of the State Board of Education—B. O. Willard of Rushville, Schuyler county, for the term ending February 18, 1905, to succeed N. W. Shanahan of Cook county, resigned; Frank Horn of Perry county, for the term ending July 1, 1907, to succeed Charles D. Bent of Whiteside county, resigned; Edward A. Gastman of Decatur, Macon county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Edward R. Kimbrough of Danville, Vermilion county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Charles L. Capen of Bloomington, McLean county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself; Joseph L. Robertson of Peoria, Peoria county, for the term ending February 18, 1909, to succeed himself.

Members Board of Trustees Soldiers' Widows' Home—Walter C. Newberry of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed himself; Martha K. Baxter of Pawnee, Sangamon county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Mrs. Derella W. Johnson of Cook county, resigned; Margaret I. Sandes of Chicago, Cook county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed Flo Jamison Miller, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees Southern Illinois Normal University—W. S. Phillips of Ridgway, Gallatin county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed J. S. Martin of Marion county, resigned.

Member Board of Trustees of the Eastern Illinois Normal School—H. G. Van Sandt of Montrose, Effingham county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed W. H. Hainline of McDonough county, resigned.

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Western Normal School—Fred R. Jelliff of Galesburg, Knox county, for the term ending July 1, 1903, to succeed I. H. Southwick, resigned; George W. Ross of Carrollton, Greene county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed C. V. Chandler of Macomb, McDonough county, resigned; Frank W. Blane of Petersburg, Menard county, for the term ending July 1, 1905, to succeed S. P. Robinson of McLean county, term expired, S. A. Fairbank having been temporarily appointed.

State Officer for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (at Peoria)—R. M. Hanna of Peoria, Peoria county, to succeed Samuel S. Smith, for the term ending July 1, 1903.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to hereby nominate and appoint John McGilien, of 535 Cleveland avenue, Chicago, Cook county, as trustee of the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, to succeed William Barclay, of Chicago, Cook county, resigned.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

And the question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the foregoing nominations?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 42.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield.
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend.
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,	
Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,		

Yeas—42.

The following executive messages received April 24 and April 28, 1903, were taken up for consideration:

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD. April 23, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such cases made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the offices of Justice of the Peace in the county of Cook, the persons below named, their respective towns being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the town of South Chicago—John C. Everett, to succeed himself; William T. Hall, to succeed himself; John Richardson, to succeed himself; George W. Underwood, to succeed himself; Max L. Wolff, to succeed himself; Thomas Bradwell, to succeed himself; Timothy D. Hurley, to succeed himself and to fill the office heretofore held by M. R. M. Wallace, deceased; John K. Prindiville, to succeed himself.

For the town North of Chicago—Emanuel C. Hamburger, to succeed himself; Joseph G. Sheldon, to succeed himself; George H. Woods, to succeed himself; Walter J. Gibbons, to succeed himself; George Kersten, to succeed himself.

For the Town of West Chicago—Jarvis Blume, to succeed himself; Q. J. Chott, to succeed himself; Max Eberhardt, to succeed himself; Miles Kehoe, to succeed himself; Olaf Severson, to succeed himself; James C. Dooley, to succeed himself; James M. Doyle, to succeed himself; M. J. O'Donoghue, to succeed himself; A. J. Sabath, to succeed M. A. LaBuy, and to hold the office held by M. A. LaBuy in the year 1895.

For the Town of Hyde Park—F. M. Charlton, to succeed himself; Gideon E. Clark, to succeed himself; A. V. Lee, to succeed himself; Philip Koehler, to succeed George L. Ford; Charles H. Callahan, to succeed himself; M. J. Quinn, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Lake View—Emil A. W. Johnson, to succeed himself; Maurice C. Lange, to succeed Henry Bonnefoi, deceased; Niles E. Olsen, to succeed himself; John A. Mahoney, to succeed himself; John M. Stevens, to succeed C. J. Whitney.

For the Town of Lake—Asa G. Adams, to succeed P. H. Duggan; R. M. Jandus, to succeed himself; Henry D. Smalley, to succeed Edwin Rhoades; John Fitzgerald, to succeed himself; John J. Hennessy to succeed John M. Moore.

For the Town of Jefferson—Robert L. Campbell, to succeed himself; Hubert Crocker, to succeed C. H. McConoughey; Elbert F. Keeney, to succeed Robert M. Holt; Thomas Edgar, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Calumet—M. J. Mohan, to succeed E. E. Wilder; John W. Clark, to succeed himself.

For the Town of Norwood Park—David M. Ball, to succeed himself.

And I respectfully ask that you concur therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 24, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of Justice of the Peace in the county of Cook, the person below named, his town being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the town of High Park—Frank Foster, to succeed Ed Lewis.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of Justice of the Peace in and for the town of Calumet, in the county of Cook,

Andrew Gillespie, 808 West 103d street, to succeed to the position now held by J. W. Beach.

And I respectfully ask your concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

Together with the report of the Special Committee of Cook County Senators, recommending that all of the nominations for justices of the peace for Cook county be confirmed except the nominations of Henry D. Smalley to succeed Edwin Rhoads for the town of Lake; M. J. Mohan to succeed E. E. Wilder, for the town of Calumet, and Frank Foster to succeed Ed Lewis for the town of Hyde Park.

On motion, it was ordered that the question be divided, and that all the nominations be voted on except those reported unfavorably from the Special Committee of Cook County Senators.

The question then being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the foregoing nominations with the exception of those for Henry D. Smalley for justice of the peace to succeed Edwin Rhoads for the town of Lake; M. J. Mohan to succeed E. E. Wilder for the town of Calumet, and Frank Foster to succeed Ed Lewis for the town of Hyde Park?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Evans,	Helm,	Maher,	Templeton,
Butler,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson.
Clark,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	
Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—38.

Pending the consideration of the nominations of Henry D. Smalley, M. J. Mohan and Frank Foster for justices of the peace for Cook county, at 10:35 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

House Bill No. 28, for "An act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs

Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	
Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,		Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 305, for "An act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Haas,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson.
Dawson,	Hall,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Yeas—35.
Dixon,				

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 38, for "An act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Gardner,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Haas,	Koch,	Rainey,	Watson.
Dawson,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Rees,	
Dixon,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	
Evans,	Hughes,	Maher,		

Yeas—31.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Albertsen.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 89, for "An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, Illinois,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Watson,
Clark,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 223, for "An act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Walter,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	
Berry,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Gardner,	Juul,		

Yeas—31.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 243, for "An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Barr,	Evans,	Koch,	Parker,	Watson.
Berry,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Rees,	Yeas—31.
Burnett,	Gardner,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 494, for "An act to provide for the regulation and license of private detectives, detective agencies and information bureaus," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 331, for "An act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Parker,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Rees,	Yeas—36.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 502.

A bill for an act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases.

House Bill No. 349, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs,

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Parker,
Alden,	Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Watson,
				Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 356, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee Keepers' Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas—44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 403, for "An act appropriating eight hundred and eighty dollars (\$880.00) to reimburse the First Infantry Illinois National Guard, for property turned over by said regiment to the State of Illinois at the time when said regiment was mustered into the service of the United States during the Spanish-American War,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 46.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,				Yeas—46.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 426, for "An act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintenance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding, in the county of LaSalle and State of Illinois, to the memory of 16 men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians under the Chief Blackhawk, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1832,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Koch,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Butler,	Farrelly,			Yeas—37.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 785, for "An act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Watson,
				Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 786, for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dixon,	Haas,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Hall,	Parker,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,				Yeas—36.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 806, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,
Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	Parker,	Watson,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas--38.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 807, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 44.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Stringer,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Yeas--44.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Alden, Senate Bill No. 503, for "An act to amend section 10 of an act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Watson,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	
Clark,	Fowler,	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas--28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 520, for "An act making provision for the refunding of surplus funds in the State treasury to the credit of the bond funds of counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts and other municipal corporations having bonds registered in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when such bonds have become barred by the statute of limitations,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Koch.	Putnam.
Alden.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Kunz.	Rees.
Andrus.	Farnum.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Walter.
Berry.	Fuller.	Jandus.	Parker.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 207, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

House Bill No. 9, for "An act to revise section 6 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 5; nays, 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Barr.	Fuller.	Kunz.	McCabe.	McKenzie.
				Yeas—5.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Stubblefield.
Andrus.	Evans.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Juul.	Mueller.	
Berry.	Gardner.	Koch.	Pemberton.	Nays—23.

House Bill No. 63, for "An act to authorize the several county and probate judges in this State to interchange, hold court for each other and perform each other's duties,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Mr. Hall moved that the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading be postponed to and made the special order for Friday, May 1, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders,

Which motion was decided in the negative.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative, by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell.	Fowler,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Alden.	Clark.	Gardner,	Lundberg.	Templeton,
Andrus.	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher.	Townsend,
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hamilton,	Putnam,	Walter.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Rees.	Watson.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Koch,	Stringer.	
Butler.				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Nays—1.

Hall.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Coleman, House Bill No. 745, a bill for "An act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 502, for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 22; nays, 5.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dunlap.	Jandus.	Meehan.	Stringer.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Parker.	Walter.
Berry.	Haas.	Kunz.	Putnam.	Watson.
Butler.	Hamilton.	Lundberg.	Rees.	
Dawson.	Humphrey.	Maher.		Yeas—22.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Farnum,	Fuller,	Hall,	Pemberton.
				Nays—5.

Mr. McKenzie moved to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents," failed to pass on April 28, 1903.

The yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 12.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Evans,	Juul,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Fuller,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson,
Berry,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,	Yeas—26.
Clark,	Hughes,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rainey,
Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Nays—12.
Dawson,	Fowler,	Kunz,		

On motion of Mr. Clark, the further consideration of the bill was postponed to and made the special order for Friday, May 1, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

Mr. Burnett moved to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases," failed to pass April 28, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Farnum, the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Friday, May 1, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

At 11:30 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 1:45 o'clock p. m.

1:45 o'clock p. m., the Senate reconvened.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, Senate Bill No. 507, for "An act concerning suits at law for personal injuries against cities, towns, and villages,"

Which was read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 778, for "An act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with wash rooms for the use of the miners therein employed," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 505, for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and

And the question being, "Shall this bill be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 212, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 338, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymens' Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 1:50 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Friday, May 1, 1903, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President and the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by Senator Pemberton, he having been designated by the Senate to preside during today's session.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Wednesday, April 29, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Berry, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has assented to bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 764.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of article three (3) of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874.

HOUSE BILL NO. 499.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

HOUSE BILL NO. 776.

A bill for an act to amend sections nineteen (19), thirty-eight (38), forty-two (42), sixty-one (61), seventy-four (74) and eighty-four (84) of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto and to validate all proceedings thereunder.

Passed the House April 30, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 449.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the relief and to indemnify Jacob Kubler.

HOUSE BILL No. 203.

A bill for an act to amend section fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled "An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof entitled 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,'" approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as further amended by an act approved and in force June 3, 1889.

HOUSE BILL No. 166.

A bill for an act to amend sections 30 and 35 of an act entitled "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved March 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House April 30, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 853.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled 'An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the purchase of the Louisiana territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

HOUSE BILL No. 746.

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to create a Bureau of Labor Statistics and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary," approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

Passed the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 862.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904.

Passed the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 512.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to create a State Board of Arbitration for the investigation or settlement of differences between employers and their employes, and to define the powers and duties of said board," approved and in force August 2, 1895.

Passed the House April 29, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 364.

A bill for an act to amend and revise section 23 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

HOUSE BILL NO. 831.

A bill for an act to regulate foreign corporations doing business in this State.

HOUSE BILL NO. 126.

A bill for an act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases.

HOUSE BILL NO. 298.

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

HOUSE BILL NO. 405.

A bill for an act to revise the law in relation to mechanics' liens, to whom, what for, and when lien is given; who is a contractor, area covered by and extent of lien; when the lien attaches.

Passed the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 431.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved February 12, 1853, in force February 12, 1853.

Passed by the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 123.

A bill for an act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled, "An act concerning land titles," approved and in force May 1, 1897.

Passed the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 59.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amend by striking out of line 7, page 2 of printed bill, the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3."

Amend by adding

"Section 2. Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

Concurred in by the House April 30, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 38.

A bill for an act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment to House Bill No. 38, adopted by the Senate, April 27, 1903:

Amend House Bill No. 38 by striking out in section 1 the following words and figures "fifty (\$50) per acre," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500)."

Passed by the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved March 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 203, a bill for "An act to amend section fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act, and certain sections thereof, entitled 'an act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as further amended by an act approved and in force June 3, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

House Bill No. 364, a bill for "An act to amend and revise section 23 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An act to revise the law in relation to mechanics' liens, to whom, what for, and when lien is given; who is a contractor, area covered by and extent of lien; when the lien attaches,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 449, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler."

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 498, a bill for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

House Bill No. 499, a bill for "An act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Revenue.

House Bill No. 512, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to create a State Board of Arbitration for the investigation or settlement of differences between employers and their employes and to define the powers and duties of said board,' approved and in force Aug. 2, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 746, a bill for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to create a Bureau of Labor Statistics and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary,' approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 764, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on County and Township Organization.

House Bill No. 776, a bill for "An act to amend sections nineteen (19), thirty-eight (38), forty-two (42), sixty-one (61), seventy-four (74) and eighty-four (84) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto, and to validate all proceedings thereunder,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Municipalities.

House Bill No. 831, a bill for "An act to regulate foreign corporations doing business in this State,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 853, a bill for "An act entitled, 'An act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the purchase of the Louisiana territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 862, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Missouri, for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

At 10:10 o'clock, a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess for five minutes.

10:15 o'clock a. m., Senate reconvened.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rees, Senate Bill No. 505, a bill for "An act to provide for the appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor," was called from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Rees offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted.

Amend by striking out after the title the Preamble beginning with, "whereas:

Amend section 1 by striking out all of said section after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That there be appointed by the Governor a commission to be known as the Good Roads Commission, to be composed of three persons, one of whom shall be a civil engineer experienced as a scientific road builder; one of whom shall have been a highway commissioner in Illinois; and one business man of high standing.

It shall be the duty of this commission to investigate the various problems of road building in Illinois, such as the best and most economical native materials, the best system of road drainage, the best and most practicable methods by which the burden of costs may be equitably distributed among all the people, such as Federal, State and county aid, convict labor, etc. The results of the investigations and studies of the commission shall be embodied in a report to the next General Assembly, to be accompanied by the form of a bill for an act to amend the present road laws of the State so as to conform to the present advanced thought and requirements on the subject of road building.

Amend section 2 by striking out all thereof and insert the following: "Such commission shall receive no compensation for its services, other than the necessary and legitimate expenses incurred by it in the discharge of its official business. The powers and expenses of this commission shall cease at the expiration of two years from the time of its appointment."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mueller offered the following resolution, which under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17.

WHEREAS, More than three hundred American citizens now resident of the Isle of Pines, said American citizens owning more than one-half the total territory of said Island, have memorialized Congress for relief from the present government of the said Isle of Pines, and are praying that the island be retained by the government as a part of the territory of the United States, and

WHEREAS, The United States Government continued the present government of the said Isle of Pines as a de facto government, to formulate a new and better government for the island, until the island of Cuba was turned over to the Cuban government, and

WHEREAS, The said Isle of Pines was ceded to the United States Government by Spain, and the Platt amendment omitted the said Isle of Pines from the proposed constitutional boundaries of Cuba, and the Secretary of War for the United States has placed the Isle of Pines within the constitutional boundaries of Cuba, contrary to the wishes of the American citizens there resident, and

WHEREAS, The said three hundred Americans are colonists from the United States who have built permanent homes and made other improvements on said Isle of Pines in the reasonable belief that it was to continue to be territory of the United States and such American citizens are entitled to the protection of the United States Government and desire to live under the flag of this country; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the 43d General Assembly, the House concurring herein, That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, that the said Isle of Pines be permanently retained as territory of the United States.

Resolved, further, That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House be, and they are hereby instructed to forward to the United States Senators and Congressmen from Illinois a copy of these resolutions.

At 10:20 o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 4, 1903, at 5:00 o'clock p. m.

MONDAY, MAY 4, 1903—5:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of the President, and the President *pro tempore* of the Senate, the Senate was called to order by Senator Berry, he having been designated by the Senate to preside during today's session.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of Friday, May 1, 1903, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Templeton, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 187.

A bill for an act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874.

HOUSE BILL NO. 693.

A bill for an act to amend section 54, chapter 121, of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

HOUSE BILL NO. 170.

A bill for an act prohibiting judges of circuit and superior courts from acting as attorneys.

Passed the House May 1, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 805.

A bill for an act concerning the use of powder in coal mines.

Passed the House May 1, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 481.

A bill for an act to amend section 48 of article 3 of "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.

HOUSE BILL NO. 144.

A bill for an act to amend section six of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts," approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1895.

Passed the House May 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 642.

A bill for an act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 306.

A bill for an act to amend section 62 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

HOUSE BILL NO. 254.

A bill for an act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts.

HOUSE BILL NO. 750.

A bill for an act to regulate the profession of public accountants.

Passed the House May, 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 609.

A bill for an act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith.

Passed the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE FIRST TIME.

House bill No. 144, a bill for "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stringer, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to Committee on County and Township Organization.

House Bill No. 170, a bill for "An act prohibiting judges of circuit and superior courts from acting as attorneys,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 306, a bill for "An act to amend section 62 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 481, a bill for "An act to amend section 48 of article 3 of 'An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Education and Educational Institutions.

House bill No. 609, a bill for "An act to establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Albertsen, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 693, a bill for "An act to amend section 54, chapter 121 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Campbell, was referred to the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges.

House Bill No. 805, a bill for "An act concerning the use of powder in coal mines,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 750, a bill for "An act to regulate the profession of public accountants,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No 265, for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 358, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 456, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, Senate Bill No. 265, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations May 4, 1903:

Amend Senate Bill No. 265, by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That for the purpose of providing means for maintaining the Illinois and Michigan Canal in a navigable condition, there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars per annum, to be paid to the treasurer of the Canal Commissioners upon his receipting therefor.

Section 2. For the maintenance and operation of the Bridgeport pumping plant there is hereby appropriated the sum of forty-two thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars.

Section 3. For the purpose of dredging the steamboat channel and basin at LaSalle, there is hereby appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars.

Section 4. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Canal Commissioners for the said sums hereinabove appropriated, upon the filing with said auditor certificates from said Canal Commissioners, showing that the respective amounts are needed for the purpose for which such appropriations are respectively made in the progress of the work.

Section 5. Said board of Canal Commissioners shall keep an accurate account of the amount of each of said appropriations received by them, together with their disbursements and expenditures thereof, showing for what and how said sums were respectively expended; which said report shall accompany their annual report to the Governor and be made a part thereof."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendment reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 358, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders Association,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 456, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, May 7, 1903, they stand adjourned sine die.

Adopted by the House April 29, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the resolution?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Campbell moved to reconsider the vote whereby the Senate concurred in the adoption of the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, May 7, 1903.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 510, a bill for "An act relating to employment offices and agencies,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 510 by adding the following section to be known as section 15: Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 510 by striking out in line twelve (12), section two (2) of the printed bill, after the word "annum," the words "which sums."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended be ordered to a third reading, and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 506, a bill for "An act in relation to wages earned out of this State,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Walter, House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,"

was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Walter offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amendment No. 1.

Insert in line 7, section 6, after the word "Court" the following: "Or where no such court exists, before a properly authorized person, as provided in section 5 of this act."

Amendment No. 2.

Insert after the word "Court" in line 8, section 6, the following: "Or properly authorized person, as provided in section 5 of this act."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out in line 3, section 10, the words "forty-eight" and substitute the words "fifty-one."

Amendment No. 4.

Strike out in line 3, section 10, the word "eight" and substitute the words "eight and a half."

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out in line 4, section 10, the word "or," and insert the following: "Nor shall any female under sixteen years of age be employed, or suffered, or permitted to work at any gainful occupation."

Amendment No. 6.

Insert after the word "evening" in line 5, section 10, the following: "Nor shall any male child under sixteen years of age be employed or suffered or permitted to work at any gainful occupation more than one hundred hours in any one month between the hours of ten o'clock in the evening and six o'clock in the morning."

On motion of Mr. Dawson, the further consideration of the bill and pending amendments was postponed to and made the special order for Tuesday, May 5, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An act to revise the law in relation to mechanic's liens, to whom, what for, and when lien is given; who is a contractor, area covered by and extent of lien; when lien attaches,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved March 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 363, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefit to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' by adding thereto an additional section to be designated as section 9½,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Templeton,
Berry,	Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Walter,
Burnett,	Dixon,	Hall,	Meehan,	Watson.
Butler,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Stringer,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, Senate Bill No. 364, for "An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by an act approved and in force May 27, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Berry,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Rees,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Stringer,	
Clark,	Gardner,			Yeas—26.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, Senate Bill No. 467, a bill for "An act to amend section 63 of article V of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all amendments thereto," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Dixon offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amend Senate Bill 467 by striking out of the title of the bill the figures "63" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "62."

Also amend title by striking out the words "all amendments thereto" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as amended by act of March 30, 1887."

Also amend section 1 by striking out of line 2 of printed bill the figures "63" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "62."

Also by striking out of line 4, section 1, printed bill, the words "all amendments thereto" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as amended by act of March 30, 1887."

Also amend by striking out all of the bill after the word "follows" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 62. The city council in cities, and president and the board of trustees in villages, shall have the following powers:

First—To control the finances and property of the corporation.

Second—To appropriate money for corporate purposes only, and provide for payment of debts and expenses of the corporation.

Third—To levy and collect taxes for general and special purposes on real and personal property.

Fourth—To fix the amount, terms and manner of issuing and revoking licenses.

Fifth—To borrow money on the credit of the corporation for corporate purposes, and issue bonds therefor, in such amounts and form, and on such conditions as it shall prescribe, but shall not become indebted in any manner or for any purpose to any amount, including existing indebtedness in the aggregate to exceed five (5) per centum for the State and county taxes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness, and before or at the time of incurring any indebtedness, shall provide for the collection of a direct annual tax, sufficient to pay the interest on such debt as it falls due, and also to pay and discharge the principal thereof within twenty years after contracting the same.

Sixth—To issue bonds in place of or to supply means to meet maturing bonds, or for the consolidation or funding of the same.

Seventh—To lay out, to establish, to open, alter, widen, extend, grade, pave or otherwise, streets, alleys, avenues, sidewalks, wharves, parks and public grounds, and vacate the same.

Eighth—To plant trees upon the same.

Ninth—To regulate the use of the same.

Tenth—To prevent and remove encroachments or obstructions upon the same.

Eleventh—To provide for the lighting of the same.

Twelfth—To provide for the cleansing of the same.

Thirteenth—To regulate the openings therein for the laying of gas or water mains and pipes, and the building and repairing of sewers, tunnels and drains and erecting gas lights: *Provided*, however, that any company heretofore organized under the general laws of this State or any association of persons

organized, or which may be hereafter organized for the purpose of manufacturing illuminating gas to supply cities or villages, or the inhabitants thereof with the same, shall have the right, by consent of the common council (subject to existing rights), to erect gas factories and lay down pipes in the streets or alleys of any city or village in this State, subject to such regulations as any such city or village may by ordinance impose.

Fourteenth—To regulate the use of side-walks and all structures thereunder, and to require the owner or occupant of any premises to keep the side-walks in front of, or along the same, free from snow or other obstructions.

Fifteenth—To regulate and prevent the throwing or depositing of ashes, offal, dirt, garbage, or any other offensive matter in, and to prevent injury to any street, avenue, alley or public grounds.

Sixteenth—To provide for and regulate house walks, curbs and gutters.

Seventeenth—To regulate and prevent the use of streets, side-walks, and public grounds for signs, sign posts, awnings, awning posts, telegraph poles, horse troughs, racks, posting hand bills and advertisements.

Eighteenth—To regulate and prohibit the exhibition or carrying of banners, placards, advertisements or hand bills in the streets or public grounds or upon the side-walks.

Nineteenth—To regulate and prevent the flying of flags, banners or signs across the streets or from houses.

Twentieth—To regulate traffic and sale upon the streets, side-walks and public places.

Twenty-first—To regulate the speed of horses and other animals, vehicles, cars and locomotives within the limits of the corporation.

Twenty-second—To regulate the numbering of houses and lots.

Twenty-third—To name and change the name of any street, avenue, alley or other public place.

Twenty-fourth—To permit, regulate or prohibit the locating, construction or laying a track of any horse railroad in any street, alley or public place, but such permission shall not be for a longer time than twenty years.

Twenty-fifth—To provide for and change the location, grade and crossings of any railroad.

Twenty-sixth—To require railroad companies to fence their respective railroads, or any portion of the same, and to construct cattle guards, crossings of street and public roads, and keep the same in repair, within the limits of the corporation.

In case any railroad company shall fail to comply with any such ordinance, it shall be liable for all damages, the owner of any cattle or horses or other domestic animal may sustain by reason of injuries thereto while on the track of such railroad, in like manner and extent as under the general laws of this State, relative to the fencing of railroads, and actions to recover such damages may be instituted before any justice of the peace or other court of competent jurisdiction.

Twenty-seventh—To require railroad companies to keep flagmen at railroad crossings of streets, and provide protection against injury to persons and property in the use of such railroads. To compel such railroads to raise or lower their railroad tracks to conform to any grade which may at any time be established by such city, and where such tracks run lengthwise of any such street, alley or highway, to keep their railroad tracks on a level with the street surface, and so that such tracks may be crossed at any place on such street, alley or highway. To compel and require railroad companies to make and keep open and keep in repair their ditches, drains, sewers and culverts, along and under their railroad tracks so that filthy and stagnant pools of water can not stand on their grounds or right of way, and so that the natural drainage of adjacent property shall not be impeded.

Twenty-eighth—To construct and keep in repair bridges, viaducts and tunnels, and to regulate the use thereof.

Twenty-ninth—To construct and keep in repair culverts, drains, sewers and cesspools, and to regulate the use thereof.

Thirtieth—To deepen, widen, dock, cover, wall, alter or change channel of water courses.

Thirty-first—To construct and keep in repair canals and slips for the accommodation of commerce.

Thirty-second—To erect and keep in repair public landing places, wharves, docks and levees.

Thirty-third—To regulate and control the use of private and public landing places, wharves, docks and levees.

Thirty-fourth—To control and regulate the anchorage, moorage and landings of all water crafts and their cargoes within the jurisdiction of the corporation.

Thirty-fifth—To license, regulate and prohibit wharfboats, tugs and other boats used about the harbor, or within such jurisdiction.

Thirty-sixth—To fix the rate of wharfage and dockage.

Thirty-seventh—To collect wharfage and dockage from all boats, rafts and other crafts, landing at or using any public landing place, wharf, dock or levee within the limits of the corporation.

Thirty-eighth—To make regulations in regard to the use of harbors, towing of vessels, opening and passing of bridges.

Thirty-ninth—To appoint harbor masters and define their duties.

Fortieth—To provide for the cleansing and purification of waters, water courses and canals, and the draining or filling of ponds on private property, whenever necessary to prevent or abate nuisances.

Forty-first—To license, tax, regulate, suppress or prohibit hawkers, peddlers, pawnbrokers, keepers of ordinaries, theatricals and other exhibitions, shows and amusements, and to revoke such license at pleasure.

Forty-second—To license, tax and regulate hackmen, draymen, omnibus drivers, carters, cabmen, porters, expressmen and all others pursuing like occupations, and to prescribe their compensation.

Forty-third—To license, regulate, tax and restrain runners for stages, cars, public houses, or other things or persons.

Forty-fourth—To license, regulate, tax or prohibit and suppress billiard, bagatelle, pigeon hole or any other tables, or implements kept or used for similar purpose in any place of public resort, pin alleys and ball alleys.

Forty-fifth—To suppress bawdy and disorderly houses, houses of ill-fame or assignation, within the limits of the city, and within three miles of the outer boundaries of the city; and also to suppress gaming and gambling houses, lotteries, and all fraudulent devices and practices, for the purpose of gaining or obtaining money or property; and to prohibit the sale or exhibition of obscene or immoral publications, prints, pictures or illustrations.

Forty-sixth—To license, regulate and prohibit the selling or giving away of any intoxicating, malt, vinous, mixed or fermented liquor, the license not to extend beyond the municipal year in which it shall be granted, and to determine the amount to be paid for such license: *Provided*, That the city council in cities, or president and board of trustees in villages, may grant permits to druggists for the sale of liquors for medical, mechanical, sacramental and chemical purposes only, subject to forfeiture, and under such restrictions and regulations as may be provided by ordinance; *Provided, further*, That in granting licenses, such corporate authority shall comply with whatever general law of the State may be in force relative to the granting of licenses.

Forty-seventh—The foregoing shall not be construed to affect the provisions of the charter of any literary institution heretofore granted.

Forty-eighth—And the city councils in cities, and president and board of trustees in villages, shall also have the power to forbid and punish the selling or giving away of any intoxicating, malt, vinous, mixed or fermented liquor to any minor, apprentice, or servant, or insane, idiotic or distracted person, habitual drunkard or person intoxicated.

Forty-ninth—To establish markets and market houses and provide for the regulation and use thereof.

Fiftieth—To regulate the sale of meats, poultry, fish, butter, cheese, lard, vegetables and all other provisions, and to provide for the place and manner of selling same.

Fifty-first—To prevent and punish forestalling and regrating.

Fifty-second—To regulate the sale of bread in the city or village; prescribe the weight and quality of the bread in the loaf.

Fifty-third—To provide for and regulate the inspection of meats, poultry, fish, butter, cheese, lard, vegetables, cotton, tobacco, flour, meal and other provisions.

Fifty-fourth—To regulate the inspection, weighing and measuring of brick, lumber, firewood, coal, hay and any articles of merchandise.

Fifty-fifth—To provide for the inspection and sealing of weights and measures.

Fifty-sixth—To enforce the keeping in use of proper weights and measures by venders.

Fifty-seventh—To regulate the construction, repairs and use of vaults, cisterns, hydrants, pumps, sewers and gutters.

Fifty-eighth—To regulate the places of amusements.

Fifty-ninth—To prevent intoxication, fighting, quarreling, dog fights, cock fights and all disorderly conduct.

Sixtieth—To regulate partition fences and party walls.

Sixty-first—To prescribe the thickness, strength and manner of constructing stone, brick and other buildings and construction of fire escapes therein.

Sixty-second—The city council and president and trustees in villages, for the purpose of guarding against the calamities of fire, shall have the power to prescribe the limits within which wooden buildings shall not be erected or placed or repaired, without permission, and to direct that all and any building within the fire limits, when the same shall have been damaged by fire, decay or otherwise, to the extent of fifty per cent of the value, shall be torn down or removed, and to prescribe the manner of ascertaining such damage.

Sixty-third—To prevent the dangerous construction and condition of chimneys, fire places, hearths, stoves, stove pipes, ovens, boilers and apparatus used in and about any building and manufactory, and to cause the same to be removed or placed in a safe condition, when considered dangerous; to regulate and prevent the carrying on of manufactories dangerous in causing and promoting fires; to prevent the disposing of ashes in unsafe places, and to cause all such buildings and inclosures as may be in a dangerous state to be put in a safe condition.

Sixty-fourth—To erect engine houses, and provide fire engines, hose cart, hook and ladders, and other implements for preventing and extinguishing of fires, and provide for the use and management of the same by voluntary fire companies or otherwise.

Sixty-fifth—To regulate and prevent storage of gun powder, tar, pitch, coal oil, benzine, turpentine, hemp, cotton, nitroglycerine, petroleum, or any of the products therefor, and other combustible materials, and the use of lights in stables, shops and other places, and the building of bon fires; also to regulate and to restrain the use of fire works, fire crackers, torpedoes, roman candles, sky rockets and other pyrotechnic displays.

Sixty-sixth—To regulate the police of the cities or villages, and pass and enforce all necessary police ordinances.

Sixty-seventh—To provide for the inspection of steam boilers.

Sixty-eighth—To prescribe the duties and powers of a superintendent of police, policemen and watchmen.

Sixty-ninth—To establish and erect calaboooses, bridewells, houses of correction and work houses for reformation and confinement of vagrants, idle or disorderly persons, and persons convicted of violating any city or village ordinance, and making rules and regulations for the government of the same, and appointing necessary keepers and assistants.

Seventieth—To use county jails for the confinement or punishment of offenders, subject to such conditions as are imposed by law, with the consent of the county board.

Seventy-first—To provide by ordinance in regard to relations between all officers and employes of the corporation in respect to each other, the corporation and the people.

Seventy-second—To prevent and suppress riot, routs, affrays, noises, disturbances, disorderly assemblies in any public or private place.

Seventy-third—To prohibit and punish cruelty to animals.

Seventy-fourth—To restrain and punish vagrants, mendicants and prostitutes.

Seventy-fifth—To declare what shall be a nuisance, to abate the same, and to impose fines upon parties who create, continue or suffer nuisances to exist.

Seventy-sixth—To appoint a board of health and prescribe its powers and duties.

Seventy-seventh—To erect and establish hospitals and medical dispensaries and control and regulate the same, and to direct the location and regulate the use and construction of any and all hospitals, and to license, regulate and control the same.

Seventy-eighth—To do all acts and all regulations which may be necessary or expedient for the promotion of health or the suppression of disease.

Seventy-ninth—To establish and regulate cemeteries within or without the corporation and acquire lands therefor, by purchasing or otherwise, and cause cemeteries to be removed, and prohibit their establishment within one mile of the corporation.

Eightieth—To regulate, restrain and prohibit the running at large of horses, cattle, swine, sheep, goats, geese and dogs and to impose tax on dogs. (See par. 426 to 428.)

Eighty-first—To direct the location and regulate the management and the construction of packing houses, renderies, tallow chandleries, bone factories, soap factories and tanneries, within the limits of the city or village and within the distance of one mile without the city or village limits.

Eighty-second—To direct the location and regulate the use and construction of breweries, distilleries, livery stables, blacksmith shops and foundries within the limits of the city or village.

Eighty third—To prohibit any offensive or unwholesome business or establishment within or within one mile of the limits of the corporation.

Eighty fourth—To compel the owner of any grocery, or seller, or soap or tallow chandler, tannery, stable, pig-sty, privy, sewer or other unwholesome or nuisance house or place, to cleanse or abate, or remove the same, and to regulate the location thereof.

Eighty fifth—The city council or trustees of a village, shall have the power to provide for the taking of the city or village census: but no city or village censuses shall be taken by authority of the council or trustees oftener than once in three years.

Eighty-sixth—To provide for the erection and care of all public buildings necessary for the use of the city or village.

Eighty-seventh—To establish ferries, toll-bridges, and license and regulate the same, and from time to time fix tolls thereon.

Eighty-eighth—To authorize the construction of mills, mill races and feeders on, through or across the streets of the city or village at such places and under such restrictions as they shall deem proper.

Eighty-ninth—The city council shall have the power, by condemnation or otherwise, to extend any street, alley or highway over or across, or to construct any sewer under or through any railroad track, right of way, or land of any railroad company (within the corporate limits;) but where no compensation is made to such railroad company, the city shall restore such railroad track or right of way or land to its former state, or in a sufficient manner not to have impaired its usefulness.

Ninetieth—The city council or board of trustees shall have no power to grant the use of or the right to lay down any railroad tracks in any street of the city to any steam, dummy, electric, cable, horse or other railroad company, where the same shall be incorporated under any general or special law of the State, now or hereafter in force, except upon a petition of the owners of the land representing more than one-half of the frontage of the street, or so much thereof as is sought to be used for railroad purposes, and when the street or part thereof sought to be used shall be more than one mile in extent, no petition of land owners shall be valid unless the same shall be signed by the owners of the land representing more than one-half of the frontage of each mile, and of the fraction of a mile if any in excess of the whole miles measuring from the initial point named in such petition, of such street or of the part thereof sought to be used for railroad purposes.

Ninety-first—To tax, license and regulate auctioneers, distillers, brewers, lumber yards, livery stables, public scales, money changers and brokers.

Ninety-second—To prevent and regulate the rolling of hoops, playing of ball, flying of kites, or any other amusement or practice having a tendency to annoy persons passing in the streets or on the side-walks, or to frighten teams and horses.

Ninety-third—To regulate and prohibit the keeping of any lumber yard, and the placing and piling or selling any lumber, timber, wood or other combustible material within the fire limits of the city.

Ninety-fourth—To provide by ordinance, that all the paper, printing, stationery, blanks, fuel, and all the supplies needed for the use of the city, shall be furnished by contract let to the lowest bidder.

Ninety-fifth—To tax, license and regulate second-hand and junk stores, and to forbid their purchasing or receiving from minors, without the written consent of their parents or guardians, any article whatsoever.

Ninety-sixth—To pass all ordinances, rules, and make all regulations proper or necessary to carry into effect the powers granted to cities or villages, with such fines or penalties as the city council or board of trustees shall deem proper: *Provided*, no fine or penalty shall exceed two hundred dollars (\$200) and no imprisonment shall exceed six months for one offense.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed and printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 778, a bill for "An act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with washrooms for the use of the miners therein employed,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 5:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Honorable John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled, 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same, and to make an appropriation therefor,' approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893," which was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the following amendments adopted April 28, 1903, were stricken out:

"Strike out in line 9, section 9, of printed bill, the words and figures 'two thousand (2,000)' and insert the words and figures eighteen hundred (1800)."

Strike out of line 10, section 9, the words and figures "one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (1,250)" and insert the words and figures "twelve hundred dollars (1200)."

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 650.

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to protect stock breeders within the State of Illinois," approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

HOUSE BILL NO. 355.

A bill for an act concerning the appointment and discharge of receivers.

Passed the House May 4, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 503.

A bill for an act to authorize and provide for the reprint of session laws by the Secretary of State.

Passed the House May 4, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 282.

A bill for an act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at Logan Rifle Range.

HOUSE BILL NO. 319.

A bill for an act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall.

HOUSE BILL NO. 865.

A bill for an act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln.

HOUSE BILL NO. 239.

A bill for an act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-three (33) of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House May 4, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 684.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the regulation of pawnbrokers," approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

HOUSE BILL No. 803.

A bill for an act to enable the corporate authorities of the City of Chicago to acquire by condemnation proceedings the right to locate, establish and maintain a street or streets to be used for boulevard purposes through Groveland Park and Woodland Park, and granting to them the right to locate, establish and maintain a street to be used for boulevard purposes through the Douglas monument grounds.

HOUSE BILL No. 285.

A bill for an act to amend section 10 of "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

HOUSE BILL No. 829.

A bill for an act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations.

HOUSE BILL No. 307.

A bill for an act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employes from corporations doing business in this State.

Passed the House May 4, 1903,

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 175.

A bill for an act to make appropriations for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commission of Claims to certain persons named herein.

Passed by the House May 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 865, a bill for "An act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-three (33) of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to

elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 282, a bill for "An act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at the Logan Rifle Range,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 319, a bill for "An act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 355, a bill for "An act concerning the appointment and discharge of receivers,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
On motion of Mr. Pemberton, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 803, a bill for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of the city of Chicago to acquire by condemnation proceedings the right to locate, establish and maintain a street or streets to be used for boulevard purposes through Groveland Park and Woodland Park, and granting them the right to locate, establish and maintain a street to be used for boulevard purposes through the Douglas monument grounds,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to protect stock breeders within the State of Illinois,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 684, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the regulation of pawn brokers,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,
by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 829, a bill for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 503, a bill for an act entitled, "An act to authorize and provide for the reprint of session laws by the Secretary of State,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 285, a bill for "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and, by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, was ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 307, a bill for "An act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employés from corporations doing business in this State,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Albertsen, was referred to Committee on Railroads.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 40.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities to own and operate or lease street railways."

Passed the House May 1, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend the title to read as follows: "A bill for an act entitled, 'An act to authorize cities to acquire, construct, own, operate and lease street railways and to provide the means therefor.'"

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section one (1), line 5, of printed bill, by striking out the word "general."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section one (1). lines 13 to 15, of the printed bill, by striking out the words, "made under the provisions of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to street railways and to repeal certain acts therein referred to,' approved and in force March 7, 1889, to a private company."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section one (1), line 27, of printed bill, by inserting after the word "years" the following: "Nor any ordinance renewing any lease."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend section 2, line 25, by substituting a period for the comma after the word "years."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend section 2, lines 28 and 29, of printed bill, by substituting the words "shall have continued" for the words "shall continue."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend section two (2), line 32, by substituting the word "majority" for the word "mortgage."

Amendment No. 8,

Amend by adding the following section:

Section 6. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to authorize any city to make any street railway grant, or to lease any street railway property, for a period exceeding twenty (20) years from the making of such grant or lease: *Provided*, That when a right to maintain and operate a street railway, for a period not exceeding twenty (20) years, is contained in a mortgage or deed of trust to secure street railway certificates (and no such right shall be implied), such period shall commence as provided in section two (2) of this act.

Amendment No. 9.

Amend section 1 after the word "grant," at the end of line 18 of printed bill, insert the following:

"It shall also be lawful to provide in any such grant, that in case such reserved right be not exercised by the city and it shall grant right to another company to operate a street railway in the streets and parts of streets occupied by its grantee under the former grant, the new grantee shall purchase and take over the street railway of the former grantee upon the terms that the city might have taken it over;"

Amendment No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill No. 40, section 2, by inserting in line 47 of the printed bill, before the words "shall ever" the words "or mortgage."

Amendment No. 11.

Amend section 2 by striking out all of line 43 after the word "proceedings" in printed bill in lines 44, 45, 46 and the word "certificates" where first appearing in line 47.

Amendment No. 12.

Amend section one (1), line 63 of printed bill, by inserting after the word "thereon" the following: "Nor in an amount in excess of the cost to the city of the property for which said bonds are issued, ascertained as elsewhere provided in this act, and ten (10) per cent of such cost in addition thereto."

Amendment No. 13.

Amend section two (2), line 8, of printed bill, by inserting after the word "issued" the following:

"Such certificate shall not be issued and secured on any street railway property in amount in excess of the cost to the city of such property as hereinbefore provided, and ten (10) per cent. of such cost in addition thereto."

Amendment No. 14.

Amend section one (1), line 64, of printed bill, by striking out all of the section after the word "act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Any such city shall have the power to acquire, take and hold any and all necessary property, real, personal or mixed, for the purposes specified in this act, either by purchase or condemnation in the manner provided by law for the taking and condemning of private property for public use; but in no valuation of street railway property for the purpose of any such acquisition, except of street railways now operated under existing franchises, shall any sum be included as the value of any earning power of such property, or of the unexpired portion of any franchise granted by said city.

In case of the leasing by any city of any street railway owned by it, the rental reserved shall be based on both the actual value of the tangible property, and of the franchise contained in such lease; and such rental shall not be less than a sufficient sum to meet the annual interest upon all outstanding bonds, or street railway certificates, issued by said city on account of such street railway."

Passed by the House May 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Kunz moved that the further consideration of the foregoing message be postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, May 6, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal, and

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 0, nays, 41.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer.
Andrus,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Walter.
Burnett,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Powers,	Watson,
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Rees,	
Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,		Nays—41.

On motion of Mr Kunz, it was ordered that a separate vote be taken on Amendment No. 9, and

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of all their amendments to the bill except Amendment No. 9, and

The yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Riley,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rainey,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—38.

The question then being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of Amendment No. 9?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
Clark,	Haas,	Maher,		Yeas—40.
Coleman,	Hall,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs

Andrus,	Dunlap,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Nays—4.
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Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Campbell moved that the foregoing votes whereby the Senate concurred with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill, be reconsidered, and,

On motion of Mr. Pemberton, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The President, *pro tempore*, of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An act concerning the evidence of disputed writings and documents," on the order of third reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Clark, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, May 6, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President, *pro tempore*, of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases."

The pending question being, "Shall the vote whereby the bill failed to pass on April 29, 1903, be reconsidered?"

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Juul, the further consideration of the bill and the motion to reconsider was postponed to and made the special order for Wednesday, May 6, 1903, immediately after the preceding special orders.

The President, *pro tempore*, of the Senate announced the next special order to be the consideration of Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof," on the order of third reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, the further consideration of the bill on the order of third reading was postponed to and made the special order for Thursday, May 7, 1903, immediately after the reading of the journal.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 106.

A bill for an act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization.

Passed the House April 29, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 106, by striking out of line three (3), of section one (1), after the word "to," the words "town and".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 106, by adding to section three (3) the words: "*Provided, however,* that any excess in such fund over such expenses shall belong and be distributed to the several funds from which the same was deducted and in the same proportion."

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Dixon.	Juul.	Parker.	Stubblefield.
Berry.	Evans.	Koch.	Powers.	Templeton.
Butler.	Farnum.	Kunz.	Rainey.	Walter.
Campbell.	Farrelly.	Lundberg.	Rees.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Maher.	Riley.	
Coleman.	Hall.	Mueller.	Stringer.	
Dawson.	Humphrey.			

Yeas—30.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof," was taken up for consideration on the order of second reading, the pending question being, "Shall the following amendments offered by Mr. Walter, May 4, 1903, be adopted:

Insert in line 7, section 6, after the word "Court," the following: "Or where no such court exists, before a properly authorized person, as provided in section 5 of this act."

Insert after the word "Court," in line 8, section 6, the following: "Or properly authorized person as provided in section 5 of this act".

Strike out in line 3, section 10, the words "forty-eight" and substitute the words "fifty-one".

Strike out in line 3, section 10, the word "eight" and substitute the word "eighty".

Strike out in line 4, section 10, the word "or" and insert the following: "Nor shall any female under sixteen years of age be employed, or suffered, or permitted to work at any gainful occupation."

Insert after the word "evening," in line 5, section 10, the following: "Nor shall any male child under sixteen years of age be employed or suffered or permitted to work at any gainful occupation more than one hundred hours in any one month between the hours of ten o'clock in the evening and six o'clock in the morning."

Mr. Putnam moved that the amendments be laid on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Helm,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Powers,	Yeas—37.
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Gardner,	Hamilton,	Walter,	Nays—3.
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The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, House Bill No. 745, for "An act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Powers,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Maher,	Riley,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Yeas—31.
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Pemberton, House Bill No. 619, for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	
Burnett,	Fowler,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Yeas—31.
Butler,	Fuller,	Humphrey,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, House Bill No. 275, for "An act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,
Alden,	Campbell	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Andrus,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Rees,
Barr,	Coleman,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Dawson,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 144, a bill for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1895,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall this bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 805, a bill for "An act concerning the use of powder in coal mines,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Barr, House Bill No. 166, for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved March 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,
Alden,	Clark,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Yeas—33.
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 861.

A bill for an act to provide for the creation and establishment of the Illinois State Colony for Epileptics, for its organization and management, and making appropriation therefor.

Passed the House May 5, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 77.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners.

Passed the House by a two-thirds vote, May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 872.

A bill for an act to authorize the use of the moneys derived from the sale of the old arsenal property on North Fifth street, city of Springfield, to build lockers, arm racks and other required improvements in the new arsenal, armory and museum building.

HOUSE BILL NO. 868.

A bill making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan canal, and [for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE
FIRST TIME.

House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 861, a bill for "An act to provide for the creation and establishment of the Illinois State Colony for Epileptics, for its organization and management, and making appropriations therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 868, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 872, a bill for "An act to authorize the use of moneys derived from the sale of the old Arsenal property on North Fifth street, city of Springfield, to build lockers, arm racks and other required improvements in the new Arsenal, Armory and Museum Building,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Gardner, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, House Bill No 506, for "An act in relation to wages earned out of this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas,	Jnul,	Putnam,
Alden.	Dunlap.	Hall,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Jandus.	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Fuller,			Yeas—37.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 505.

A bill for an act to provide for appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 501.

A bill for an act to establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith.

SENATE BILL No. 265.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal; and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof.

Mr. Hughes, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 203, for "An act to amend section fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act, and certain sections thereof, entitled "An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts," approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as further amended by an act approved and in force June 3, 1889,'" reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 187, for "An act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the

law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, House Bill No. 609, a bill for "An act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Rees, Senate Bill No. 505, for "An act to provide for appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make an appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 7.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Helm,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Lundberg	Rees,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Maher,	Riley,
Burnett,	Fort,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Mueller,	Watson.
Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Parker,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dawson,	Farnum,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Dunlap,	Farrelly,			Nays—7.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 750, a bill for "An act to regulate the profession of public accountant,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Juul, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 126, for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 510, for "An act relating to employment offices and agencies,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 45.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Dawson.	Gardner.	Koch.	Putnam.
Alden.	Dixon.	Haas.	Kunz.	Rainey.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Barr.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Riley.
Berry.	Farnum.	Helm.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Butler.	Fort.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Campbell.	Fowler.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Clark.	Fuller.	Juul.	Powers.	
Coleman.				Yeas—45.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fuller, House Bill No. 133, for "An act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Putnam.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Helm.	Maher.	Rees.
Andrus.	Evans.	Hughes.	McKenzie.	Riley.
Berry.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Butler.	Fowler.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Koch.	Powers.	Yeas—37.
Clark.	Haas.	Kunz.		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fort.	Hamilton.	Stringer.	Nays—3
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the following resolution offered by him May 1, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17.

WHEREAS, More than three hundred American citizens now resident of the Isle of Pines, said American citizens owning more than one-half the total

territory of said island, have memorialized Congress for relief from the present government of the said Isle of Pines, and are praying that the island be retained by the government as a part of the territory of the United States, and

WHEREAS, The United States Government continued the present government of the said Isle of Pines as a de facto government, to formulate a new and better government for the island, until the island of Cuba was turned over to the Cuban government, and

WHEREAS, The said Isle of Pines was ceded to the United States Government by Spain, and the Platt amendment omitted the said Isle of Pines from the proposed constitutional boundaries of Cuba, and the Secretary of War for the United States has placed the Isle of Pines within the constitutional boundaries of Cuba, contrary to the wishes of the American citizens there resident, and

WHEREAS, The said three hundred American citizens are colonists from the United States who have built permanent homes and made other improvements on said Isle of Pines in the reasonable belief that it was to continue to be territory of the United States, and such American citizens are entitled to the protection of the United States Government and desire to live under the flag of this country; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, the House concurring herein, That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois that the said Isle of Pines be permanently retained as territory of the United States.

Resolved, further, That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House be and they are hereby instructed to forward to the United States Senators and Congressmen from Illinois a copy of these resolutions.

And the question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m.

3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 203, a bill for "An act to amend section fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise and amend an act and sections thereof, entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as further amended by an act approved and in force June 3, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 681.

A bill for an act creating a commission consisting of three persons, to be appointed by the Governor of the State, whose duty it shall be to employ a competent engineer or engineers to ascertain the cost of straightening and dredging Cache river and to make appropriation therefor.

Passed the House May 5, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 681, a bill for "An act creating a commission consisting of three persons, to be appointed by the Governor of the State, whose duty it shall be to employ a competent engineer or engineers to ascertain the cost of straightening and dredging Cache river and to make appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 176, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and amended by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 355, for "An act concerning the appointment and discharge of receivers," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 364, for "An act to amend and revise section 23 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 490, for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife, or of his or her minor children, in destitute or necessitous circumstances," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Mueller, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 499, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Mueller, the bill was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend House Bill No. 499 by striking out of line 5, section 2, of printed bill, the figures "35,000," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "45,000."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 405, for "An act to revise the law in relation to mechanics' liens; to whom, what for and when lien is given; who is a contractor, area covered by and extent of lien; when the lien attaches"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass, as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Clark,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farnum,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Yeas—36.
Butler,	Haas,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McCabe, from the Committee on Roads, Highways and Bridges, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 693, for "An act to amend section 54, chapter 121, of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Albertsen, from the Committee on Municipalities, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 776, for "An act to amend sections nineteen (19), thirty-eight (38), forty-two (42), sixty-one (61), seventy-four (74) and eighty-four (84) of an act entitled 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto, and to validate all proceedings thereunder," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Albertsen, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large, together with the following amendments reported from said committee:

No. 1.

Amend section 74, in House Bill 776, in line 127 of printed bill, by adding after the word "tax" the words "and any work or other public improvements."

No. 2.

Amend section 74, in House Bill 776, in line 131 of printed bill by striking out the word "such."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 455, for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Andrus, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 764, for "An act to amend section 1 of article three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 846, for "An act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School" reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 846, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto reported from the Committee on Appropriations May 5, 1903.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

That the sum of twenty-seven thousand and twenty-five dollars (\$27,025) be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Western Illinois State Normal School, for the purposes herein stated, for the two years beginning July 1, 1903:

For improvement of grounds, \$5,000 per annum.....	\$10,000
For seating assembly hall and additional rooms.....	3,600
For books for library, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
For apparatus for biological laboratory.....	1,500
For apparatus for physical and chemical laboratories.....	1,500
For models and materials for drawing department.....	300

For apparatus for gymnasium.....	\$ 500
For carpeting for platform.....	100
For maps and charts.....	200
For song books.....	150
For teacher's desks.....	225
For piano for music department.....	300
For seating and furnishing society halls.....	800
For apparatus for manual training department.....	900
For repairs.....	500
For painting rear of building and power house.....	450
For additional furniture and furnishings.....	2,000

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrants on the Treasurer for the foregoing sums of money on the order of the Board of Trustees of said institution, signed by its president, attested by its secretary with corporate seal attached and with the approval of the Governor: *Provided*, that no part of this appropriation shall be due and payable until an account in detail sustained by vouchers shall be filed with the Auditor, showing to his satisfaction all previous expenditures of appropriations heretofore made for said institution.

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill as amended, be ordered printed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 847, for "An act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School," reported the same back with amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendment, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 847, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto reported from the Committee on Appropriations May 5, 1903:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

That there be and is hereby appropriated to the Western Illinois State Normal School, the sum of thirty-seven thousand and seventy dollars (\$37,070) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, to defray the ordinary expenses of said institution for the two years beginning July 1, 1903, which sum shall be apportioned as follows:

For salaries of principals and teachers.....	\$22,690
For salaries of four additional teachers.....	3,700
For salaries of engineer, fireman and janitors.....	2,710
For fuel and light.....	2,000
For lectures.....	300
For catalogues, printing and stationery.....	1,000
For expenses of trustees.....	1,000
For expenses of trustees.....	500
For contingent expenses.....	1,000
For stenographer.....	480
For postage, express and freight.....	300
For telephone.....	60
For commencement.....	130
For supplies for steam heating plant.....	200
For miscellaneous supplies, paper, ink, etc.....	500
For registrars services from date of appointment to July 1, 1901.....	500

Setion 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the foregoing sums of money, on the order of the Board of Trustees, signed by the president and attested by the secretary of said board, with corporate seal attached: *Provided*, that satisfactory vouchers in detail approved by the Governor, shall be filed quarterly with the Auditor of Public Accounts, for the ordinary expenses of the preceding quarter, and that no part of the money appropriated hereby shall be due and payable until such vouchers shall be filed.

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 746, for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to create a Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary,' approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent on motion of Mr. Gardner, the bill was read at large a second time and the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 853, for "An act entitled, 'An act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled, 'An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the purchase of the Louisiana territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading and to be printed with the amendments, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto reported from said committee:

Amend House Bill No. 853 by adding an additional section thereto to be known as section 2.

All furniture, fixtures, and other personal property purchased by said board of commissioners under the provisions of this act, shall, at the close of said exposition, be turned over to and become the property of the Illinois State Board of Agriculture for the uses and purposes of the Illinois State Fair at Springfield. At the close of said exposition the secretary of the said board of commissioners shall furnish to the Illinois State Board of Agriculture a complete and detailed statement of all furniture, fixtures and other personal property belonging to said board of commissioners.

Amend section 2 to read section 3.

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendments reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 152, for "An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 848, for "An act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 868, for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal and for necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof," reported the same back with the recommendation that that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 402, for "An act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow three thousand dollars on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as a private in Company K, First Regiment Infantry, Illinois National Guard, when in active service," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules, the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 449, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 751, for "An act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same a forest preserve and public park," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 77, for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 152, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, and,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 848, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 402, a bill for "An act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow \$3,000 on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as a private in Company K, First Regiment Infantry, Illinois National Guard, when in active service,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations, May 5, 1903.

Amend original bill by striking out in title and section 1 the words "three thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 449, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations May 5, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend original bill by striking out in section 1 the words "two thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend original bill by striking out in section 2 the words "two thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars".

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 751, a bill for "An act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same a forest preserve and public park,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendments thereto, reported from the Committee on Appropriations May 5, 1903:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out in section 1 of printed bill all after the enacting clause, down to and including the word "Board," in line 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That the Governor shall appoint a board of five commissioners, two of whom shall be residents of Ogle county, not more than three of whom shall belong to one political party."

Amendment No. 2.

Insert after the word "office," in line 6 of section 1 of printed bill, the word "who."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out all of section 4 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 4. Said board of trustees shall, upon their appointment, meet as soon as possible at Oregon, Ogle county, Illinois, and elect one of their number president and one of their number secretary, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected. Regular annual meetings of said board of trustees shall be held on the first Saturday of October of each and every year at Oregon, Illinois, for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Special meetings may be held at any time by call of the president or secretary, or upon the

written request of any three members of the board, upon giving five days' notice in writing to the members of said board. Three members of said board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business."

The question being, "Shall the report of, and the amendments reported from, said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading, and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 25.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions therein named.

Passed the House May 1, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,702,150," in line 4, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,713,650."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by striking out the figures "176,000.00" in line 18, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "187,500.00."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,702,150.00" in line 23, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,713,650.00."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend by striking out the figures "1,972,150," in line 2, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,983,650."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$176,000.00," in line 18, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "187,500.00."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend by striking out the figures "1,972,150.00," in line 23, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,983,650.00."

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Gardner moved that the Senate do not concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the amendments to the bill, which motion was decided in the affirmative. The Secretary of the Senate was ordered to inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill, of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 26.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named.

Passed the House, May 1, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out the figures "\$1,150,908.50" in line 5, section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,418,408.50."

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out the figures "1,000" in line 14, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out the word "three" in line 17, section 1 and also the figures "2,400" in the same line and section and insert respectively the word "eight" and the figures "7,200."

Amendment No. 4.

Add after line 21, section 1 of the printed bill the following lines:

Elevator for kitchen.....	\$1,200
Feed water heater for boilers.....	1,500

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out the figures "\$73,300" in line 22, section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$82,300."

Amendment No. 6.

Strike out all in line 26, section 1 of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 7.

Strike out the words "to replace old beds" and the figures "5,000" in line 30, section 1 of the printed bill and insert the figures "2,500."

Amendment No. 8.

Strike out the figures "\$2,000" in line 33, section 1 of the printed bill and insert the figures "\$1,000;" also strike out the figures "4,000" in the same line and section and insert the figures "2,000."

Amendment No. 9.

Strike out all of line 39, section 1 of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 10.

Strike out the figures "147,500" in line 41, section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "136,000."

Amendment No. 11.

Strike out all of line 44, section 1 of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 12.

Strike out the figures "\$74,468.50" in line 56, section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$71,468.50."

Amendment No. 13.

Add after line 79, section 1 of the printed bill the following:

"Hospital and furnishing same.....\$35,000."

Amendment No. 14.

Strike out the figures "\$44,300" in line 80, section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$79,300."

Amendment No. 15.

Strike out the figures "\$10,000" and the figures "20,000" in line 83, section 1 of printed bill and insert respectively the figures "\$5,000" and "10,000."

Amendment No. 16.

Strike out all in line 84, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: New buildings, complete, including electric wiring, plumbing, heating, window guards, screens, etc., "400,000."

Amendment No. 17.

Strike out the figures "\$274,500" in line 89, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$444,500."

Amendment No. 18.

Add, after line 92, section 1 of the printed bill, the following: "Road, \$1,000."

Amendment No. 19.

Strike out the figures "\$4,200," in line 93, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,200."

Amendment No. 20.

Strike out all of line 117, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Four new boilers and new brick smokestack, \$13,000."

Amendment No. 21.

Strike out the figures "\$49,000," in line 118, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$57,000."

Amendment No. 22.

Add after line 126, section 1 of the printed bill, the following: "Overcoats for inmates, 10,000."

Amendment No. 23.

Strike out the figures "\$38,700," in line 127, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert "\$48,700."

Amendment No. 24.

Add after line 133, section 1 of the printed bill, the following: "Five cottages and furnishings, 25,000."

Amendment No. 25.

Strike out the figures "\$14,400," in line 134, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$39,400."

Amendment No. 26.

Strike out the word "two" and the figures "36,000," in line 154, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "Four" and the figures "60,000."

Amendment No. 27.

Strike out the figures "\$85,200," in line 162, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$109,200."

Amendment No. 28.

Amend Senate Bill No. 26, in section 1, line 38, by striking out the word "brick."

Passed by the House May 1, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Gardner moved that the Senate do not concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the amendments to the bill, which motion was decided in the affirmative.

The Secretary of the Senate was ordered to notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 467.

A bill for an act to amend section 62 of article V, of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act of March 30, 1887.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and are returned herewith:

SENATE BILL NO. 126.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to repeal section 8 to 109 of said act.

Mr. Juul moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up on the order of second reading House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases,"

And the yeas and nays being demanded, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 4.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Koch,	Parker,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Kunz,	Powers,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Maher,	Rees,
Campbell,	Fowler,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Clark,	Hall,	Juul,	Meehan,	Watson.
Coleman,				Yeas—31.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Evans,	Farnum,	Gardner,	Riley,	Nays—4.
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The rules being suspended the bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

The question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 3:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Clark, the Senate went into executive session for the purpose of considering the following nominations for justices of the peace in the county of Cook, to-wit:

Henry D. Smalley, to succeed Henry D. Rhoades, for the town of Lake.

M. J. Mohan, to succeed E. E. Wilder, for the town of Calumet.

Frank Foster, to succeed Ed Lewis, for the town of Hyde Park.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all executive sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors was suspended.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the nomination of Frank Foster, to succeed Ed Lewis, for the town of Hyde Park, was taken up first,

And the question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of Frank Foster, just made?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Barr,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Butler,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Riley,	Stringer,
Dawson,				Nays—6.

Pending the consideration of the other two nominations, at 3:50 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts," was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Meehan offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend House Bill 254 by inserting after the word "State," in line 2 of the printed bill, the following:

"having a population of over 35,000 by the last federal census."

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 265, for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Koch,	Rees,
Bailey,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Clark,	Haas,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Dixon,			Putnam,	Yeas—27.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Alden, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hughes, the following resolution offered by him March 25, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

WHEREAS, Many of the forests heretofore existing within the State of Illinois have been destroyed and the forest area of said State is diminishing from year to year, to the manifest injury of the inhabitants of said State, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America, be, and it is hereby requested to make an investigation as to the condition of the forests within the boundaries of the State of Illinois and make report thereof, together with such recommendations as shall seem proper as to the means necessary to be adopted for the purpose of preserving the forests now in ex-

istence and of encouraging the propagation, growth and protection of forests in general within said State; said report to be made to the Governor of this State with all convenient dispatch.

The question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 3:55 o'clock p. m. Mr. Riley moved that the Senate go into executive session for the purpose of considering the remaining nominations for justices of the peace in Cook county, and,

The yeas and nays being demanded, the motion was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 22.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Dunlap, Farnum,	Fowler, Hall,	Kunz, Parker,	Putnam, Riley,	Templeton, Yeas—9.
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The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Andrus, Berry, Campbell, Clark,	Farrelly, Gardner, Haas, Hamilton, Hughes,	Humphrey, Koch, Lundberg, Maher, McKenzie,	Meehan, Pemberton, Powers, Stringer,	Stubblefield, Walter, Watson. Nays—22.
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By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, House Bill No. 306, a bill for "An act to amend section 62 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 439, for "An act to amend section two (2) of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen, Andrus, Bailey, Berry, Campbell, Clark,	Evans, Farnum, Gardner, Hall, Helm, Humphrey,	Koch, Kunz, Lundberg, Maher, McCabe, McKenzie,	Mueller, Parker, Pemberton, Powers, Putnam, Rees,	Stringer, Stubblefield, Templeton, Watson. Yeas—28.
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The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Alden,	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 233.

A bill for an act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903.

SENATE BILL NO. 129.

A bill for an act making appropriation to provide for deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 111.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale, Illinois.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 436.

A bill for an act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol Building at Springfield, Illinois, and making appropriations therefor.

SENATE BILL NO. 110.

A bill for an act to make appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale, Illinois.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 341.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly and for the salaries of the officers of the State Government.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, Senate Bill No. 467, for "An act to amend section 62 of article V of 'An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act of March 30, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Farnum,	Juul, □	Parker,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Berry,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,	Watson,
Clark,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Riley,	
Dixon,	Humphrey,	Mueller,		

Yeas—27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the passage of the bill.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 241.

A bill for an act for the creation of anti-saloon territory.

Passed the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 241, a bill for "An act to provide for the creation of anti-saloon territory,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and,

On motion of Mr. Bailey, was referred to the Committee on License and Miscellany.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Rees offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38.

WHEREAS, The Hon. Hiram Perez Shumway, a member of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, in the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, and a member of this Senate in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh General Assemblies, departed this life in the city of Springfield on Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1903, and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting that we pay to him and to his memory the only tribute now in our power; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of Hon. Hiram Perez Shumway the State of Illinois has lost a valuable citizen; the community in which he lived a noble example of American manhood; his many friends a true and steadfast companion and his family a loving husband, father and protector; and be it

Resolved, That his death closes an honorable career marked by faithful service to the State and many acts of charity and kindness to his fellow men; and be it

Resolved. That we hereby tender to the family of the deceased our most profound sympathy and condolence in this, the sad hour of their bereavement; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread in full upon the journal of this Senate, and that an engrossed copy thereof be sent to the family of the deceased, and out of further respect to the memory of the departed, that this Senate do now adjourn.

Mr. Rees made the following remarks:

Hiram Perez Shumway was born in Janesville, in this State, on the 16th of June, 1842. When only a year of age the family removed to Taylorville, Christian county, where he grew to manhood and where he resided until a few years ago, when he engaged in business in this city and made this place his home until the time of his death.

His early education was obtained in the public schools of Taylorville and was completed in the Academy at Hillsboro, in Montgomery county. He was married to Miss Ellen Holmes on the 13th of November, 1866, who with three daughters, survives him. In 1872 he was elected to the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, from Christian county, and served one term. In 1889 he was elected to the Senate of the State of Illinois and served in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh General Assemblies. He was one of the foremost citizens of Taylorville after reaching his majority and during his residence in that city and within the few years he lived in Springfield, he attained a high rank as a man of sterling business qualifications and took an active interest in all public matters. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church and was also connected with several fraternal organizations and lodges, but took the greatest interest in Masonry. He had served as Eminent Commander of Elwood Commandery Knights Templar of Springfield, and was prelate of that organization at the time of his death. He was president of the Springfield Monument company of this city and in politics was a Democrat and was active in the affairs of the party.

If the Senators will bear with me a little while, I would like to say a few words relative to our departed friend.

It has been my pleasure to have known him for nearly a score of years, and he was a man whom it was not only a pleasure but was also an honor to be associated with. He was a man of infinite companionship, a man who loved his fellowmen, a man whose religion was not limited to the creed of the church of which he was a faithful member, but went farther and was wide enough to cover all the world with a mantle of charity and its practical side was based upon doing good to all at all times.

While he was not a politician in the offensive acceptation of that term, he took an active interest in politics as he did in all matters of public good and of public interest, as must be manifest by the fact that he was elected first to the House of Representatives and afterward to the Senate of the State of Illinois, and was at a later date a candidate for Congress. Occasionally we hear some people who do not appreciate the science of government and the importance of politics, berate those who are elected to office as "politicians," assuming thereby to use the word "politician" as a term of opprobrium. Those people seem to feel themselves above the ambition of holding office, or consider it beneath their dignity to take part in political matters, and as a consequence they neglect their political duties. To such, the exemplary career, the sterling manhood, the honest heart and the good works of our departed friend should be an answer to their ideas and arguments that they are

wrong, The right to take part in movements covered by so-called politics, which eventually govern men and make and unmake nations, is one of the highest privileges of mankind, and that interest properly bestowed even upon the despised primaries, is not beneath the dignity of any good citizen. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. This should not be forgotten, and he who neglects the matters pertaining to his government, sleeps when he should be on guard and can not be counted as the best citizen. Every man should have a laudable desire to serve his fellowmen in political matters, and if called to office, should consider it an honor to be repaid by honest, faithful service. The election of the best men to office for the purpose of carrying out better resolutions and the making of better laws is a duty that every man owes to himself, to his family, to his state and to his God. I believe our late friend acted upon this conviction and upon this theory, and he was honored by his fellowmen and he was deserving of honor in this as he was in every other good work which he did. He was faithful, not only to the State, but also to his party. He was a member of the Senate at the time of the election of the late Gen. John M. Palmer as United States Senator, and was one of the memorable 101 who carried to successful issue that long and exciting contest, and as a mark of faithfulness to principle and faithfulness to party, he was presented, as were his colleagues, with a gold medal by his admiring political friends.

The one whose memory we cherish today was a man of many good parts. In politics he was courageous and untiring, in business he was energetic and successful, in public matters he was enterprising and progressive, in acts of charity he was prompt and liberal, in the lodge he was painstaking and thorough, in the church his greeting was honest and cordial, and in all the years I knew him I never knew anybody to speak ill of him. His home life was ideal, and the companionship of his friends was among his greatest pleasures. His eloquence, when called upon, and his fine appreciation of humor, made him a most desirable member of any circle. But he has been called hence. We will see him no more. Peace to his ashes. May the world have more like him.

The question then being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative by a unanimous rising vote, and in pursuance thereof, at 4:15 o'clock p. m., the President *pro tempore* of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. John C. McKenzie, President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Fowler, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, May 1, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of Justice of the Peace in the county of Cook, the persons below named, their respective towns being hereinafter indicated to-wit:

For the town of South Chicago—James C. Martin, to succeed himself: John R. Caverly, to fill the office just created by law.

For the town of West Chicago—John W. Bennett, to fill the office just created by law.

And I respectfully ask that you concur therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to a special committee consisting of the Cook county Senators.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, secretary to the Governor.

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SPRINGFIELD, May 6, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for proper consideration by the General Assembly, a copy of a communication from the officers of Charles E.

Hovey Post, No. 786, Department of Illinois, Grand Army of the Republic, Normal, requesting legislation providing for the building of necessary cottages at the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home; and I have the honor to request serious consideration of the same.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,

Governor.

NORMAL, ILL., April 29, 1903.

Gov. Richard Yates, Springfield, Illinois.

DEAR SIR.—At a meeting of Normal Post held on above date, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has come to the knowledge of the members of Charles E. Hovey Post No. 786, Department of Illinois, Grand Army of the Republic, Normal, that the Senate Committee of Appropriations has disallowed the appropriation asked for by the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, for the building of cottages for the use and benefit of the inmates of said institution, and whereas, we know something of the great need of these cottages for the health and comfort of these children living in said institution:

Therefore, we, as comrades of said orphan children, do most respectfully ask our Senator and Representatives from this district, in the name of humanity, to double their efforts to make the Legislature see the great wrong that has been inflicted on these helpless children, by permitting them to be herded together in a basement, as they are now.

We, the members of said Post, in meeting assembled, do most respectfully ask the General Assembly of Illinois to pass said bill, being assured that there will not be a loyal man in the great State of Illinois but will commend you for such action.

(Signed)

ALEX. KEADY, *Adjutant*,

(Seal)

F. E. ELDER, *Com.*

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, the foregoing message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bailey, from the Committee to Visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions, made the following report, which was ordered spread upon the journal:

Your committee found the State Reformatory at Pontiac in excellent condition in all of its departments, and in our judgment doing good work along the lines indicated by the statute under which it is operated. We were afforded every facility by the superintendent and his assistants for the most thorough investigation. All information asked for was promptly and cheerfully furnished, and every opportunity given for the confirmation of every statement. In our judgment, the accounts of this institution are carefully and correctly kept, and the purchase and distribution of its supplies conducted in an economical and businesslike manner.

The health and physical well being of the inmates are carefully and systematically looked after. Physical cleanliness is imperatively insisted upon, and the appearance of the inmates bears witness to the efficiency of the regulations to that effect.

In our opinion, the discipline of this institution is well adapted to the promotion of the mental and moral improvement of the inmates. It seeks to exercise such control over their actions as is necessary for the maintenance of good order and the proper restraint of the viciously inclined, and at the same time allow such liberty of action as is consistent with these necessary restraints, to the end that, so far as possible, there may be fostered that capacity for individuality of action and develop those qualities necessary to the inmate when he shall go out into the world to make his way by his own exertions.

The management of the inmates is efficiently maintained without undue severity or demoralizing laxity. The military organization and training of the inmates is a valuable auxiliary to the general scheme of discipline, and affords valuable training, and at the same time develops habits of obedience. It is an agreeable and useful relaxation from the more arduous and necessary confinement.

The schools maintained at the Reformatory will compare favorably in ability to the teachers and the character of instruction with schools of the same grade on the outside. The school rooms are well equipped with all approved modern appointments, and the books used are endorsed by the most advanced educators. We are confident that the results obtained in these schools are of the most valuable character, taking into consideration the natural limitations of the pupils and the consequent disadvantages under which the teachers have to work.

A magnificent library of more than 10,000 volumes is maintained and on its shelves are found an abundance of standard works covering every department of human thought and endeavor.

The religious training of the inmates is well looked after. In addition to the chapel exercises each Sunday, conducted by the Chaplain, a flourishing branch of the Young Men's Christian Association is maintained and the privileges afforded are highly prized by a large proportion of the inmates. Provision is made for the Catholic inmates by special exercises, including confession, by a priest of their faith.

We found the buildings and grounds of the institution in excellent condition, showing on every hand the effects of intelligent supervision and well directed and constant labor.

The feature of contract labor has been almost eliminated from the institution and its place is being taken as rapidly as possible by the trade instruction utilizing as far as practicable the labor for the manufacture of the supplies needed in the institution and for the work required for its administration. While the abolition of the contract system must necessarily increase very largely the expense of operating such institution, it is believed to be in line with the trend of public opinion, as well as made necessary by the requirements of the law. So far as possible the Reformatory seeks to promote habits of industry and to train those under its care in some bread winning avocation.

We found the farm belonging to the institution in a high state of cultivation and productiveness.

The repairs upon the burned cell house are in a fair state of advancement. The renewed cell house will be equipped according to modern ideas of what such a structure should be and bids fair to rank among the best buildings of its class anywhere.

The institution very much needs a surrounding wall of brick or cement to take the place of the present board fence, which is not up to the standard of what the necessities of the institution require.

We desire to add that the only evidence of accumulated rubbish; the only foundation for the published charges of untidiness about the grounds of the institution lies in the fact that the burning of the wood-work in the old cell house and its removal and repair resulted in a large quantity of mortar, brick, laths, burnt timber, etc., being piled outside of the building during its construction. Those changes and repairs are still going on, and we know of no process by which large buildings may be rebuilt without the accumulation of rubbish and building material while they are being constructed.

M. B. BAILEY, *Chairman,*

LEN SMALL,

THOS. J. DAWSON,

Senate Committee to visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 479, for "An act to amend section 41 of the Criminal Code, in relation to the destruction of Canada thistles and other noxious weeds," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading, and,

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Townsend, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Townsend, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 307, for "An act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employes from corporations doing business in this State," reported the same back with an amendment thereto, and recommended that the amendment be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass. Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with the amendments, and

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Townsend, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time, together with the following amendment reported from the Committee on Railroads:

Amend section 1 of House Bill, as engrossed, by adding after the last word of section 1, the following: "And provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect the right of any corporation to contract for the retention of a part of the wages of said laborers, servants and employes for the purpose of giving to said servants, laborers and employes insurance, hospital, sick or other relief."

The question being, "Shall the report of and the amendment reported from said committee be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 25.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,702,150," in line 4. section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,713,650."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by striking out the figures "176,000.00" in line 18, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "187,500.00."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,702,150.00" in line 23, section 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,713,650.00."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,972,150," in line 2, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,983,650."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$176,000.00," in line 18, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$187,500.00."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,972,150.00," in line 23, section 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,983,650.00."

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has ordered a conference committee of three members to be appointed on the part of the House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to said amendments.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed as such committee: Messrs. E. C. Curtis, D. E. Shanahan, John A. Petrie.

Action taken by the House May 5, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a conference committee consisting of three on the part of the Senate, be appointed to meet a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives, to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Gardner, Albertsen and Pemberton.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 26.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the State Charitable institutions herein named.

Which amendments are:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$1,150,908.50," in line 5, section 1, of printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,418,408.50."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by striking out the figures "1,000" in line 14, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend by striking out the words "three," in line 17, section 1, and also the figures "2,400" in the same line and section, and insert respectively, the word "eight" and the figures "7,200."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend by adding after line 21, section 1, of the printed bill, the following lines:

"Elevator for kitchen..... 1,200
Feed water heater for boilers..... 1,500"

Amendment No. 5.

Amend by striking out the figures "73,300," in line 23, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "82,300."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend by striking out all in line 26, section 1, of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 7.

Amend by striking out the words "to replace old beds" and the figures "5,000," in line 30, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert the figures "2,500."

Amendment No. 8.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$2,000" in line 33, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert the figures "\$1,000;" also strike out the figures "4,000" in the same line and section, and insert the figures "2,000."

Amendment No. 9.

Amend by striking out all of line 39, section 1, of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 10.

Amend by striking out the figures "147,500" in line 41, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figure "136,000."

Amendment No. 11.

Amend by striking out all of line 44, section 1, of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 12.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$74,468.50" in line 56, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$71,468.50."

Amendment No. 13.

Amend by adding after line 79, section 1, of the printed bill, the following, "hospital and furnishing same, 35,000."

Amendment No. 14.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$44,300," in line 80, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$79,300."

Amendment No. 15.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$10,000" and the figures "\$20,000," in line 83, section 1, of the printed bill and insert respectively the figures "\$5,000" and "\$10,000."

Amendment No. 16.

Amend by striking out all in line 84, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"New buildings, complete, including electric wiring, plumbing, heating, window guards, screens, etc., 400,000."

Amendment No. 17.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$274,500," in line 89, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$444,500."

Amendment No. 18.

Amend by adding after line 92, section 1, of the printed bill the following:
"Road 1,000."

Amendment No. 19.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$4,200" in line 93, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,200."

Amendment No. 20.

Amend by striking out all of line 117, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For new boilers and new brick smokestack, 13,000."

Amendment No. 21.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$49,000," in line 118, section 1, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$57,000."

Amendment No. 22.

Amend by adding after line 126, section 1, of the printed bill, the following:
"Overcoats for inmates, 10,000."

Amendment No. 22.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$38,700," in line 127, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert \$48,700."

Amendment No. 24.

Amend by adding after line 133, section 1, of the printed bill, the following:
"Five cottages and furnishing, 25,000."

Amendment No. 25.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$14,400," in line 134, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures, "\$39,400."

Amendment No. 26.

Amend by striking out the word "two" and the figures "36,000" in line 154, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "four" and the figures "60,000."

Amendment No. 27.

Amend by striking out the figures "\$85,200," in line 162, section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$109,200."

Amendment No. 28.

Amend Senate Bill No. 26, in section 1, line 38, by striking out the word "brick."

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has ordered a conference committee of three members to be appointed on the part of the House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to said amendments.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed as such committee: Messrs. E. C. Curtis, D. E. Shanahan, John A. Petrie.

Action taken by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a conference committee consisting of three on the part of the Senate, be appointed to meet a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives, to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Gardner, Albertsen and Pemberton.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

WHEREAS, Many of the forests heretofore existing within the State of Illinois have been destroyed and the forest area of said State is diminishing from year to year, to the manifest injury of the inhabitants of said state; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America be and it is hereby requested to make an investigation as to the condition of the forests within the boundaries of Illinois and make report thereof, together with such recommendation as shall seem proper as to the means necessary to be

adopted for the purpose of preserving the forests now in existence and of encouraging the propagation, growth and protection of forests in general within said State; said report to be made to the Governor of this State with all convenient dispatch.

Adopted by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 476.

A bill for an act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

By striking out the word "traveling" in line 17, section 3 of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 5, line 24, by striking out the figures "20,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "15,000."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out all of section 28 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The sum of \$1,000,000 annually out of the State school fund, to pay the amount of the Auditor's orders for the distribution of said fund to the several counties, and for the payment of the salaries and expenses of County Superintendents of Schools, as now provided by law. The Auditor shall issue his warrant to the State Treasurer on the proper evidence that the amount distributed has been paid to the County Superintendents.

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 31, line 223, by striking out the figures "1,200," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,800."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 31, line 227, by striking out the figures "720," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 32, line 250, by striking out the figures "750," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 33, line 270, by striking out the words "and expenses."

Amendment No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 33, by inserting after line 273 the following:

"For the contingent and necessary expenses of the Museum and Library thereof, including postage, expressage, mounting of new specimens, acquired by purchase or gift, subscriptions on scientific journals, and binding of the unbound volumes in the library, and for traveling expenses incurred on business connected with this office, the sum of \$500 per annum, payable on bills of particulars duly certified to by the curator and approved by the trustees."

Amendment No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 33, line 278, by inserting after the word "any" the words "and other necessary expenses."

Amendment No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 323, by inserting after the words "per annum" the words and figures "for salary of female clerk, \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 11.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 35, line 325, by striking out the figures "1,200," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2,000."

Amendment No. 12.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 35, line 326, by striking out the figures "100," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 13.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 329, by striking out the figures "600," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,700."

Amendment No. 14.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 329, by striking out the figures "300," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "400."

Amendment No. 15.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in section 35, line 333, by striking out the figures "600," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2,100."

Amendment No. 16.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 334, by striking out the figures "100," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 17.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 336, by striking out the figures "700," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,400."

Amendment No. 18.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 336, by striking out the figures "100," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 19.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 37, line 352, by striking out the figures "2,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

Amendment No. 20.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 41, line 412, by striking out the figures "720," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 21.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 52, line 515, by adding after the word "respectively," the following:

"The Auditor is hereby authorized and this made his duty to refuse any warrant or warrants when any of the provisions of this act are not strictly complied with."

Amendment No. 22.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in line 273 of section 33, page 11, by striking out the figures "720," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 33.

Amend section 31 of the original bill, Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out the words "For court reporter \$1,800 in line 40 of said section."

Amendment No. 24.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out the figures "1,000,000," from line 182, paragraph 28, page 8, and insert instead the figures "1,500,000."

Amendment No. 25.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out in lines 323 and 324, on page 13 of printed bill "for salary of male clerk \$800 per annum, for salary of stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 26.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out in lines 328-328, on page 13 of printed bill the words "for salary of clerk \$800 per annum, for stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 27.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out in lines 331 and 332, on page 13 of printed bill the words "for salary of clerk \$800 per annum, for stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 28.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out in lines 335 and 336 of page 14 of the printed bill the words "for salary of stenographer \$720 per annum."

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Gardner moved that the Senate do not concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill.

Which motion was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 153.

An act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois.

Together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 153 by striking out in line 2 of section 1 of the printed bill, the words and figures "eighty-six thousand dollars (\$86,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and twenty-one thousand dollars (\$121,000.)"

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by adding after line 7 of section 1 of the printed bill the following words and figures: "For the construction of walks and coverings for the same, the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.)"

Amendment No. 3.

Amend by adding at the end of section 1 after line 18 of the printed bill the following: "The sum of \$25,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay for the construction of a building on the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, to be known as the *Womans' Building*, to be used by the women of the State as a public comfort building."

It is hereby made the duty of the Board of Agriculture to set apart a portion of the State Fair Grounds conveniently located, as a site for said building and to take charge of the construction of the same, upon the plans approved by a board of five women commissioners, who shall be appointed by the Board of Agriculture, to serve two years from the date of their appointment. Any vacancies on said board to be filled by the Board of Agriculture. The Board of Agriculture shall equip and furnish said woman's building with all necessary equipment and furniture and maintain said building as far as possible from the funds derived from the insurance of the building destroyed by fire, and the said funds shall be entirely devoted to this purpose.

Passed the House May 5th, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Gardner moved that the Senate do not concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill.

Which motion was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 433.

A bill for "An act to cede certain lands to the United States."

Passed the House May 5th, 1903.

Together with the following amendment, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate bill No. 433, section 2 by striking out the words "United States" in the first line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State of Illinois."

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration, and

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendment to the bill?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Putnam,	
Butler,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Yeas—32.
Coleman,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 286.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof," approved and in force May 10, 1901.

Passed the House May 5, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by adding thereto the following words: "and to amend the title thereof."

Amendment No. 2.

In section 1, line 6, page 1, printed bill, strike out the words, "and the title thereof."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out lines 7, 8 and 9, page 1.

Amendment No. 4.

Amend by inserting after line 11, page 3, of printed bill, the following section.

Section 4. That the title of said act be amended to read as follows: "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns, for park purposes, to raise funds for the acquisition, improvement and maintenance of additional small parks or pleasure grounds."

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill," and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Lundberg.	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maher,	Stringer.
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—33.
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rees.	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Coleman,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Hall, House Bill No. 126, for "An act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30, nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hall,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson.
Barr,	Dixon,	Jandus,	Powers,	
Berry,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—30.
Burnett,	Evans,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Farnum,	Riley,	Nays—2.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dawson, House Bill No. 634, for "An act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and

The question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Andrus,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Small,
Barr,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Stringer.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Templeton,
Butler,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Watson.
Coleman,	Hall,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas—38.
Dawson,	Helm,	McCabe,	Rees,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Putnam, House Bill No. 337 for an act entitled "An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing, wearing apparel and other articles in this State, and to provide for the appointment of State inspectors to enforce the same, and make an appropriation therefor,'" approved June 11, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farnum,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the titled be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, House Bill No. 681, a bill for "An act creating a commission consisting of three persons to be appointed by the Governor of the State, whose duty it

shall be to employ a competent engineer or engineers to ascertain the cost of straightening and dredging Cache river and to make appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Burnett, House Bill No. 306, for "An act to amend section 62 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—32.
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Coleman.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Humphrey, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 504, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act providing for the expression of opinion by electors on questions of public policy at any general or special election,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, so as to provide for legislation which will give legal effort to the will of the people as shown by the vote on such questions, by adding thereto a section to be numbered section three," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Meehan, House Bill No. 254, for "An act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Coleman,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rainey,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Helm, House Bill No. 355, for "An act concerning the appointment and discharge of receivers."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Jandus,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Andrus,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,	Riley,
Berry,	Gardner,	Koch,	Pemberton,	Small,
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Dawson,	Helm,	Maher,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Evans,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Rainey,	Townsend,
				Yeas—30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark, from the Committee on Waterways and Drainage, to which was referred a bill, Senate Bill No. 190, for "An act to authorize the sanitary district of Chicago to construct dams, water wheels and other works necessary to develop and make available the water power in its channels, and to levy taxes therefor," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Clark, was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 288, for "An act to amend section 18 of article 4 of an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof, in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,'" approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Townsend,
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Walter,
Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson,
				Yeas—40.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 289, for "An act to amend section 15 of article IV of an act entitled "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.	Putnam.
Andrus.	Coleman.	Haas.	Maher.	Rainey.
Bailey.	Dawson.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Rees.
Barr.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Meehan.	Templeton.
Berry.	Evans.	Humphrey.	Parker.	Townsend.
Butler.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Pemberton.	Watson.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Powers.	Yeas—34.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 290, for "An act to amend sections 32, 33 and 34 of article III of an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas.	Lundberg.	Putnam.
Alden.	Dunlap.	Hamilton.	Maher.	Rainey.
Andrus.	Evans.	Helm.	McCabe.	Riley.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	McKenzie.	Stubblefield.
Barr.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Parker.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Fowler.	Juul.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Powers.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.			Yeas—37.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 297, for "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, "An act

to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot," approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an act approved May 6, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Maher,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Powers,	Watson.
				Yeas—40.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 298 for "An act to repeal section 19 of article 4 of an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Rainey,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Fuller,	Maher,	Riley,	
Clark,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Small.	Yeas—37.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 299, for 'An act to amend section 17 of article 4 of an act entitled 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Pemberton,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Juul,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Maher,	Rees,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	McKenzie,	Riley,	Watson,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—37.
Campbell,	Haas,	Parker,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 131.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the University of Illinois.

Passed the House May 5, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill 131, section 1, by adding the following:

“For providing additional teachers in the College of Agriculture, and also to enable the college to meet the demands for instruction at the Farmer’s Institutes, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars per annum.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 2 by inserting the following: “For a Woman’s Building eighty thousand (\$80,000) dollars.”

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration, and

The question being, “Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill,

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixou,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McAfee,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Fort,	Jandus,	Parker,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—34.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 716, for “An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled ‘An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political organizations and to promote the purity thereof by regulating the conduct thereof and to support the privileges of free

suffrage thereat by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved and in force Feb. 10, 1898, as amended by acts approved May 11, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Small,
Alden,	Dawson,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Powers,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Rees,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fort,			Yeas--37.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Fowler, Senate Bill No. 126, for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to repeal section 8 to 109 of said act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Evans,	Hall,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	Powers,	Walter,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Rees,	Watson,
Berry,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Riley,	Yeas--28.
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Stringer,	

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Dawson, Nays--1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence in the passage of a bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the order of reading bills from the House of Representatives the second time was taken up for consideration.

House Bill No. 865, a bill for "An act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln.

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 282, a bill for "An act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at the Logan Rifle Range,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 319, a bill for "An act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted.

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by inserting after the word "Hall" in original bill the words "and Adjutant General's Office."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend original bill by inserting in last line after the word "war," the following: "For steel fixtures and file cases for office vault, and for partitions and improvements in the office of the Adjutant General the sum of three thousand eight hundred thirty-four dollars (\$3,834), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out the word "sum" in line 4 of section 2 of House Bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "sums."

And the question being, "Shall the bill as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 136.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.

SENATE BILL NO. 288.

A bill for an act to enable Park Commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters in this state, to enlarge and connect the same from time to time by extensions over lands and the bed of such waters, and defining the use which may be made of such extensions, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargements.

SENATE BILL NO. 135.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the benefit of Charles Balsley, corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.

Passed the House May 6, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 297.

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, "An act to establish the Illinois Historical Library, and to provide for its care and maintenance, and to make appropriations therefor," approved May 25, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

Passed the House May 6, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 240.

A bill for an act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies.

SENATE BILL NO. 107.

A bill for an act making appropriation for St. Charles Home for Boys.

SENATE BILL NO. 499.

A bill for an act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes.

SENATE BILL NO. 447.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1), section four (4), section six (6), section twelve (12) and section eighteen (18) of an act entitled, "An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, and by adding section four A (4a) thereto.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

[SENATE BILL NO. 35.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

SENATE BILL NO. 34.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.

Passed the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 11.

A bill for an act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory, partly destroyed and damaged by fire on the 8th day of May, 1902, and also to repair the main building of said Reformatory, damaged by fire on the 30th day of October, 1902.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 132.

A bill for an act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled "An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the college for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862."

SENATE BILL No. 145.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker, Troop "A," First Cavalry, Illinois National Guard, for injuries received while acting as escort to H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia, March 2, A. D., 1902.

SENATE BILL No. 161.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the benefit of Albert Stevens, private, Battery "A," Illinois Light Artillery.

SENATE BILL No. 292.

A bill for an act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control.

Passed the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 119.

A bill for an act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the positions of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, and making appropriation therefor.

Passed the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 400.

A bill for an act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on the Battlefield of Shiloh.

Passed the House May 5, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 868, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Gardner offered the following amendment to the bill, which was adopted:

Amend House Bill 868, by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That for the purpose of providing means for maintaining the Illinois-Michigan Canal in a navigable condition there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$50,000 per annum, to be paid to the treasurer of the canal commissioners upon his receipting therefor.

Section 2. For the maintenance and operation of the Bridgeport Pumping Plant, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$42,950.

Section 3. For the purpose of dredging the steamboat channel and basin at LaSalle there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$10,000.

Section 4. The Auditor of Public accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the canal commissioners for said sums hereinabove appropriated upon the filing with said Auditor certificates from said canal commissioners, showing that the respective amounts are needed for the purpose for which such appropriations are respectively made in the progress of the work.

Section 5. Said board of canal commissioners shall keep an accurate account of the amount of each of said appropriations received by them, together with their disbursements and expenditures thereof, showing for what and how said sums were respectively expended; which said report shall accompany their annual report to the Governor and be made a part thereof."

The question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading, and the amendment printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 829, a bill for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of Cemetery Associations."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 503, a bill for "An act entitled an act to authorize and provide for the reprint of session laws by the Secretary of State,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Campbell it was ordered that all Senate and House bills on second and third reading be laid upon the table.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Humphrey, House Bill No. 176, for "An act to amend section 4 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled 'An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887, and amended by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Burnett,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Alden,	Butler,	Fuller,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Clark,	Gardner,	Parker,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Haas,	Powers,	Walter,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Putman,	Watson,
Berry,	Evans,	Jandus,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, House Bill No. 144, for "An act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 17, 1895,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	Meehan,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Butler,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Watson,
				Yeas—30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Lundberg, House Bill No. 490, for "An act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or of his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Farrelly,	Parker,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Dixon,	Hall,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Rainey,	Watson,
Butler,	Evans,	Jandus,	Rees,	
Campbell,	Farnum,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton,	Nays—1.
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Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, House Bill No. 609, for "An act to establish a Military and Naval Code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Fuller,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Maher,	Riley,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Berry,	Farnum,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fort,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Watson,
Clark,	Fowler,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, House Bill No. 455, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization, approved and in force March 4, 1874, as amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dixon, House Bill No. 803, a bill for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of the city of Chicago to acquire by condemnation proceedings the right to locate, establish and maintain a street or streets, to be used for boulevard purposes through Groveland Park and Woodland Park, and granting to them the right to locate, establish and maintain a street to be used for boulevard purposes through the Douglas Monument grounds,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Berry, House Bill No. 488, for "An act entitled, 'An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stringer.
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton.
Bailey,	Evans,	Juul,	Putnam,	Townsend.
Barr,	Gardner,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson.
Berry,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,	
Butler,	Helm,	Meehan,	Small,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Coleman, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, House Bill No. 499, for "An act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled, 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Meehan,	Riley,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Juul,	Mueller,	Small,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Templeton.
Butler,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Putnam,	Townsend.
Clark,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Alden, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representative thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendment to the bill.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Farnum, House Bill No. 364, for "An act to amend and revise section 23 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Riley,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Gardner,	McKenzie,	Small,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Parker,	Stringer,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Putnam,	Templeton,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Rainey,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fort,	Jandus,	Rees,	Watson,
				Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-three (33) of an act entitled 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill 239 by inserting after the word "June" in line 9, section 30 of printed bill, the words "or an adjourned meeting in the month of July."

Amendment No. 2.

By inserting after the word "June" in line 21, section 30, the words "or an adjourned meeting in the month of July,"

Amendment No. 3.

By inserting in line 28, section 30, after the word "meeting" the words "or an adjourned meeting in the month of July."

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, House Bill No. 339, for "An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns, and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen	Butler,	Evans	Lundberg,	Rees
Andrus	Campbell	Farnum	McCabe,	Small,
Bailey,	Clark	Farrelly,	Meehan,	Stringer
Barr	Dawson,	Helm,	Parker,	Stubblefield
Berry	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Templeton
Burnett,	Dunlap,	Kunz,	Putnam	Yeas—29

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 750, for "An act to regulate the profession of Public Accountants,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farnum,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Campbell,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Rainey,
Bailey,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Rees,
Barr,	Dixon,	Helm,	Parker,	Watson,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	
Burnett,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas—28.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Campbell, House Bill No. 776, for "An act to amend sections nineteen (19), thirty-eight (38), forty-two (42), sixty-one (61), seventy-four (74) and eighty-four (84) of an act entitled, 'An act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto, and to validate all proceedings thereunder."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farnum,	Juul,	Putnam,
Alden,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Small,
Andrus,	Clark,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Maher,	Templeton,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Watson,
Burnett,	Evans,	Helm,	Meehan,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE SECOND TIME.

House Bill No. 170, a bill for "An act prohibiting judges of circuit and superior courts from acting as attorneys."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 285, a bill for "An act to amend section 10, of 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to protect stock breeders within the State of Illinois,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 684, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act for the regulation of pawnbrokers,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 764, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article three (3) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874.

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, 'Shall this bill be ordered to a third reading?' it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, the further consideration of the bill on the order of second reading was postponed until 3 o'clock p. m.

At 12:15 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m.

3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles. to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 475.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed.

SENATE BILL NO. 294.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning museums in public parks," approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

SENATE BILL NO. 248.

A bill for an act making an appropriation of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke.

SENATE BILL NO. 391.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House May 6, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. J. H. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 466.

A bill for an act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor.

Passed the House May 6, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gardner, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 512, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act to create a State Board of Arbitration for the investigation or settlement of differences between employers and their employes and to define the powers and duties of said board,' approved and in force August 2, 1895," reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

And by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Gardner, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stubblefield, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 498, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill was ordered to a second reading.

And by unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stubblefield, the foregoing bill was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading," it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Farnum offered the following resolution, which, under the rules, was laid on the table for one day:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39.

WHEREAS, it is claimed that the sanitary condition of the various penal, charitable, reformatory and educational institutions of this State, is in a bad condition and dangerous to the health of the inmates thereof, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the sanitary condition of such institutions should be placed in the best and most approved condition; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to visit such institutions and examine into the sanitary condition of the same, and be it further

Resolved, that said committee be authorized to employ a sanitary expert to assist in making such examination, and that said committee report at the next session of the General Assembly.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Humphrey from the Committee on Judiciary, reported back bills of the following titles with the recommendation that they be laid upon the table, which recommendation was concurred in by the Senate:

SENATE BILL NO. 98.

A bill for "An act to prevent frauds between attorneys, clients and defendants; making agreements between attorney and client a lien upon the cause of action."

SENATE BILL NO. 122.

A bill for "An act in regard to the creation of mechanics' liens repealing all conflicting laws providing that the same shall not interfere with existing liens or pending litigation and declaring an emergency."

SENATE BILL NO. 133.

A bill for "An act to amend section 133 of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

SENATE BILL NO. 165.

A bill for "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of the evidence and all the proceedings in trials in all classes of cases before them and to provide for their compensation and to repeal a certain act therein named."

SENATE BILL NO. 183.

A bill for "An act making claims or demands for damages to persons or property, or for causing the death of a person, assignable."

SENATE BILL NO. 184.

A bill for "An act to give attorneys at law a lien for their fees and costs in suits at law or in equity, wherein they are retained."

SENATE BILL No. 217.

A bill for "An act for the submission of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Illinois."

SENATE BILL No. 345.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act to prohibit policy drawing and the selling of policy tickets."

SENATE BILL No. 368.

A bill for "An act to repeal certain sections of the Criminal Code relating to conspiracies."

SENATE BILL No. 369.

A bill for "An act to abolish common law conspiracy."

SENATE BILL No. 402.

A bill for "An act to repeal an act creating the office of Superintending Architects of the State of Illinois, and defining his powers and duties, approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 411.

A bill for an "Act to amend section 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to plats, approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 445.

A bill for "An act to amend sections one (1), six (6), and nine (9), and to repeal sections seven (7) and eight (8) of article eighteen (18) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to Justices of the Peace,' approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and to increase the criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace."

SENATE BILL No. 469.

A bill for "An act to amend section 8 of act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages on real and personal property,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 472.

A bill for "An act entitled 'An act to regulate theaters, opera houses and other places of public amusement.'"

By unanimous consent, Mr. Berry, from the Committee on Insurance, reported back bills of the following titles with the recommendation that they be laid upon the table, which recommendation was concurred in by the Senate:

SENATE BILL No. 97.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to compel Fire Insurance companies to pay the assured, in case of loss, the full amount for which such company has issued its policy, and to make agents procuring insurance for companies the agents thereof, as to matters expressed in policy."

SENATE BILL No. 117.

A bill for an act providing for a tax upon gross premium receipts of insurance companies and associations other than life.

SENATE BILL No. 120.

A bill for an act to provide for a tax on the gross receipts of all life insurance or assurance companies or associations other than fraternal societies.

SENATE BILL No. 244.

A bill for an act to protect the rights of property holders in the transfer of property which is insured.

SENATE BILL No. 310.

A bill for an act prohibiting officers, agents, brokers or representatives of non-admitted foreign fire, marine, or fire and marine insurance companies from soliciting business or issuing policies in this State upon property located within or without this State and providing a penalty therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 356.

A bill for an act to regulate and control the expenditures of fraternal beneficiary societies incorporated or doing business in the State of Illinois, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 360.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of an Insurance Department and the appointment of an Insurance Superintendent," approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

SENATE BILL No. 365.

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to the beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing in conflict herewith," approved and in force June 22, 1893.

The President *pro tempore* of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs," on the order of second reading.

Mr. Dunlap offered the following amendments to the bill, which were adopted:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title to House Bill No. 642 in Senate by adding the following: "And to provide for the distribution of the surplus funds."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by inserting in line 5, section 3 of printed bill, after the word "supervisor" the words "to the owners of sheep."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out all of section 3 after the word "second" in line 16 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Three years after the collection of such license fund, if there shall remain in the hands of the town supervisor in counties under township organization, an unexpended balance, such balance shall annually be turned into the general fund of the county or township, as the case may be, and shall be used for the same purposes as money raised by general taxation: Provided, that in townships in which there are no sheep, as shown by the assessor's return for that year, the license fund collected for the preceding year shall be turned into the general fund of the township on the first day of April."

The question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading and the amendments printed?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 4:15 o'clock, p. m., on motion of Mr Farnum, the Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1903—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. William A. Northcott, President of the Senate, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Albertsen, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President:—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, May 6, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for consideration by the General Assembly, a communication received at my office, and signed by H. J. Conway, secretary of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

CHICAGO, May 4, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Members of the State Legislature, Springfield, Ill.

GENTLEMEN—At the regular meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor Sunday, May 3d, a resolution was unanimously adopted instructing the secretary to communicate with the members of the Senate and in the name of organized labor urge the passage of House Bill No. 634, the Child Labor Bill, now on third reading in the Senate.

You are, therefore, respectfully and earnestly requested to use every honorable means to secure the passage of this measure which has received the endorsement of more than 300 labor unions in this city and State.

Besides this, right-minded men and women throughout the State recognize the bill as the most important measure in the interest of the present and future citizens before your honorable body for consideration.

As the bill has passed the House and is now on third reading in the Senate, organized labor looks to its friends to make the necessary effort to secure its passage. Thanking you in advance for your assistance.

Yours respectfully,

WM. G. SCHARDT,
President.

H. J. CONWAY,
Secretary.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, May 6, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I have the honor to herewith transmit for consideration by the General Assembly, a communication from the secretary of the Illinois State Medical society, containing a resolution urging the passage of Senate Bill 370, providing, among other things, for a State Board of Medical Examiners.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

CHICAGO, ILL., April 30, 1903.

HON. RICHARD YATES, *Governor, Springfield, Ill.*

Resolved, that Senate Bill 370, framed and presented by this society and now in the hands of the Judiciary Committee of the House, represents the desires of the profession of this State and should at once go before our Representatives with the recommendation that it do pass. Any influence which you can use in this direction will be directly appreciated by over 5,000 physicians represented by the Illinois State Medical society now in session.

E. M. WEIS, M. D.,
Secretary Illinois State Medical Society.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and on the 5th day of May, 1903, were laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 123.

An act to amend sections seven (7) and eighteen (18) of an act entitled "An act concerning land titles," approved and in force May 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 431.

An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved Feb. 12, 1853, in force Feb. 12, 1853.

SENATE BILL No. 287.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control," approved April 21, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899.

Mr. Pemberton, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, begs leave to report that Senate Bills of the following titles, have been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 6th day of May, 1903, were laid before the Governor for his approval, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 129.

An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for the conveying of female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders.

SENATE BILL No. 233.

An act to provide for a deficiency in the expenses of public binding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 240.

An act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies.

SENATE BILL No. 106.

An act to provide additional fees for the collection of general taxes in counties of the third class under township organization.

SENATE BILL No. 286.

An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns for park purposes, to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks or pleasure grounds, and to provide for the payment thereof," approved and in force May 10, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 175.

An act to make appropriations for the payment of amounts awarded by the Commissioners of Claims to certain persons named therein.

SENATE BILL No. 433.

An act to cede certain lands to the United States.

SENATE BILL No. 40.

An act entitled, "An act to authorize cities to acquire, construct, own, operate and lease street railways and to provide the means therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 466.

An act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 111.

An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Ill.

SENATE BILL No. 110.

An act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a building for a library and museum at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Ill.

SENATE BILL No. 341.

An act making appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly and for the salaries of the officers of the State government.

SENATE BILL No. 436.

An act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol building at Springfield, Ill., and making appropriations therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 131.

An act making appropriations for the University of Illinois.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 776.

A bill for an act to amend sections nineteen (19), thirty-eight (38), forty-two (42), sixty-one (61), seventy-four (74) and eighty-four (84) of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto, and to validate all proceedings thereunder.

Amendments to House Bill No. 776, adopted by the Senate May 5, 1903:

Amend section 74 in House Bill 776, in line 127 of printed bill, by adding after the word "tax" the words, "and any work or other public improvements."

Amend section 74 in House Bill 776, in line 131 of printed bill, by striking out the word "such."

Adopted by the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 254.

A bill for an act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts.

Senate amendment, to-wit:

Amend House Bill 254 by inserting after the word "State" in line 3 of the printed bill the following: "Having a population of over 35,000 by the last federal census."

Adopted by the House May 6, 1901.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 499.

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

Amendment to House Bill No. 499. Adopted by the Senate May 5, 1903.

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 499 by striking out of line 5, section 2 of printed bill the figures, "35,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures, "45,000."

Adopted by the House May 6, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 510.

A bill for "An act relating to employment offices and agencies." Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 510 by adding the following section to be known as section 15:

"WHEREAS, an emergency exists, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 510 by striking out in line twelve (12) section two (2) of the printed bill, after the word "annum" the words "which sum."

Concurred in by the House May 6, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 211.

A bill for an act to amend section ninety (90) of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

Passed the House May 6, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 178.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes," approved March 1, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 245.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and to increase their efficiency," approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875.

SENATE BILL No. 264.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1), two (2) and four (4), of an act entitled "An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy," approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed by the House May, 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 408.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to replevin," approved Feb. 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

SENATE BILL No. 86.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish and maintain a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings," approved June 26, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto four sections, to be known as section 3a, section 3b, section 3c, and section 3d, respectively.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 158.

A bill for an act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties, and to define and regulate the practice of dentistry and dental surgery in the State of Illinois, and to repeal all existing laws heretofore enacted to regulate the same which may be in conflict herewith.

SENATE BILL NO. 90.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town," approved May 23, 1877; in force July 1, 1877.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 438.

A bill for an act to legalize certain elections held under "An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, (certain elections legalized).

Passed by the House May 6, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 293.

A bill for an act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a public park or pleasure ground thereon.

Passed by the House by a two-thirds vote, May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 174.

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State and providing for the cancellation of articles of incorporation for failure to do so, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL NO. 61.

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by act approved April 19, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 437.

A bill for an act to regulate and control the investment and safekeeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies and to enable such societies to deposit their reserve fund securities in the custody of the State of Illinois, and provide for the registry thereof and provide compensation therefor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

SENATE BILL NO. 160.

A bill for an act to make an appropriation to reimburse John C. Block for losses sustained by him, and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners.

SENATE BILL NO. 407.

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in public parks."

Passed by the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 405.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto new sections to be known as sections 14a and section 14b, and to amend section 16 thereof.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 468.

A bill for an act authorizing the trustees of any corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation or any funds thereof under the care or patronage of any religious denomination where they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created cannot be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation.

SENATE BILL NO. 398.

A bill for an act to amend sections 207, 220 and 222 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, (said section 220 as amended by act approved May 3, 1873.)

SENATE BILL NO. 361.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 3 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers," approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.

SENATE BILL NO. 434.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act for the protection of bank depositors," approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

SENATE BILL NO. 323.

A bill for an act to amend section 42 I of an act to revise the laws in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL NO. 24.

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, "An act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois," approved and in force March 11, 1869, and act amendatory thereto.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903,

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 324.

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of "An act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute," approved June 24, 1895.

SENATE BILL NO. 202.

A bill for an act to create the court of claims and to prescribe its powers and duties.

Passed by the House May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 413.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of "An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903, by a two-thirds vote.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 358.

A bill for an act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6a, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such associations," in force July 1, 1879, as amended by acts approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, June 16, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and by adding thereto sections 1b and 8b.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 50.

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19), paragraph f, of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL NO. 318.

A bill for an act to fix the time of holding circuit courts in the county of Jefferson.

SENATE BILL NO. 83.

A bill for an act for the protection of Chautauqua associations, for the appointment by them of special police officers and to fix penalties for the violation of the rules of such associations.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 354.

A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgements of deeds, mortgages and other instruments in writing, heretofore taken by any notary public, justice of the peace or other officer, who may have been a stockholder in any such corporation at the time of taking such acknowledgement.

Passed by the House by a two-third vote, May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 313.

A bill for an act to amend the title and section 1 of "An act to encourage the planting of trees," approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

Passed by the House May 6, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend the title to Senate Bill No. 313 by striking out all after the word "act" in line 1 of the title and adding the following: "Entitled an act to encourage the protection of wild birds."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 313 by striking out all of section 1 of said bill after the word "Assembly," in line 2, and adding the following: "That the Governor shall annually, in the spring, designate by proclamation, a 'Bird Day,' (which shall be the same day proclaimed by the Governor as 'Arbor Day,' as provided by an act entitled, 'An act to encourage the planting of trees,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,) to be observed throughout the State as a day on which to hold appropriate exercises in the public schools and elsewhere tending to show the value of wild birds and the necessity for their protection, thus contributing to the comforts and attractions of our State."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 313 by striking out all of section 2 of said bill.

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 313 by striking all of section 3 of said bill, numbered in said bill by mistake as "Section No. 1."

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Barr,
Berry,
Burnett,
Butler,
Campbell,

Clark,
Evans,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fuller,
Gardner,
Haas,

Hall,
Hamilton,
Helm,
Hughes,
Humphrey,
Juil,
Koch

Lundberg,
McCabe,
McKenzie,
Mueller,
Parker,
Pemberton,
Powers,

Putnam,
Rees,
Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Townsend,
Walter
Watson
Yeas—36.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 153.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements, and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois,

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill 153, by striking out in line 2 of section 1, of the printed bill the words and figures "eighty-six thousand dollars (\$86,000)," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, "one hundred and twenty-one thousand dollars (\$121,000)."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend by adding, after line 7 of section 1 of the printed bill, the following words and figures, "for the construction of walks and coverings for the same, the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend by adding, at the end of section 1 after line 18 of the printed bill, the following, "the sum of \$25,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay for the construction of a building on the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, to be known as the Woman's Building, to be used by the women of the State as a public comfort building, and for the development and education of the women of the State along the lines of household science and domestic arts.

It is hereby made the duty of the Board of Agriculture to set apart a portion of the State Fair Grounds conveniently located as a site for said building and to take charge of the construction of the same upon the plans approved by a board of five women commissioners who shall be appointed by the Board of Agriculture to serve two years from the date of their appointment. Any vacancies on said board of women commissioners to be filled by the Board of Agriculture.

The Board of Agriculture shall equip and furnish said Woman's Building with all necessary equipment and furniture and maintain said building as far as possible from the funds derived from the insurance of the building destroyed by fire and the said funds shall be entirely devoted to this purpose.

The board of women commissioners shall have charge of and shall make the necessary regulations regarding the use of said building. The maintenance fund shall be under their direction subject to the approval of the Board of Agriculture.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has ordered a conference committee of three members to be appointed on the part of the House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to said amendments.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed as such committee:

Messrs. Curtis, Lindly, Wilson.

Action taken by the House, May 5, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration:

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a conference committee of three on the part of the Senate be appointed to meet a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives, to consider the difference between the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

The President of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Gardner, Campbell and Watson.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 476.

A bill for an act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate bill 476 by striking out the word "traveling" in line 17, section 3, of the printed bill.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate bill No. 476 in section 5, line 24, by striking out the figures "20,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "15,000."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate bill No. 476 by striking out all of section 28 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The sum of \$1,000,000 annually, out of the State school fund, to pay the amount of the auditor's orders for the distribution of said fund to the several counties, and for the payment of the salaries and expenses of county superintendents of schools, as now provided by law. The auditor shall issue his warrant to the State Treasurer on the proper evidence that the amount distributed has been paid to the county superintendents."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate bill No. 476, in section 31, line 223, by striking out the figures "1,200" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,800."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate bill No. 476, in section 31, line 227, by striking out the figures "720" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend Senate bill No. 476, in section 32, line 250, by striking out the figures "750" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 33, line 270, by striking out the words "and expenses."

Amendment No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 33, by inserting after line 273 the following: "For the contingent and necessary expenses of the museum and library thereof, including postage, expressage, mounting of new specimens acquired by purchase or gift, subscriptions on scientific journals and binding of the unbound volumes in the library, and for traveling expenses incurred on business connected with the office, the sum of \$500 per annum, payable on bills of particulars duly certified to by the curator and approved by the trustees."

Amendment No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 33, line 278, by inserting after the word "any" the words "other necessary expenses."

Amendment No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 323, by inserting after the words "per annum" the words and figures "for salary of female clerks, \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 11.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 325, by striking out the figures "1,200" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2,000."

Amendment No. 12.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 326, by striking out the figures "100" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 13.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 329, by striking out the figures "600" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1,700."

Amendment No. 14.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 329, by striking out the figures "300" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "400."

Amendment No. 15.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 37, line 333, by striking out the figures "600" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2,100."

Amendment No. 16.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 334, by striking out the figures "100" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 17.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 336, by striking out the figures "700" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1400."

Amendment No. 18.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 35, line 336, by striking out the figures "100" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

Amendment No. 19.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 37, line 352, by striking out the figures "2000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1000."

Amendment No. 20.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 41, line 412, by striking out the figures "720" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 21.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in section 52, line 515, by adding after the word "Respectfully" the following:

"The auditor is hereby authorized and it is made his duty to refuse any warrant or warrants when any of the provisions of this act are not complied with."

Amendment No. 22.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476, in line 273 of section 33, page 11, by striking out the figures "720" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "900."

Amendment No. 23.

Amend section 31 of the original bill, Senate Bill No. 476, by striking out the words "for court reporter \$1800" in line 40 of said section.

Amendment No. 24.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out the figures "1,000,000" from line 182, paragraph 28, page 8 of the printed bill, and insert instead the figures "1,500,000."

Amendment No. 25.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in lines 323 and 324 on page 13 of printed bill "for salary of male clerk \$800 per annum, for salary of stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 26.

Amend Senate Bill 476 by striking out in lines 327 and 328 on page 13 of printed bill the words "for salary of clerk \$800 per annum, for stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 27.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in lines 331 and 332 on page 13 of printed bill the words "for salary of clerk \$800 per annum, for stenographer \$720 per annum."

Amendment No. 28.

Amend Senate Bill 476 by striking out in lines 335 and 336 of page 14 of the printed bill the words "for salary of stenographer, \$720 per annum."

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has ordered a conference committee of three members to be appointed on the part of the

House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to said amendments.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed as such committee: Messrs. Curtis, Shanahan, Heffernan.

Action taken by House May 6, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration:

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a conference committee consisting of three on the part of the Senate be appointed to meet a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives, to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

The President of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Gardner, Campbell and Watson.

Mr. Humphrey, from the Special Committee of Cook County Senators, to whom was referred the following Executive Message, reported the same back with the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations therein contained.

The message was referred to the Executive Session.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD. May 1, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of justice of the peace in the the county of Cook, the persons below named, their respective towns being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the Town of South Chicago—James C. Martin, to succeed himself; John R. Caverly, to fill the office just created by law.

For the Town of West Chicago—John W. Bennett, to fill the office just created by law.

And I respectfully ask that you concur therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES,
Governor.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President of the Senate announced the special order for this hour to be the consideration of the following resolution offered by Mr. Parker April 2, 1903:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 34.

WHEREAS, By article V, section 20 of the State Constitution, it is provided that "An account shall be kept by the officers of the executive department

and of all the public institutions of the State, of all moneys received or disbursed by them, severally, from all sources, and for every service performed, and a semi-annual report thereof made to the Governor under oath; and

WHEREAS, It appears that for some years past all such officers of both parties have failed to make such report, and that this salutary provision of the constitution is likely to lapse from lack of use; therefore,

Resolved, That all such officers be, and they are hereby required to make such reports hereafter and to make and file at once with the Governor for the use of the General Assembly such reports for the last preceding completed half of the fiscal year.

And the following substitute therefor offered by Mr. Parker April 29, 1903:

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Senate that from this time forth there should be filed with the Governor by each of the officers of the executive departments, the superintendents, presidents or wardens of the public institutions of the State, and the heads of commissions and boards, in accordance with section 20, article V of the constitution, a semi-annual report under oath of all the moneys received or disbursed by them: that the Auditor of Public Accounts should prepare proper blanks or forms for such reports to the end that the same shall be as nearly as possible uniform; that such reports shall each contain, among other things, the names of all persons to whom money shall have been paid and the amount thereof and the purpose for which the payment was made; and that the Secretary of the Senate be, and is hereby instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution to such officer, superintendent, president or warden, and head of a board or commission, together with a request on behalf of the Senate that such reports be made and filed.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment to the substitute, which was adopted:

Strike out the words "the Senate," in line 11 of the substitute, and insert the word "State."

The question then being, "Shall the substitute be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate presented the following communication, which, on motion of Mr. Haas, was ordered spread upon the journal:

ILLINOIS VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.
BLOOMINGTON, ILL., May 4, 1903.

Lieutenant Governor Northcott, President of the Senate.

Resolved, that the thanks of the Illinois Daughters of the American Revolution are due, and are hereby tendered to the Legislature and the Governor of the State of Illinois, for their patriotic and generous response to the declarations of this organization, in the matter of Old Fort Massac.

Resolved, that copies of this resolution be sent to the Hon. Richard Yates, Governor of the State of Illinois, and to the presiding officers of the Senate and House of the General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. CHARLES H. DEERE,
MRS. ADLAI E. STEVENSON,
MRS. RICHARD YATES,
MRS. JULIA A. COLEMAN,
MRS. CHARLES RIDGLEY,
MRS. MATTHEW T. SCOTT.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE THIRD TIME.

House Bill No. 354, for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture, and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 41.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—41,
Campbell,	Powder,			

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 212, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Haas,	Koch,	Pemberton,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rees,
Barr,	Fort,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Burnett,	Fowler,	Helm,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Dixon,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Dunlap,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Watson.
				Yeas—30.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 338, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Haas,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Hall,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson.
Dixon,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Dunlap,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Riley,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 353, for "An act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, and

The question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Fort,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Clark,	Hall,			

Yeas—36.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 456, for "An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organization of the Illinois National Guard located at Bloomington, Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Barr,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Maher,	Riley,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Meehan,	Small,	
Dixon,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stringer,	
Dunlap,	Hall,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,	

Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 846, for "An act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Riley,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Haas,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hughes,	Parker,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendment to the bill.

House Bill No. 847, for "An act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Fort,	Helm,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Fowler,	Hughes,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	Watson.
Butler,	Haas,	Kunz,	Riley,	Yeas—33.
Campbell,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Small,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendment to the bill.

House Bill No. 868, for "An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Helm,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Powers,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Walter,
Barr,	Fuller,	McCabe,	Rees,	Watson,
Burnett,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Small,	Yeas—31.
Campbell,	Hall,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Butler, Nay—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 77, for "An act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,
Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Watson,
Burnett,	Fort,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Yeas—37.
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 848, for "An act making appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Berry,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Burnett,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Yeas—37.
Butler,	Gardner,	Kunz,		

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 152, for "An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	McCabe,	Riley,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Burnett,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Yeas—37.
Butler,	Haas,	Lundberg,		

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 402, for "An act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow three thousand dollars on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as a private in Company K, First Regiment Infantry Illinois National Guard, when in active service,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Parker,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Helm,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Rees,	
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Riley,	Yeas—32.
Clark,	Gardner,	Meehan,	Stringer,	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendment to the bill.

House Bill No. 449, for "An act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Riley,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Meehan,	Small,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson.
Butler,	Gardner,	McCabe,	Rees,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 751, for "An act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same a forest preserve and public park,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Evans,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rees,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Butler,	Fort,	Hughes,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Clark,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Watson.
Dawson,	Gardner,			Yeas—27.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Templeton,	Walter,
Hamilton,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 681, for "An act creating a commission consisting of three persons, to be appointed by the Governor of the State, whose duty it shall be to employ a competent engineer or engineers to ascertain the cost of straightening and dredging Cache river and to make appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Juul,	Parker,
Alden,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Riley,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Watson,
Campbell,	Fort,			Yeas—32.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No, 865, for "An act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fuller,	Mueller,	Stringer.
Alden,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Hall,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Rees,	Watson.
Butler,				Yeas—31.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 282, for "An act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at the Logan Rifle Range,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Haas,	Mueller,	Stringer,
Alden,	Evans,	Hall,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fort,	Kunz,	Powers,	Townsend,
Butler,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Meehan,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 146.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac for the two years beginning July, 1903, and ending July 1, 1905.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 146 by striking out the figures "8,000" and "16,000" where they occur in line 6, section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "15,000" and "30,000."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 146 by striking out the figures "150,000 and 300,000" where they occur in line 5, section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "160,000 and 320,000."

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hall,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Evans,	Helm,	Parker,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Watson.
Berry,	Fort,	Juul,	Rees,	
Butler,	Fuller,	Koch,	Stringer,	
Campbell.	Gardner,	Kunz,		

Yeas—36.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 351.

A bill for "An act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351, by striking out in line 7 of section 1, the figures "\$90,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$150,000."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out in line 11 of section 1, the figures "\$7,500" and the figures "\$15,000" and insert in lieu thereof respectively the figures "\$10,000" and "\$20,000."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out in line 13 of section 1, the figures "\$5,000.00" and "\$10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof respectively the figures "\$7,000.00" and "\$14,000.00."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by adding after line 24 of section 1, the following, "For the purpose of carrying on manufacturing and for the purchase of materials as provided for by the Anti-Convict Labor Act the sum of \$100,000.00 per annum—\$200,000.00."

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the Senate refused to concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 319, for "An act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Fort,	Juul,	Putnam,	
Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 746, for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to create a Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide for a Board of Commissioners and Secretary," approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fort,	Jandus,	Putnam,
Alden,	Coleman,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Berry,	Evans,	Helm,	Mueller,	Walter,
Butler,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Parker,	Watson,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 512, for "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to create a State Board of Arbitration for the investigation or settlement of differences between employers and their employes, and to define the powers and duties of said board,' approved and in force August 2, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Fort,	Kunz,	Rees,
Alden,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Haas,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hall,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Mueller,	Walter,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson,
Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Yeas—38.
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 853, for "An act entitled 'An act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an an act entitled an act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the purchase of the Louisiana territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 32; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Alden,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Stubblefield.
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Evans,	Humphrey	Parker,	Walter.
Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
Clark,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Putnam,	Yeas—32.
Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,		

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Gardner, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 829, for "An act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of Cemetery Associations,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" It was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 27, nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hall,	Parker,	Stringer.
Andrus,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Pemberton,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Helm,	Powers,	Walter.
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Fuller,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—27.
Clark,	Gardner,	Kunz,		

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Haas, Nay—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 503, for "An act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the reprint of session laws by the Secretary of State,' "

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time, And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Clark,	Gardner,	Koch,	Powers,	Yeas--29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 23.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to Criminal Jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto the following to be known as section 81¹/₂.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 by inserting after the word "following" in line five (5) of section one (1) of the printed bill the following words and figures "to be known as section eighty one and one-half (81¹/₂)," also by inserting before the word "whoever" in line one (1) of the printed bill the words and figures "eighty-one and one-half (81¹/₂.)"

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and,

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Powers,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Fort,	Jandus,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Fuller,	Koch,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Gardner,	Kunz,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Walter,
Burnett,	Evans,	Hall,	Meehan,	Watson.
Butler,	Farnum,	Helm,	Parker,	Yeas--34.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 149.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State;' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891," approved April 24, 1899.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 149 by adding in line 31 of section 14 of the printed bill after the words "one hundred" the words "and fifty."

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Hall,	Koch,	Powers,
Alden,	Evans,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	Maher,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Fort,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Butler,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Coleman,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Dawson,	Haas,			Yeas—36.

Ordered that the Secretary of the Senate inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 285, for "An act to amend section 10 of 'An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Koch,	Stringer,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Kunz,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Evans,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,			Yeas—27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 42, for "An act to amend section 53 of an act entitled 'An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to pro

vide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 36.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Helm,	McCabe,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Watson.
Butler,	Fuller,	Juul,	Powers,	Yeas--36.
Campbell,	Gardner,			

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 464, for "An act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hamilton,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Helm,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Powers,	Walter,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Putnam,	Watson,
Burnett,	Haas,			Yeas--27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 220, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in regard to Attorney's General and State's attorneys,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 6a,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Alden,	Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Barr,	Evans,	Juul,	Parker,	Watson,
Berry,	Farnum,	Koch,	Pemberton,	
Butler,	Fuller,			Yeas—31.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 145, for "An act to amend section thirty-two of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved Feb. 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35.

Those following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Maher,	Rees,
Bailey,	Evans,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fuller,	Juul,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Haas,	Koch,	Parker,	Walter,
Clark,	Hall,	Kunz,	Pemberton,	Watson.
				Yeas—35.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 778, for "An act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with wash rooms for the use of the miners therein employed,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Clark,	Fowler,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hall,	Parker,	Walter,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hamilton,	Powers,	Watson,
Burnett,	Evans,	Helm,	Putnam,	
Butler,	Farnum,	Jandus,		Yeas—27.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Humphrey,

Nay—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 805, for "An act concerning the use of powder in coal mines,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fowler,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	McCabe,	Rainey,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.

Yeas—40.

This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 187, for "An act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 39.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Hall,	Maher,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Evans,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Templeton,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Townsend,
Berry,	Fowler,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Butler,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Putnam,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Rainey,	Yeas—39.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 203, for "An act to amend section fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled, 'An act to revise and amend an act, and certain sections thereof, entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named, approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as further amended by an act approved and in force June 3, 1889.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dawson,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Powers,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Jandus,	Putnam,	Townsend,
Burnett,	Farnum,	Koch,	Rainey,	Walter,
Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Farnum May 6, 1903, was taken up for consideration:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39.

WHEREAS, It is claimed that the sanitary condition of the various penal, charitable, reformatory and educational institutions of this State, is in a bad condition and dangerous to health thereof, and,

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the sanitary condition of such institutions should be placed in the best possible condition; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to visit such institutions and examine into the sanitary condition of the same, and be it further,

Resolved, That said committee be authorized to employ a sanitary expert to assist in making such examination, and that said committee report at the next General Assembly.

And the question being, "Shall the foregoing resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate appointed as the committee provided for in the foregoing resolution, Senators Farnum, Mueller and Rainey.

On motion of Mr. Parker, House Bill No. 641, a bill for "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively," on the order of third reading, was placed at the foot of the calendar.

At 12:30 o'clock P. M., on motion of Mr. Berry, the Senate took a recess until 3:00 o'clock P. M.

3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 348.

A bill for an act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to enable Park Commissioners having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time, and granting submerged lands for the purpose of such enlargement, and to defray the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

Passed the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 168.

A bill for an act to amend section (3) of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies," approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 55.

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto eight new sections, to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e, 8f and 8h.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 309.

A bill for an act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks,

Passed by the House by a two-thirds vote May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 172.

A bill for an act to amend section 119, chapter 121, of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an act and parts of an act therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

Passed by the House by a two-thirds vote, May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 176.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 265.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to concur with Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 354.

A bill for an act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the agricultural experiment station and to make appropriation therefor.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out all of lines 23 and 24 of section 1 of printed bill.

Amendment No. 2.

Strike out in line 11 of section 2 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.)"

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out of lines 11 and 12 of section 4 of printed bill the words and figures "twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.)"

Amendment No. 4.

Strike out in lines 5 and 6 of section 5 of printed bill the words and figures "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.)"

Amendment No. 5.

Strike out in line 8 of section 6 of printed bill the words and figures "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000.)."

Amendment No. 6.

Strike out all of section 7.

Amendment No. 7.

Strike out all of section 8.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has ordered a Conference Committee of three members to be appointed on the part of the House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to said amendments.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed as such committee: Messrs. Shurtleff, Sunderland and Stevenson.

Action taken by the House, May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the Senate refused to recede from their amendments to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, it was ordered that a committee of conference, consisting of three members on the part of the Senate, be appointed to meet a like committee on the part of the House, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

The President of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Gardner, Campbell and Watson.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Campbell called up for consideration his motion to reconsider the vote whereby the Senate concurred with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the following joint resolution received from the House of Representatives May 4, 1903.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, May 7, 1903, they stand adjourned *sine die*.

Mr. Berry moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and,

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 13.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Hughes,	McKenzie,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Walter,
Barr,	Fowler,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Watson.
Berry,	Gardner,	Koch,	Rees,	
Butler,	Hall,	Kunz,	Stringer,	Yeas—26.
Evans,	Helm,	Maier,		

The following voted in the negative; Messrs.

Bailey,	Dixon,	Lundberg,	Parker,	Templeton,
Burnett,	Dunlap,	McCabe,	Putnam,	
Campbell,	Haas,	Mueller,	Small,	Nays—13.

And the resolution was declared concurred in by the Senate, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 693, for "An act to amend section 54, chapter 121, of an act entitled 'An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 26; nays 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Clark,	Fuller,	Juul,	Meehan,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,	Putnam,
Barr,	Dixon,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Maier,	Watson.
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	McCabe.	Yeas—26.
Campbell,	Fowler,			

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Hamilton,	Koch,	Stringer,	Stubblefield,	Walter,
Hughes,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Haas, from the Committee on License and Miscellany, to which was referred a bill, House Bill No. 241, for "An act to provide for the creation of anti-saloon territory," reported the same back with amendments thereto, and recommended that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill as amended do pass.

Under the rules the bill was ordered to a second reading, and to be printed with amendments.

House Bill No. 307, for "An act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employes from corporations doing business in this State,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden.	Clark,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Andrus.	Dixon,	Haas,	Maher,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hall,	McCabe,	Walter.
Barr,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Watson,
Berry,	Fort,	Juul,	Parker,	
Campbell,	Fowler.	Koch,	Putnam,	Yeas—28.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Stubblefield, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 239, for "An act to amend sections thirty and thirty-three of an act entitled, 'An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 33.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dixon,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Juul,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Barr,	Fowler,	Koch,	Mueller,	Walter,
Berry,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Parker,	Watson.
Clark,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	
Coleman,	Hamilton,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—33.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 642, for "An act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass as amended?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 30; nays 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	Koch,	Parker,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hall,	Kunz,	Powers,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Putnam,
Barr,	Farrelly,	Hughes,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Berry,	Fowler,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Campbell,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Watson.
				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Stubblefield, Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendments to the bill.

House Bill No. 803, for "An act to enable the corporate authorities of the city of Chicago to acquire by condemnation the right to locate, establish and maintain a street or streets to be used for boulevard purposes through Groveland Park and Woodland Park, and granting to them the right to locate, establish and maintain a street to be used for boulevard purposes through the Douglas Monument grounds,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dixon,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Powers,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Haas,	Maher,	Putnam,
Berry,	Evans,	Humphrey,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Campbell,	Fort,	Juul,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Clark,	Fowler	Koch,	Parker,	Watson.
				Yeas—30.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Hamilton.

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 170, for "An act prohibiting judges of Circuit and Superior Courts from acting as attorneys,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 27; nays, 6.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Haas,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Campbell,	Hall,	Koch,	Powers,	Watson.
Clark,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stringer,	Yeas—27.
Dixon,	Hughes,	Maher,		

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Burnett,	Dunlap,	Fowler,	McKenzie,	Templeton,
Coleman,				Nays—6.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 498, for "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, 'An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 35; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Powers,
Alden,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Maier,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Jandus,	Mueller,	Townsend,
Berry,	Farnum,	Juul,	Parker,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Kunz,	Pemberton,	Watson.

Yeas—35.

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Templeton,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 650, for "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to protect stock breeders within the State of Illinois,' approved June 10, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 27.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Maier,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Berry,	Fuller,	Koch,	Powers,	
Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,		

Yeas—27.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 641, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated as sections 19 and 20 respectively,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 19; nays, 23.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Berry,	Gardner,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Andrus,	Clark,	Hall,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Bailey,	Farnum,	Hughes,	Mueller,	Walter,
Barr,	Fuller,	Humphrey,	Small,	Yeas—19.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Alden,	Fort,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Stringer,
Butler,	Fowler,	Juul,	Meehan,	Templeton,
Coleman,	Haas,	Kunz,	Parker,	Watson.
Dixon,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Pemberton,	
Farrelly,	Helm,	Maier,	Putnam,	Nays—23.

At 4:30 o'clock, p. m., on motion of Mr. Berry, the Senate took a recess until 9:00 o'clock p. m.

9:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 751.

A bill for an act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county and to constitute the same as a forest preserve and public park.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Strike out, in section 1 of the printed bill, all after the enacting clause down to and including the board, in line 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That the Governor shall appoint a board of five commissioners, two of whom shall be residents of Ogle county, not more than three of whom shall belong to one political party."

Amendment No. 2.

Insert after the word office, in line 1 of printed bill, the word "who."

Amendment No. 3.

Strike out all of section 4 of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 4. Said Board of Trustees shall, upon their appointment, meet as soon as possible at Oregon, Ogle county, Ill., and elect one of their number president and one of their number secretary, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected. Regular annual meetings of said Board of Trustees shall be held on the first Saturday of October of each and every year at Oregon, Ill., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Special meetings may be held at any time by call of the president or secretary or upon the written request of any three members of the board, upon giving five days' notice in writing to the members of the board. Three members of said board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 449.

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend original bill by striking out, in section 1, the words "two thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend original bill by striking out, in section 2, the words "two thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 853.

A bill for an act to provide for the re-appropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled "An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in the city of St. Louis during the year 1903, in commemoration of the Purchase of the Louisiana Territory by the United States from the government of France in the year 1803, and for an appropriation to pay the costs and expenses of the same," approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 853 by adding an additional section thereto to be known as section 2.

Section 2. All furniture, fixtures and other personal property purchased by said board of commissioners under the provisions of this act, shall, at the close of said exposition, be turned over to and become the property of the State Board of Agriculture for the uses and purposes of the Illinois State Fair at Springfield. At the close of the said exposition, the secretary of the said board of commissioners shall furnish the Illinois State Board of Agriculture a complete and detailed statement of all furniture, fixtures and other personal property belonging to said board of commissioners.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 2 to read section 3.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 846.

A bill for an act making appropriations for the Western Illinois State Normal School.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 846 by striking out all after the enacting clause, and insert the following: That the sum of twenty-seven thousand and twenty-

five dollars (\$27,025) be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Western Illinois State Normal School, for the purposes herein stated, for the two years beginning July 1, 1903:

For improvement of grounds, \$5,000 per annum.....	\$10,000
For seating assembly hall and additional rooms.....	3,600
For books for library, \$2,000 per annum.....	4,000
For apparatus for biological laboratory.....	1,500
For apparatus for physical and chemical laboratories.....	1,500
For models and materials for drawing department.....	300
For apparatus for gymnasium.....	500
For carpeting and platform.....	100
For maps and charts.....	200
For song books.....	150
For teachers desk.....	225
For piano music department.....	300
For seating and furnishing society halls.....	800
For apparatus for manual training department.....	900
For repairs.....	500
For painting rear of building and power house.....	450
For additional furniture and furnishings.....	2,000

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrants on the Treasurer for the foregoing sums of money on the order of the board of trustees of said institution, signed by its president, attested by its secretary, with corporate seal attached, and with the approval of the Governor. Provided, that no part of this appropriation shall be due and payable until an account in detail sustained by vouchers, shall be filed with the Auditor, showing to his satisfaction all previous expenditures of appropriations heretofore made for said institution.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 402.

A bill for an act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow three thousand dollars on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in the discharge of his duty as private in company "K" First Regiment Infantry, Illinois National Guard, when in active service.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend original bill by striking out in title and section one (1) the words "three thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred dollars."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the Senate amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 847.

A bill for "An act making appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School,"

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following: That there be, and is hereby appropriated to the Western Illinois State Normal School, the sum of thirty-seven thousand and seventy dollars (\$37,070) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, to defray the ordinary expenses of said institution for the two years beginning July 1, 1903, which sum shall be apportioned as follows:

For salaries of principals and teachers.....	\$22,690
For salaries of four additional teachers.....	3,700
For salaries of engineer, foreman and janitors.....	2,710
For fuel and light.....	2,000
For lectures.....	300
For catalogues, printing and stationery.....	1,000
For expenses of trustees.....	1,000
For expenses of trustees.....	500
For contingent expenses.....	1,000
For stenographer.....	480
For postage, express and freight.....	300
For telephone.....	60
For commencement.....	130
For supplies for steam heating plant.....	200
For miscellaneous supplies, paper, ink, etc.....	500
For registrar's services from date of appointment to July 1, 1901.....	500

Section 2. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the foregoing sums of money, on the order of the board of trustees, signed by the president and attested by the secretary of said board, with corporate seal attached: *Provided*, that satisfactory vouchers in detail approved by the Governor, shall be filed quarterly with the Auditor of Public Accounts, for the ordinary expenses of the preceding quarter, and that no part of the money appropriated hereby shall be due and payable until such vouchers shall be filed.

Concurred in by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit;

HOUSE BILL No. 319.

A bill for an act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title of House Bill No. 319 by inserting, after the word "Hall" in original bill, the words "and Adjutant General's office."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend original bill by inserting in last line, after the word "war," the following: "for steel fixtures and file cases for office vault, and for partitions and improvements in the office of the Adjutant General, the sum of three thousand eight hundred thirty-four dollars (\$3,834), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 319 by striking out the word "sum," in line 4 of section 2, and insert in lieu thereof the word "sums."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 156.

A bill for an act concerning investments by trustees.

SENATE BILL NO. 214.

A bill for an act to amend "An act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an act therein named," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 2a.

SENATE BILL NO. 448.

A bill for an act to amend section 22 of article VI of an act entitled "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," in force May 21, 1889, by adding to said section 22 of article VI of said act a paragraph to be numbered twelfth.

SENATE BILL NO. 246.

A bill to amend an act concerning Canada thistles, approved and in force March 15, 1872, as amended by an act of June 27, 1885; also, by adding the following sections: 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, declaring certain weeds nuisances and providing for their destruction by county boards in counties where boards of town auditors of two or more townships have been consolidated or abolished.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Basset, Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House concurs with the Senate in the adoption of amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 239.

A bill for an act to amend sections thirty (30) and thirty-three (33) of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices." Approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 239 by inserting after the word, "June" in line 9, section 30 of printed bill the words "or adjourned meeting in the month of July."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 239 by inserting after the word "June" in line 21, section 30 the words, "or an adjourned meeting in the month of July."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 239 by inserting in line 28, section 30 after the word "meeting" the words "or adjourned meeting in the month of July."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 299.

A bill for an act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881.

SENATE BILL No. 337.

A bill for an act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and all amendments thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 338.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots, lunatics, drunkards and spendthrifts," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and all amendments thereto.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House concurs with the Senate in the adoption of amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 642.

A bill for an act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title to House Bill No. 642 in Senate by adding the following: "and to provide for the distribution of the surplus funds."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 642 by inserting in line 5, section 3, of printed bill, after the word "supervisor," the words, "to owners of sheep."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 642 by striking out all of section 3 after the word "second," in line 16 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Three years after the collection of such license fund, if there shall remain in the hands of the town supervisor in counties under township organization, an unexpended balance, such balance shall annually be turned into the general fund of the county or township, as the case may be, and shall be used for the same purpose as money raised by general taxation.

Provided, that in townships in which there are no sheep, as shown by the assessor's return for that year, the license fund collected for the preceding year shall be turned into the general fund of the township on the first day of April."

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 307.

A bill for an act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employes from corporations doing business in this State.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 1 of House Bill 307 as engrossed, by adding after the last word of section 1 the following: *And, provided further*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect the right of any corporation to contract for the retention of a part of the wages of said laborers, servants and employes for the purpose of giving to said servants, laborers and employes insurance, hospital, sick or other similar relief.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives insists upon its amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 351.

A bill for an act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out in line 7 of section 1, the figures "\$90,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$150,000.00."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out in line 11 of section 1, the figures "\$7,500.00" and the figures "\$15,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof respectively the figures "\$10,000.00" and "\$20,000.00."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by striking out in line 13 of section 1, the figures "\$5,000.00" and "\$10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof respectively the figures "\$7,000.00" and "\$14,000.00."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 by adding after line 24 of section 1, the following: "For the purpose of carrying on manufacturing and for the purchase of materials as provided for by the Anti-Convict Labor Act the sum of \$100,000.00 per annum—\$200,000.00."

Action taken by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 62.

A bill for an act to amend section 70 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved June 5, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889.

SENATE BILL NO. 63.

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to wills," approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an act approved April 11, 1895, and in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL NO. 477.

A bill for an act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 116.

A bill for an act to amend section 13 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms," approved and in force March 7, 1872, and amended by an act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an act approved and in force March 30, 1901.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116, after the word "prescribe," in line 22, page 2 of the printed bill insert the following: "Provided always that in case the

city council shall provide for such payment of the issuance of bonds it shall make provision at or before the issuance thereof, by ordinance, which shall be irrepalable, for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax upon all the taxable property within such city sufficient to meet the principal and interest of said bonds as the same may mature, which tax shall be in addition to that otherwise authorized to be levied and collected for corporate purposes."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116 between the words "aforesaid" and "then" in line 24 on page 2 of said printed bill insert the following: "But shall otherwise approve the action of said board."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No 116 between the words "levy" and "shall" in line 32 on page 2 of said printed bill insert the following: "For the amount so certified."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116 between the words "board" and "shall" in line 34 on page 2 of said printed bill insert the following: "In those cases where bonds are not issued, as aforesaid."

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116 in line 35 on page 3 of said printed bill, strike out the words, "said sum herein mentioned shall have," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The cost of such building or site, or both shall have."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116 between the words, "collected" and "the" in line 36 on page 3 of said printed bill, insert the words "as last aforesaid."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 116 by striking out the word "respectfully" in line 18 on page 2 of said printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word, "respectively."

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill,

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Clark,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Small,
Alden,	Coleman,	Haas,	Lundberg,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dawson,	Hall,	McCabe,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Templeton,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Townsend,
Butler,	Farnum,	Juul,	Powers,	Watson,
Campbell,	Farrelly,	Koch,	Rees,	Yeas—34.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 350.

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act to create and establish boards of health in counties not under township organization and in townships in counties under township organization outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and villages, to prescribe their duties and powers, and provide for enforcing the same," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendment, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 350 by striking out of section 5 the words "\$1.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$1.50."

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration,

And the question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendment to the bill?"

And the yeas and nays being called it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 1.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Alden,
Andrus,
Barr,
Berry,
Butler,

Clark,
Coleman,
Dunlap,
Farnum,
Farrelly,
Fowler,

Haas,
Hall,
Hamilton,
Jandus,
Koch,
Kunz,

Lundberg,
McCabe,
Meehan,
Parker,
Powers,
Rees,

Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Townsend,
Watson.
Yeas—29,

The following voted in the negative: Mr.

Dawson,

Nays—1.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 764, for "An act to amend section 1 of article three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 3.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Hall.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Alden.	Dixon.	Helm.	Maher.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dunlap.	Humphrey.	Meehan.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Mueller.	Templeton.
Burnett.	Farrelly.	Juul.	Parker.	Walter.
Butler.	Fowler.	Koch.	Powers.	Watson.
Clark.	Haas.	Kunz.	Rees.	Yeas—34.

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Dawson.	Evans.	Hamilton.	Nays—3.
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This bill, expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendered it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

House Bill No. 684, for "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of pawnbrokers,' approved June 4, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 28.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Butler.	Fowler.	Lundberg.	Rees.
Alden.	Clark.	Haas.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Coleman.	Helm.	McKenzie.	Walter.
Bailey.	Dixon.	Humphrey.	Mueller.	Watson.
Barr.	Farnum.	Jandus.	Parker.	Yeas—28.
Berry.	Farrelly.	Kunz.	Powers.	

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 253.

A bill for an act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and to provide for its care and maintenance, and to make appropriations therefor," approved May 25, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Berry, House Bill No. 479, a bill for "An act to amend section forty-one of the Criminal Code in relation to the destruction of Canada thistles and other noxious weeds," on the order of third reading, was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Coleman, House Bill No. 455, a bill for "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874, as

amended by act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and the act approved and in force May 10, 1901, on the order of third reading, was laid on the table.

At 9:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate went into Executive Session for the purpose of considering the following message from His Excellency, the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the rule of the Senate requiring all Executive Sessions of the Senate to take place with closed doors, was suspended.

Whereupon the following executive message, received May 6, 1901, was taken up and read.

A message from the Governor, by John D. Oglesby, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. President—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the Senate the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, May 1, 1903.

To the Honorable, the Senate.

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and statutes in such case made and provided, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the office of justice of the peace in the county of Cook, the persons below named, their respective towns being hereinafter indicated, to-wit:

For the town of South Chicago—James C. Martin, to succeed himself; John R. Caverly, to fill the office just created by law.

For the town of West Chicago—John W. Bennett, to fill the office just created by law.

And I respectfully ask that you concur therein.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD YATES, *Governor.*

And the question being, "Does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made?" any the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 38.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.	Coleman.	Haas.	Maher.	Rees.
Alden.	Dawson.	Hamilton.	McCabe.	Stringer.
Andrus.	Dixon.	Helm.	Mueller.	Stubblefield.
Bailey.	Dunlap.	Hughes.	Parker.	Templeton.
Barr.	Farnum.	Humphrey.	Pemberton.	Townsend.
Butler.	Farrelly.	Jandus.	Putnam.	Walter.
Campbell.	Fuller.	Kunz.	Rainey.	Watson.
Clark.	Gardner.	Lundberg.		Yeas—38.

At 9:35 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the executive session arose and the Senate resumed the consideration of business.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 39.

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock, for increasing or decreasing the number of

directors, for enlarging or changing the objects for which such corporations were formed and for the consolidation of incorporated companies herein," approved and in force March 26, 1872, as amended by acts approved June 6, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, and to authorize corporations to increase or decrease the number of shares of capital stock and to increase or decrease the amount of each share of capital stock.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate.

Amendment No. 1.

Amend title by inserting after the figures "1872" the following, "as amended by an act approved June 14, 1887, and in force July 1, 1887."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "increasing," where it occurs the second time, the words "or decreasing."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend in line 7, after the word "as" insert "as amended by an act approved June 14, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend in line 18 by adding the letter "s" to the word "corporation" where it occurs the second time.

Amendment No. 5.

Amend line 26, after the word "trustees" insert the word "increase or decrease the capital stock, to increase or decrease the par value of shares of capital stock."

Amendment No. 6.

Amend line 27 by adding the letter "s" to "corporation."

Amendment No. 7.

Amend lines 37 and 38 by striking out the words "or the board of directors, managers or trustees be reduced to less than three."

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives [was taken up for consideration;

The question being "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the amendments to the bill?"

The yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.
Alden.
Andrus.
Bailey.
Barr.
Berry.

Butler.
Campbell.
Clark.
Dixon.
Dunlap.
Farnum.

Farrelly.
Hall.
Humphrey.
Jandus.
Koch.
Kunz.

Lundberg.
McCabe.
Meehan.
Mueller.
Parker.
Powers.

Putnam.
Rees.
Stubblefield.
Templeton.
Watson.
Yeas—29.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40.

WHEREAS, In view of the extensive manufacturing interests now being located upon and along the Calumet river in the city of South Chicago, and

WHEREAS, It is of great importance that said river be enlarged and otherwise improved if possible so as to permit the egress and ingress of boats of heavy tonnage and large size, and

WHEREAS, It is important that said river, if possible, be so improved and enlarged for commercial and business purposes, and

WHEREAS, Information and facts are necessary in order to determine the advisability of such improvements together with the proposed Calumet channel,

Therefore, be it resolved, By the Senate that a committee of two Senators be and are hereby appointed for the purpose of examining into the feasibility and advisability, and probable cost of such improvement, the necessity and value of such improvement when made, and such other facts as they may deem necessary in connection with and in relation to said improvements, and report said facts and conclusions to this Senate as a basis for any action of this Senate upon this question at its next regular session in view of requesting the National Government to make the appropriation now asked for, and for any further relief or assistance this Senate may deem proper to request of the National Government in relation to the completion of the Calumet river and proposed Calumet channel and connecting the same with the Chicago Drainage Canal and Waterway; and the said committee are instructed to make said report to this Senate at the opening of the next session thereof.

Mr. Humphrey moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, which motion was lost.

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Senate appointed as members of the foregoing committee, Senators Clark and Berry.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government, etc.," respectfully submit the following:

First—That the Senate accept House Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21.

Second—That the House recede from Amendments No. 5, 6, 9, 19, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 29 and 30.

Third—Amend Senate Bill No 476 by striking out in line 473 of section 47 of printed bill the words "salary and."

Fourth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 297 of section 34 the words "and expenses."

Fifth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 42, page 3 of printed bill the figures "\$1,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,200."

Sixth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 301 of section 34 of printed bill the words “and expenses.”

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
J. F. HEFFERNAN,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, “Shall the foregoing report be adopted?” and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 32.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Alden,	Dixon,	Hughes,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Gardner,	Jandus,	Pemberton,	Templeton,
Barr,	Haas,	Koch,	Powers,	Walter,
Burnett,	Hall,	Kunz,	Rainey,	Watson.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lundberg,	Rees,	
Dawson,	Helm,	McKenzie,		Yeas—32.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 25, a bill for “An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State Charitable Institutions herein named,” respectfully submits the following:

First—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 in line 4 of printed bill by striking out the figures “\$1,702,150,” and insert in lieu thereof thereof the figures “\$1,698,650.”

Second—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 12 of section 1 the figures “105,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “90,000.00.”

Third—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 18 of section 1 of printed bill the figures “176,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “187,500.00.”

Fourth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 23 of section 1 the figures “\$1,702,150.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “\$1,698,650.00.”

Fifth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 2 of section 2 the figures “\$1,972,150” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “\$1,968,650.”

Sixth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 12 of section 2 the figures “195,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “180,000.00.”

Seventh—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 18 of section 2 the figures “176,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “187,500.00.”

Eighth—Amend Senate Bill No 25 by striking out in line 23 of section 2 the figures "\$1,972,150.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,968,650.00."

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
U. J. ALBERTSEN,
S. C. PEMBERTON,
Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
D. E. SHANAHAN,
J. A. PETRIE,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, "Shall the foregoing report be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 40.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Coleman,	Hall,	McCabe,	Rees,
Alden,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Small,
Andrus,	Dixon,	Helm,	Meehan,	Stringer,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Evans,	Jandus,	Parker,	Templeton,
Berry,	Farnum,	Kunz,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Butler,	Farrelly,	Lundberg,	Powers,	Watson.
Campbell,	Haas,	Maher,	Putnam,	Yeas—40.
Clark,				

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed on behalf of the two Houses, to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 26, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named," respectfully submit the following:

First. Amend Senate Bill No. 26 by striking out, in line 5 of section 1, the figures "\$1,150,908.50" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,266,608.50."

Second. That the House recede from Amendments No. 2 and 3.

Third. The Senate accepts House Amendment No. 4.

Fourth. Amend, in line 22 of section 1 of printed bill, by striking out the figures "\$73,300" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$76,000."

Fifth. That the House recedes from amendments 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Sixth. That the Senate accepts House Amendment No. 15.

Seventh. Amend by striking out, in line 84 of section 1, the word "eight" and the figures "220,000" and insert in said line the figures "300,000."

Eighth. Amend, in line 89 of section 1, by striking out the figures "\$274,500" and insert the figures "\$344,500."

Ninth. That the House recede from Amendments No. 16 and 17.

Tenth. That the House recede from Amendments No. 18 and 19.

Eleventh. That the Senate accepts House Amendments No. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25.

Twelfth. That the House recede from Amendments No. 26 and 27.

Thirteenth. That the Senate accepts Amendment No. 28.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
U. J. ALBERTSEN,
S. C. PEMBERTON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
D. E. SHANAHAN,
J. A. PETRIE,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

The question then being, "Shall the foregoing report be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 37.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Campbell,	Fuller,	Juul,	Putnam,
Alden,	Clark,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Hamilton,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Helm,	Meehan,	Townsend,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Mueller,	Walter,
Burnett,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Parker,	Watson.
Butler,	Fowler,			Yeas—37.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed on behalf of the two Houses, to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 153, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois, respectfully submits the following:

First—That the Senate accepts House Amendments Nos. 1 and 2.

Second—That the House recedes from Amendment No. 3.

Third—Amend Senate Bill No. 153, by adding at the end of section 1, after line 18 of the printed bill, the following:

"In addition to the sum of \$8,000 now in the hands of the Treasurer of the State Board of Agriculture, derived from the insurance on the Women's Building destroyed by fire, the sum of \$25,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay for the construction, equipment and furnishing of a building on the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois, to be known as the "Women's Building," to be used by the women of the State as a public comfort building, subject to the rules and regulations of the State Board of Agriculture.

"It is hereby made the duty of the Board of Agriculture to set apart a portion of the State Fair Grounds conveniently located as a site for said building and to take charge of the construction of the same."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
CICERO J. LINDLY,
JAMES P. WILSON,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

The question being, "Shall the foregoing report be adopted?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Gardner,	Koch,	Putnam,
Alden,	Campbell,	Haas,	Kunz,	Rees,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Hall,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Bailey,	Dixon,	Helm,	McKenzie,	Townsend,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Pemberton,	Walter,
Berry,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Powers,	Watson,
				Yeas—30.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to House Bill No. 354, a bill for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriation therefor," respectfully submit the following:

First—The House accepts Senate Amendments No. 1, 6 and 7.

Second—That the Senate recede from amendments No. 2, 3, 4, and 5.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

E. D. SHURTLEFF,
EVAN STEVENSON,
L. E. SUNDERLAND,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

The question being, "Shall the foregoing report be adopted?"

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Clark,	Farrelly,	Humphrey,	Putnam,
Andrus,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Jandus,	Rees,
Bailey,	Dawson,	Gardner,	Koch,	Stubblefield,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Haas,	McCabe,	Templeton,
Berry,	Evans,	Hamilton,	McKenzie,	Walter,
Butler,	Farnum,	Helm,	Meehan,	Watson,
				Yeas—30.

Mr. Gardner made the following report:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An act to make appropriations for the ordinary and

other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet," respectfully submit the following:

First—That the Senate accept all House Amendments to said bill.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
S. J. DREW,
E. A. RICE,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

The question being, "Shall the Senate adopt the foregoing report?" and the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,
Andrus,
Bailey,
Barr,
Berry,
Butler,

Campbell,
Coleman,
Dawson,
Dixon,
Evans,
Farnum,

Farrelly,
Gardner,
Haas,
Hall,
Hughes,
Humphrey,

Jandus,
Lundberg,
McCabe,
Mueller,
Parker,
Putnam.

Stringer,
Stubblefield,
Templeton,
Walter,
Watson,
Yeas—29.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, at 10:10 o'clock p. m., the Senate took a recess until 11:00 o'clock p. m.

11:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

The Senate re-convened.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to Senate Bill No. 26.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 26, a bill for "An act making appropriations for the State Charitable institutions herein named, respectfully submit the following:

First—Amend Senate Bill No. 26 by striking out in line 5 of section 1, the figures "\$1,150,908.50" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,266,608.50."

Second—That the House recede from amendments 2 and 3.

Third—The Senate accepts House Amendment No. 4.

Fourth—Amend in line 22 of section 1 of printed bill, by striking out the figures "\$73,300" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$76,000."

Fifth—That the House recedes from amendments 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

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Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
D. E. SHANAHAN,
J. A. PETRIE,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17.

WHEREAS, More than 300 American citizens now residents of the Isle of Pines, said American citizens owning more than one-half of the total territory of said island, have memorialized Congress for relief from the present government of the said Isle of Pines, and are praying that the island be retained by the government as a part of the territory of the United States; and,

WHEREAS, The United States government continued the present government of the said Isle of Pines as a *de facto* government, to formulate a new and better government for the island until the island of Cuba was turned over to the Cuban government; and,

WHEREAS, The Isle of Pines was ceded to the United States government by Spain, and the Platt amendment omitted the said Isle of Pines from the proposed constitutional boundaries of Cuba, and the Secretary of War, for the United States, has placed the Isle of Pines within the constitutional boundaries of Cuba, contrary to the wishes of the American citizens there resident; and,

WHEREAS, The said 300 American citizens are colonists from the United States, who have built permanent homes and made other improvements on said Isle of Pines in the reasonable belief that it was to continue to be territory of the United States, and such American citizens are entitled to the protection of the United States government and desire to live under the flag of this country; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly, the House concurring herein, That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois that the said Isle of Pines be permanently retained as territory of the United States.

Resolved further, That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House be and they are hereby instructed to forward to the United States Senators and Congressmen from Illinois a copy of these resolutions.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to Senate Bill No. 476.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for "An act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government, etc." respectfully submit the following:

First—That the Senate accept House Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21.

Second—That the House recede from Amendments No. 5, 6, 9, 19, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 29 and 30.

Third—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 473 of section 47 of printed bill the words "salary and."

Fourth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 297 of section 34 the words "and expenses."

Fifth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 297 of section 34 the words "and expenses."

Sixth—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 42, page 3 of printed bill the figures "\$1,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,200."

Seventh—Amend Senate Bill No. 476 by striking out in line 301 of section 34 of printed bill the words "and expenses."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
D. E. SHANAHAN,
J. F. HEFFERNAN,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to Senate Bill No. 351.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Sen-

ate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An act to make appropriations for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet," respectfully submit the following:

First. That the Senate accepts all House amendments to said bill.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
S. J. DREW,
E. A. RICE,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to House Bill No. 354.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to House Bill No. 354, a bill for "An act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor," respectfully submit the following:

First. The House accept Senate amendments No. 1, 6 and 7.

Second. That the Senate recede from amendments No. 2, 3, 4 and 5.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

E. D. SHURTLEFF,
EVAN STEVENSON,
L. E. SUNDERLAND,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to Senate Bill No. 153.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to

Senate Bill No. 153, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and making improvements and for beautifying the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Ill., respectfully submits the following:

First—That the Senate accepts House Amendments No. 1 and 2.

Second—That the House recedes from Amendment No. 3.

Third—Amend Senate Bill No. 153 by adding at the end of section 1 after line 18 of the printed bill the following:

"In addition to the sum of \$8,000 now in the hands of the treasurer of the State Board of Agriculture derived from the insurance on the Women's building destroyed by fire, the sum of \$25,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay for the construction, equipment and furnishing of a building on the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois, to be known as the 'Women's Building' to be used by the women of the State as a public comfort building subject to the rules and regulations of the State Board of Agriculture.

"It is hereby made the duty of the Board of Agriculture to set apart a portion of the State Fair Grounds conveniently located as a site for said building and to take charge of the construction of the same."

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. P. GARDNER,
D. A. CAMPBELL,
J. H. WATSON,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
CICERO LINDLY,
JAMES P. WILSON,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following conference report on the amendments to

SENATE BILL NO. 25,

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named.

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned Committee of Conference appointed on behalf of the two Houses to consider the difference between the two Houses in regard to Senate Bill No. 25, a bill for "An act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," respectfully submits the following:

First—Amend Senate Bill No. 25, in line 4 of printed bill, by striking out the figures "\$1,702,150," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,698,650."

Second—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 12 of section 1 the figures "105,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "90,000.00."

Third—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 18 of section 1 of printed bill the figures "176,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "187,500.00."

Fourth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 23 of section 1 the figures "\$1,702,150.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,698,650.00."

Fifth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 2 of section 2 the figures "\$1,972,150," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,968,650."

Sixth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25, by striking out in line 12 of section 2 the figures "195,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "180,000.00."

Seventh—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 18 of section 2 the figures "176,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "187,500.00."

Eighth—Amend Senate Bill No. 25 by striking out in line 23 of section 2 the figures "\$1,972,150.00," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,968,650.00."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. GARDNER,
U. J. ALBERTSEN,
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Committee on the part of the Senate.

EDWARD C. CURTIS,
D. E. SHANAHAN,
J. A. PETRIE,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be instructed to notify the Senate that the House is ready to adjourn and inquire if the Senate has anything further to communicate to the House.

Adopted by the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representative.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 121.

A bill for an act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected to keep abstract books, to make abstract of titles, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an act therein named.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 481.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted

of crime, and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole," approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 75.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to attorneys general and State's attorneys," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 6a.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 128.

A bill for an act making appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney for injuries received while under orders of his commanding officer, while serving as a private in Company A, Fourth regiment, Illinois National Guards.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House, by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 45.

A bill for an act to provide for the use of voting machines at elections for casting, recording and counting ballots or votes, also creating a board of voting machine commissioners and defining its duties.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 by striking out the word "mechanical" in line 45, section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "exact."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 by striking out all after the word "thereon" in line 46, section 1, up to and including the word "therefor" in line 48.

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 by inserting after the word "thereon" in line 50, section 1, and before the word "except" the words, "together with all propositions to be voted upon."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 by striking out all after the word "ballots" in line 3, section 14, up to and including the word "counted" in line 12 of said section.

Amendment No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 by striking out section 22 and correct section 23 to read section 22.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration.

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?"

The yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 30; nays, 2.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Dixon,	Jandus,	McCabe,	Small,
Alden,	Dunlap,	Juul,	McKenzie,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Fort,	Koch,	Parker,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Fuller,	Kunz,	Powers,	Templeton,
Butler,	Hall,	Lundberg,	Putnam,	Watson,
Campbell,	Humphrey,	Maher,	Rees,	Yeas—30.
Clark,				

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Fowler,	Hamilton.	Nays—2.
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By unanimous consent, Mr. Fort offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 41.

WHEREAS, It is a matter of great importance to the people of the Illinois river valley as to whether or not the dams in the Illinois river should be removed at Copperas creek and Henry in order to open the said river for more perfect navigation; and

WHEREAS, The matter of removing said dams is an open question now being discussed by the Illinois Drainage Commissioners and the Michigan Canal Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, Said question will at an early date be submitted to this General Assembly to determine; and

WHEREAS, In determining said question it is important that all the facts in relation thereto should be in possession of the members of this General Assembly and should be furnished them by disinterested parties; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of three members be and are hereby appointed to serve without pay to investigate the advisability and feasibility of taking out said dams and otherwise improving said Illinois river, and report their conclusions thereon, together with all suggestions and recommendations they may have, to the next regular session of the Senate.

The President of the Senate appointed as the committee provided for in the foregoing resolution, Senators Fort, Albertsen and Meehan.

Mr. McKenzie offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 42.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due and are hereby tendered to the Lieutenant Governor, Hon. William A. Northcott, for the dignified and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly.

Mr. Stringer offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 43.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due and are hereby tendered to the Hon. John C. McKenzie for the efficient and courteous manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office as President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

Mr. Humphrey offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 44.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due and are hereby tendered to its faithful chaplain, Rev. A. G. Goodspeed, for the faithful manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office.

Mr. Hamilton offered the following resolution which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 45.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due and are hereby tendered to Capt. Ed. Harlan, Sergeant-at-Arms, and his assistants, for the able, courteous and efficient manner in which they have discharged the duties of their offices during the session of the Forty-third General Assembly.

Mr. Haas offered the following resolution which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 46.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due and are hereby tendered to James H. Paddock, its Secretary, and his assistants, for the able, courteous and efficient manner in which they have discharged the duties of their respective offices.

Mr. Helm offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 47.

Resolved, That a committee of three Senators be appointed to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate is now ready to adjourn, and ask him if he has any further communications to lay before the Senate.

The President of the Senate appointed as the committee provided for in the foregoing resolution, Senators Helm, Dixon and Fowler.

Mr. Barr offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 48.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Representatives that it is ready to adjourn and ask them if they have any further communications to make.

Mr. Pemberton offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 49.

Resolved, That all bills now in possession of the Senate, except House Bill No. 864, and those in the hands of Conference Committees, be laid upon the table.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 50.

Resolved, That there be ten (10) days allowed extra time after the adjournment of the session, to the Secretary of the Senate and his First Assistant, and to the Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, at the same per diem as now allowed them by law, in which to complete the unfinished work in the Secretary's office and to turn over to the Secretary of State in due form as required by law, all bills, reports, etc., etc., and the President of the Senate or the President *pro tempore* is hereby authorized to certify said time to the Auditor of Public Accounts, who is hereby directed to draw his warrants therefor.

Mr. Farnum offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 51.

Resolved, That the members and officers of the Senate be and are hereby authorized to retain the copies of the Revised Statutes furnished them by the Secretary of State through the Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Campbell read the following communication, which, on motion of Mr. Dunlap, was ordered spread upon the journal:

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL.
SPRINGFIELD, May 1, 1903.

Hon. D. A. Campbell, Chairman Committee on Contingent Expenses, Springfield, Ill.

DEAR SIR—ANSWERING your inquiry submitting the question whether the Senate would be justified under section 10 of the act in relation to the officers and employes of the General Assembly, in passing a resolution giving to any other employé than those named in said section, or for a longer period than therein named, a continuation of their pay, I beg to submit the following opinion:

The act in question was passed when the members of the legislature were paid by a per diem. Section 10 provides "that no officer or person elected or appointed by either branch of the General Assembly shall receive pay for his services in excess of the number of days for which the members of the General Assembly are paid: *Provided*, that the Secretary of the Senate and his first assistant, and the Clerk of the House and his first assistant, may, by resolution of that branch of the General Assembly of which he is an officer, be allowed pay for not exceeding ten days after the adjournment of the session to finish up the work appertaining to their offices."

Under the law as it existed when this section was passed, members of the General Assembly were paid for each day the General Assembly was in session, and in construing the provisions of this section, the situation at that time being regarded, in contemplation of law members of the General Assembly now receive pay until the adjournment of the session and not thereafter.

Under the provisions of this section, therefore, officers or persons elected by either branch of the General Assembly can not receive pay only to the end of the session, except that the Secretary of the Senate and his first assistant, and Clerk of the House and his first assistant, may, by resolution, receive pay for not exceeding ten days after the adjournment of the session.

Very respectfully yours,

H. J. HAMLIN,
Attorney General.

A message from the House, by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 505,

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a Good Roads Commission and to make appropriation therefor,

Passed by the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendment, in the adoption of which I am directed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 505, by adding after the word "commission," line 3, section 3 of the printed bill the following:

"The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant for the sum herein appropriated on presentation of proper vouchers certified by said commission and approved by the Governor, and the Treasurer shall pay the same out of the money hereby appropriated."

JOHN A. REEVE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill?" and,

The yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 29.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen,	Butler,	Farnum,	Humphrey,	Small,
Alden,	Campbell,	Farrelly,	Jandus,	Stringer,
Andrus,	Clark,	Fowler,	Kunz,	Stubblefield,
Bailey,	Coleman,	Fuller,	Lundberg,	Templeton,
Barr,	Dixon,	Haas,	Powers,	Watson,
Berry,	Dunlap,	Hughes,	Rees,	Yeas—29.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

At 11:25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate took a recess.

11:40 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Senate reconvened.

A message from the House by Mr. McCann, First Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 218.

A bill for "An act to amend an act to provide the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns," approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Passed the House May 7, 1903, together with the following amendments, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 218 in House by adding after the words "for an act to amend" the following, "sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 218 in House by adding after the words "this bill" on line 36, section 1 of the printed bill the following: "*Provided, however,* That sum so received from such 3 per cent shall in no case exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars per annum."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 218 in House by striking out all of sections 3, 4 and 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 3. Whenever any person at the time of the taking effect of said act, to which this is an amendment, or thereafter shall be duly appointed and sworn, and have served for the period of 20 years or more upon the regularly constituted police force of such city, village or town of this State, subject to the provisions of this act, or where the combined years of service of any person upon the police force and fire department, as aforesaid, of such city, village or town of this State, shall aggregate 20 years or more, said board shall order and direct that such person after becoming fifty years of age and his service on such police force shall have ceased, and all officers entitled to and having a pension under said act, to which this is an amendment, after the taking effect of this act, shall be paid from such fund a yearly pension equal to one-half the amount of the salary attached to the rank which he may have held on said police force for one year immediately prior to the time of such retirement: *Provided, however,* The maximum of said pension shall not exceed the sum of \$900.00 and the minimum \$600.00. And after the decease of such member, his widow or minor child or children under 16 years of age, if any survive him, shall be entitled to the pension, provided for in this act, of such a deceased husband or father; but nothing in this or any other section of this act shall warrant the payment of any annuity to any widow of a deceased member of said police department after she shall have re-married. *And provided, further,* That all police officers retired after 20 years' service in the police department of such city, village or town, and who are above the age of 50 years now on the police pension rolls shall receive the same pension now allowed them: *Provided,* That in no case shall said pension exceed the sum of \$900.00.

Section 4. Whenever any person, while serving as a policeman in any such city, village or town, shall become physically disabled while in and in consequence of the performance of his duty as such policeman, said board shall, upon his written request, or without such request, if it deem it for the good of said police force, retire such person from active service and order and direct that he be paid from said fund a yearly pension not exceeding one-half the amount of the salary attached to the rank which he may have held on said police force at the time of his retirement: *Provided*, That the maximum sum of such pension shall not exceed the sum of \$900 per year, and the minimum not less than \$600 per year: *And provided further*, That whenever such disability shall cease such pension shall cease.

Section 6. Whenever any member of the police force of such city, village or town shall lose his life, while in the performance of his duty, or receive injuries from which he shall thereafter die, leaving a widow, or child, or children under the age of 16 years, then upon satisfactory proof of such facts made to it, such board shall order and direct that a yearly pension of one-half the salary received by said member, not to exceed \$900, and the minimum not less than \$600 per year, shall be paid to such widow during her life, or if no widow, then to such child or children until they shall be 16 years of age: *Provided*, If such widow, child or children shall marry, then such person so marrying shall thereafter receive no further pension from said fund: *And provided further*, That whenever any member of the police force of such city, village or town has been retired after twenty years service, or physically disabled, shall then marry, such wife, or child, or children of such marriage shall, after his death, receive no pension from said fund. Whenever any member of a police force shall die after ten years' service therein, and while still in the service of such city, village or town, as such policeman, leaving a widow, or child or children under the age of 16 years, then upon satisfactory proof of such facts made to it, said board shall order and direct that a pension of one-half the salary, not exceeding the sum of \$900 shall be paid to such widow, or if there be no widow, then to such child or children until they shall be 16 years of age, said pension to cease upon marriage as provided above.

Amendment No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 218 in House by striking out all of lines 203, 204, 205, 206, 207 and 208 of section 10 of printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Seventh—To provide for the payment from said fund of all its necessary expenses, including clerk hire, printing and witness fees, provided that no compensation or emolument shall be paid to any member of said board for any duty required or performed under this act."

Passed the House May 7, 1903.

JNO. A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives was taken up for consideration, and

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to the bill,

And the yeas and nays being called, it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 34.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Albertsen.
Alden.
Berry.
Burnett.
Butler.
Campbell.
Coleman.

Dawson.
Dixon.
Evans.
Farnum.
Farrelly.
Fort.
Fowler.

Fuller.
Gardner.
Haas.
Helm.
Humphrey.
Jandus.
Juil.

Koch.
Kunz.
McKenzie.
Meehan.
Parker.
Powers.
Putnam.

Stringer.
Stubblefield.
Templeton.
Townsend.
Walter.
Watson.
Yeas—34.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 420.

A bill for an act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spiritous or vinous liquors, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof.

Passed by the House, May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Bassett, Third Assistant Clerk:

Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 167.

A bill for an act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon the receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State.

Passed by the House May 7th, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

A message from the House by Mr. Reeve, Clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the Senate that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 482.

A bill for an act to insure better protection of the public from accidents arising out of elevator service.

SENATE BILL No. 457.

A bill for an act conveying certain lands to the South Park Commissioners for the purpose of establishing public parks and pleasure grounds thereon.

SENATE BILL No. 452.

A bill for an act authorizing school districts managed by boards of education or directors to establish and maintain schools or classes for crippled children in public schools, and authorizing payment therefor from the State common school fund.

Passed by the House May 7, 1903.

JOHN A. REEVE,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Helm, from the committee to wait on the Governor, reported that the committee had performed that duty and that the Governor had directed them to notify the Senate that he had no further communications to make to the Senate, except to extend his thanks and those of Mrs. Yates for the kind manner in which they had been treated by the Senate during the session.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the Secretary read the journal of the day's proceedings.

On motion of Mr. Juul, the journal was ordered to stand approved.

At 11:50 o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Campbell, the Senate adjourned *sine die*.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
STATE OF ILLINOIS. } ss.

OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE.

I, James A. Rose, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the foregoing published Journal of the Senate of the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Illinois, is a true and correct copy of the original of the said journal filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

In Witness Whereof, I hereto set my hand and affix the Great
{ SEAL. } Seal of State, at the city of Springfield, this 17th day
of July, A. D. 1903.

James A. Rose

Secretary of State.

SUMMARY.

The Forty-third General Assembly convened January 7, A. D. 1903, and adjourned *sine die* May 7, A. D. 1903.

During the session 1,379 bills were introduced, 507 Senate bills and 872 House bills. Of this number, 121 Senate bills and 114 House bills passed both Houses, of which nine Senate bills and ten House bills were vetoed in full, and four Senate bills and three House bills were vetoed in part; 108 Senate bills and 101 House bills, a total of 209 bills, were signed by the Governor.

The following 108 Senate bills were signed by the Governor:

3	40	102	132	202	286	323	398	447
7	45	107	146	211	287	324	400	448
8	50	109	149	218	288	337	405	452
11	55	110	153	233	292	338	407	457
14	61	111	167	240	293	341	408	466
23	62	114	168	245	294	348	413	468
24	53	116	171	246	297	350	420	475
25	75	119	172	248	299	*351	431	*476
*26	83	121	174	253	309	354	433	477
*34	86	123	175	264	312	358	434	482
35	90	129	176	265	313	361	437	499
39	91	131	178	285	318	391	438	505

The following 101 House bills were signed by the Governor:

28	119	223	298	349	488	604	713	786
36	133	239	299	354	490	605	714	787
37	145	243	*305	355	498	609	716	802
38	152	254	306	356	499	619	745	803
42	166	264	307	358	503	625	746	805
63	176	282	313	364	506	634	750	806
65	186	285	319	403	507	650	764	807
71	187	288	331	405	510	681	765	827
77	203	289	337	409	512	684	776	829
81	212	290	338	456	519	693	778	846
*89	216	297	339	464	520	698	785	847
								*853
								865

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2	Act to amend act for assessment of property and providing the means therefor. approved Feb. 25, 1898.	46	46	421	46			421			
3	Act to provide for the appointment of a board of fire and police commissioners ..	52	52	332	52	346	355		351, 628	355	597
4	Act to repeal an act entitled, "An act requiring reports of births and deaths and recording of same,"	52	52	421	52			421			
5	Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the presidents and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns.	53	53	627	53	723	817		734, 829, 844	845	
6	Act fixing the penalty for an attempt upon the life of certain public officers	53	53	131	53	344	372		365	372	
7	Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the 43d General Assembly, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds.	53			53	60	64		63, 89	64	84
8	Act making appropriations for the payment of the employes of the 43d General Assembly.	53			53	60	65		63, 89	65	84
9	Act entitled, "An act to repeal an act requiring reports of births and deaths and the recording of the same"	53	53	421	53			421			
10	Act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park.	53	53		53						
11	Act making appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory	58	58	730	58	749	801		772	801	1008
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14	Act to select commissioners to purchase a statue of the late Miss Frances Willard.	58	350	58	358	375	366, 665	375	663
15	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to dower," approved March 4, 1874.	59	130	59	345	356	351	356	
16	Act providing for regulating the primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions.	59		59					
17	Act to amend an act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund.	59	609	59					
18	Act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to create and establish boards of health."	59	452	59			452		
19	Act to provide for the holding of primary elections.	59		59					
20	Act making appropriations for the maintenance of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home.	60	780	60			780		
21	Act to provide for the erection of a monument to memorize the participation in, and positions occupied by Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg.	60	781	60			781		
22	Act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School.	64	730	64	749	801	773	801	
23	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874.	64	131	64	345	356	351	356	1047
24	Act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in Illinois."	64		64	391	414	399, 400	414	1029
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26	Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named.	71	731	71	750	802	772, 988, 1075, 1078	802	974
27	Act to make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School.	71		71					
28	Act to amend section 15a and section 42 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for drainage and agricultural and sanitary purposes."	71	476	71	585	635	592, 645, 659	662	
29	Act to prohibit the recording of deeds of property upon which taxes are unpaid.	71	131, 609	71	375				
30	Act to regulate civil service of the State of Illinois.	71	679	71			679		
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33	Act to regulate the practice of professional nursing.....	72	72	379	72			379			
34	Act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.....	75	75	731	75	753	802		773	802	1007
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36	Act to amend an act entitled, "In relation to probating wills."	76	76	379	76	430	447		440	447	
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48	An act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discrimination of and by life insurance companies	84	439	84	510	538	538	538	
49	An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and collection of taxes, approved March 30, 1879"	84	364	84	674	803	803	808	
50	An act to amend section 19, paragraph F, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, approved April 18, 1899"	86	393	86	430	447	440	447	
51	An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the laws in relation to coal and coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899	86	.....	86	.....	.....	.....	.....
52	An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, "An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State," approved May 10, 1901	86	.....	86	.....	.....	.....	.....
53	An act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Normal University at Normal, Illinois	87	731	87	754	803	772	803	
54	An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897	87	131	87	345	399	.....	399	
55	An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 23, 1872	87	382	87	448	695	659, 669, 678	695	1053
56	An act concerning convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions, etc., making an appropriation therefor	87	.....	87	.....	.....	.....	.....
57	An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled, "An act to create free employment offices in cities of certain designated populations," approved April 11, 1899	87	469	87	583	632	590	632	
58	An act changing the name of the Asylum for the Incurable Insane, providing for the appointment of trustees and authorizing them to sell and purchase certain lands	88	341	88	358	375	366	375	

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62	Act to amend act in relation to administration of estates.....	92	92	113	92	118	126
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89	Act to amend sections 32 and 33 of an act entitled, "An act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of the State with reference thereto," approved Mar. 23, 1872, as amended Mar. 23, 1874.....	114	114		114						
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107	Act making appropriation for St. Charles Home for Boys.....	117	421	467	475, 1023	482	956		
108	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters," approved May 31, 1897.....	118	351, 778	828	844	846	1007		
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111	Act to make appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale.....	123	123	732	123	754	804	772, 1023	804	981
112	Act to amend section 4 of article IV of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872.....	123	123	.....	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
113	Act to provide screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on street railway cars.....	124	124	.....	124	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
114	Act to give church corporations power to lease, improve, mortgage, bond, sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate here- tofore and now held by said church cor- poration.....	124	124	380	124	401	416	.....	410	416	784
115	Act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization of park districts," approved June 24, 1895.	124	124	498	124	525	562	.....	540	562	.....
116	Act to amend section 13 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries," approved June 13, 1891.....	124	124	380	124	402	417	.....	410	417	1067
117	Act providing for a tax upon gross pre- mium receipts of insurance companies and associations other than life.....	124	124	1019	124	.....	.....	1019	.....	.....	.....
118	Act to amend section eleven (11) of an act to revise the law in relation to dower.....	124	124	422	124	450	464	.....	451	464	.....

119	Act to provide for the erection of monuments and markers to commemorate the services and mark the position of Illinois volunteers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Miss., and making appropriations therefor.....	124	778	124	822	846	843	846	1008
120	Act to provide for a tax on the gross premium receipts of all life insurance companies or associations, other than fraternal societies.....	125	1019	125	1019
121	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor," approved June 16, 1887....	125	719	125	747	855	771	855	1083
122	Act in regard to the creation of mechanics' liens, repealing all conflicting laws, providing that the same shall not interfere with existing liens or pending obligations, and declaring an emergency.....	125	1017	125	1017
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128	Act making an appropriation for the relief of Frederick W. Tierney.....	126	777	126	821	847	843	847	1084
129	Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency to pay for conveying female offenders to the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders.....	126	350	126	401	415	410, 1023	415	981
130	Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits.....	131	131
131	Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois.....	131	778	131	827	847	844, 1024	847	1004

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132	Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an act of congress approved Aug. 30, 1880, entitled, "An act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under the provisions of an act of congress approved July 2, 1862,"	132	132	779	132	823	847	843	847	1008
133	Act to amend section 133 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872	132	132	1017	132	.....	.....	1017	.....	.....	.....
134	Act respecting liability upon contracts of protection, indemnity and security	132	132	380	132	429	445	.....	440, 468, 500	445	.....
135	Act making appropriation for the benefit of Charles Balsley, Corporal, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery	132	132	814	132	832	852	.....	844	852	1006
136	Act making an appropriation for the benefit of Jesse Rupert, Q. M. Sergeant, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery	132	132	814	132	833	852	.....	844	852	1006
137	Act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of intoxicating liquors near national homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	132	132	350	132	391	836	.....	677	836	.....
138	Act providing for a geological survey of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor	133	133	393	133	.....	.....	393	.....	.....	.....
139	Act to enable cities, villages and incorporated towns, of a population of 10,000 or under, to purchase or lease, maintain and operate electric lighting plants and sell electricity to consumers,	133	133	.....	133	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
140	Act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to limited partnerships," approved March 18, 1874	133	133	340	133	357	374	.....	366	374	.....

141 Act to establish a uniform system of book-keeping, auditing and accounting by municipal corporations.....	133	592	133	697
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145 Act to make appropriation for the relief of Sergeant Herman Becker.....	134	341, 778	134	823	848	843	848
146 Act making appropriations for the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac.....	134	779	134	824	849	.....	843, 1043	849	1008
147 Act providing for the examination, registration and licensing of nurses of the sick.....	134	339	134	347	388	.....	382, 869	388	788
148 Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889.....	134	.....	134	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
149 Act to amend sections 1 and 14 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, 'An act regulating the holding of elections, and declaring the result thereof,'".....	134	339	134	356	390	.....	377, 383	390	1048
150 Act to prohibit the destroying of manure and fertilizer and for penalties for doing same.....	135	453	135	467	482	.....	475	.....	.....
151 Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to State contracts," approved Mar. 31, 1874.....	135	.....	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
152 Act to promote the safety of employees upon railroads.....	135	.....	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
153 Act making appropriations for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings.....	135	779	135	824	849	.....	843, 1032, 1076, 1081	849	996
154 Act to make appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association.....	135	392	135	419	428	.....	420	428	.....
155 Act to increase the efficiency of the State educational institutions.....	135	.....	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
156 Act concerning investments by trustees.....	136	341	136	358	389	.....	383	389	1064
157 Act to regulate the procedure in divorce cases.....	136	423	136	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
158 Act to establish a State Board of Dental Examiners, and to prescribe its powers and duties.....	334	365	334	391	400, 427, 463...	399, 413, 420, 443, 452	463	1026
159 Act licensing barbers and barber shops....	334	365	334	391	399	399

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160	Act to make an appropriation to reimburse John J. Block for losses sustained by him and to pay him the value of horses killed under the direction of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners.....	334	334	627	334	673	800	678	800	1028
161	Act making appropriations for the benefit of Albert Stephens, private, Battery A, Illinois Light Artillery.....	334	334	814	334	833	852	.....	844	852	1008
162	Act to amend section 27 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts".....	334	334	380	334	429	446	.....	440	446	.....
163	Act making appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes.....	334	334	627	334	635	800	.....	733	800	.....
164	Act to repeal sections 173 to 184, inclusive, 184a, 184b, inclusive, article VI of chapter 122 of the Revised Statutes of 1874, entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889.....	334	334	.....	334	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
165	Act to authorize the judges of circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters....	335	335, 415	350, 1017	335	402	415	1017	410	.....	.....
166	Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds.....	335	335	470	335	.....	.....	470	.....	.....	.....
167	Act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations.....	335	335	439	335	467	507	.....	492, 520, 540	860	1091
168	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies".....	335	335	439	335	468	505	.....	475	505	1053
169	Act to make an appropriation and appoint commissioners to erect a monument upon the State House grounds to the memory of the former Governor of, and U. S. Senator from the State of Illinois, Hon. Richard J. Oglesby.....	335	335	335

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
187	Act making appropriations for the Board of Agriculture, and county and other agricultural fairs.....	344	344	779	344	824	849	.....	843	849	.....
188	Act to amend section 30 of an act entitled "An act in regard to elections," approved April 3, 1872.....	344	344	380	344	402	445	.....	414, 427, 441	445	.....
189	Act to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies of elective offices,".....	344	344	381	344	429	445	.....	441	445	.....
190	Act to authorize the sanitary district of Chicago to construct dams, water wheels and other works necessary to develop and make available the water power in the channels, and to levy taxes therefor.....	344	344	1001	344	.....	.....	1001	.....	.....	.....
191	An act to amend section 1 of article 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices," approved June 26, 1895.....	352	.....	.....	352	465	480	.....	474	480	.....
192	An act to amend section 8 of article 5 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices," approved June 26, 1895.....	352	.....	.....	352	465	480	.....	474	480	.....
193	An act to amend section 14 of article 8 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices," approved June 26, 1895.....	352	.....	.....	352	466	480	.....	474	.....	.....
194	An act to amend article 6 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices,".....	352	.....	.....	362	466	489	.....	475	480	.....
195	An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics,".....	352	.....	.....	352	674	.....	.....	678	.....	.....

196	An act to repeal section 7 of article 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872.....	352			352	466			
197	An act to amend section 2 of article 18 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices".....	353			353	466	481	475	481
198	An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872.....	353			353	466	481	475	
199	An act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois.....	353	353	575	353				
200	An act making appropriation for the Illinois Corn Growers' Association.....	353	353	779	353	823	850	843	850
201	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Stock Breeders' Association.....	353	353	732	353	755	804	773	804
202	Act to create the court of claims and to prescribe its powers and duties.....	353	353	422	353	467	494	492	494 1029
203	Act making appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.....	353	353	732	353	755	805	773	805
204	Act making appropriation for the Illinois Poultry Association.....	354	354	732	354	755	805	773	805
205	Act for the relief of George K. Hazlett.....	354	354	423	354				
206	Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture.....	354	354	780	354	825	850	844	850
207	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association.....	354	354	732	354	756		773, 921	
208	Act to revise the law in relation to the manufacture and sale of articles intended for food and drink and enforce the provisions thereof.....	354	354		354				
209	Act making appropriation for the benefit of Amelia Herzberg.....	354	354		354				
210	Act relating to the assignment by any person of his or her future unearned wages, salary or compensation.....	354	354	816	354	859		868	
211	Act to amend section 90 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts".....	354	354	422	354	485	506	493	506 1025
212	Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits.....	355	355		355				
213	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.....	355	355	733	355	756	805	773	806
214	Act to amend section 2 of "An act to regulate the practice of medicine," approved April 24, 1899.....	355	355	671	355	722	854	734	854 1064

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215	Act relative to the appointment and qualification and term of service of drainage commissioners	355	355	422	355
216	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives," approved June 16, 1887.....	358	358	422	358	484	495	.....	493	495	.....
217	Act for the submission of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Illinois.....	358	358	1018	358	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
218	Act to amend an act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund, approved April 24, 1889	368	368	554	368	583	596	.....	591	596	1089
219	Act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to judgments and decrees,"	369	.....	.....	369	466	481	.....	475	481	.....
220	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to exempt certain personal property from attachment and sale on execution," approved May 24, 1877.....	369	.....	.....	369	614	699	.....	648	.....	.....
221	Act to amend sections 53, 60, 70, 101, 112, 114 and 124 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872.....	369	688	.....	369	614	.....	.....	648	.....	.....
222	Act to amend article 16 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895	369	.....	.....	369	614	.....	.....	648	.....	.....
223	Act to amend sections 21 and 49 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery," approved March 15, 1872	369	.....	.....	369	.....	.....	.....	648	.....	.....
224	Act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to divorce," approved March 10, 1874.....	369	369	615	648
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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
241	Act authorizing cities, villages and incorporated towns to construct, purchase, lease and operate gas works and electric light works for public and private use....	372 375	372 375	423	372 375	468	495	.....	.....	495	.....
242	Act relating to negotiable instruments....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	492	.....	.....
243	Act to amend section 32 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts, and the superior court of Cook county," approved Feb. 18, 1874.....	383	383	454	383	526	566	.....	541	566	.....
244	Act to protect the rights and property holders in the transfer of property which is insured	383	383	.....	383	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
245	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State reform school and improve their organization and to increase their efficiency," approved April 15, 1875.....	383	383	457	383	484	505	.....	493	505	1026
246	Act to amend "An act concerning Canada thistles," approved March 15, 1872.....	384	384	610	384	668	712	.....	692	712	1064
247	Act appropriating \$5,000 to assist in defraying the expense of the erection of an equestrian statue to the memory of Gen. Thaddeus Kosciuszko.....	384	384	.....	384	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
248	Act making an appropriation of \$15,000 for the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Mary A. Bickerdyke.....	384	384	811	384	834	848	.....	844	848	1015
249	Act to regulate the business of insurance and prevent unauthorized incorporated companies, associations and individuals from doing any business in this State.....	384	384	439	384	468	483	.....	475	483	.....
250	Act to amend section 15 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate public warehouses," approved April 25, 1871.....	384	384	.....	384	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

251	Act to make an appropriation for the erection and maintenance of a suitable monument near the village of Harding, in the county of LaSalle and State of Illinois, to the memory of 16 men, women and children who were there massacred by the hostile Indians.	384	384	385	452	385	510	544	539	544	1070
252	Act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense," approved June 22, 1891.	385	385	385	452	385	510	544	539	544	1070
253	Act to add a new section to an act entitled, "An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library," approved May 25, 1889.	385	385	385	496	385	524	548	542	548	1070
254	Act to amend sections 1, 3, 4 and 7 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for changing the names, for changing the places of business, for increasing or decreasing the capital stock of incorporated companies," approved March 26, 1889.	385	385	385	.....	385	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
255	Act to amend sections 2 and 13 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain the Western Illinois State Normal School," approved April 24, 1889.	385	385	385	.....	385	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
256	Act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities.	385	385	385	457	385	570	.....	579, 589, 603	.....	.....
257	Act in regard to decrees of foreclosure of mortgages and deeds of trust, and making redemption therefrom.	386	386	386	515	386	584	632	591, 645, 693	632	.....
258	Act entitled, "An act to authorize cities to own and operate street railways."	386	386	386	.....	386	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
259	Act to enable cities and villages to buy or construct tunnels.	386	386	386	631	386	657	670	658	670	.....
260	Act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.	386	386	386	751	386	.....	.....	649, 669, 681, 693, 721, 734	812	.....
261	Act requiring the recording of surveys.	386	386	386	453	386	624	812	.....	812	.....
262	Act to conserve and protect the real estate required by the State of Illinois for the purpose of the Illinois & Michigan Canal.	386	386	386	.....	386	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
263	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale," approved April 11, 1899.	387	387	387	610	387	808	856	842	856	.....
264	Act to amend sections 1, 2 and 4 of an act entitled, "An act to promote attendance of children in schools and to prevent truancy," approved June 11, 1897.	388	388	388	469	388	483	505	493	505	1026

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265	Act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois & Michigan Canal.....	390	390	986	390	937	979	961	979	1054
266	Act appropriating money for the payment of claims of Romona Oolitic Stone Company for furnishing stone used in the construction of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School building at Charleston, Ill.....	390	390	.....	390	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
267	Act providing for a geological survey of the State of Illinois and making an appropriation therefor	393	393	.....	393	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
268	A bill for an act to promote Bible readings in the public schools.....	393	393	.....	393	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
269	Act in relation to libel, and for the punishment thereof.....	393	393	454	393	508	596	.....	536, 537, 554, 513, 661 681, 721, 795, 820, 956.	.....	.....
270	Act in relation to the recording of the assignment of mortgages	393	393	.....	393	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
271	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois river," approved May 23, 1889.....	394	394	468	394	483	495	.....	493	495	.....
272	Act to amend section 54 of an act entitled "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization," approved June 23, 1883.....	394	394	515	394	558	631	.....	591	631	.....
273	Act to amend section 1, of article 7, of "An act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved March 4, 1874	394	394	.....	394	582	.....	.....	591, 653	.....	.....
274	Act to revise the law in relation to liens.....	394	394	454	394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
275	Act to amend section 22, of article 6, of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1885.....	394	394	.....	394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

276	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act in relation to the adoption of children," approved Feb. 27, 1874.....	394	.....	523	559	.....	541	559	.....
277	Act to provide that actions accruing to a public officer may be bought by his successor.....	395	.....	523	559	.....	540	559	.....
278	Act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to oaths and affirmations," approved Feb. 25, 1874.....	395	.....	523	560	.....	540	560	.....
279	Act to provide that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of county judge or master in chancery as an attorney and counsellor at law in this State.....	395	.....	523	560	.....	542	.....	.....
280	Act to amend section 36 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved Mar. 23, 1872.....	395	.....	523	560	.....	540	650	.....
281	Act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations," approved April, 18, 1872.....	395	.....	523	561	.....	540	561	.....
282	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts," approved Mar. 25, 1874.....	395	.....	524	561	.....	540	561	.....
283	Act to empower clerks of courts of record to receive the amounts of judgments for costs only, and to satisfy such judgments.....	395	.....	524	562	.....	540	562	.....
284	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to practice in courts of record," approved Feb. 22, 1872.....	396	576	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
285	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to alter or enlarge park systems".....	396	476	509	521	.....	517	521	905
286	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns, for park purposes, to issue bonds".....	396	476	509	521	.....	518, 1023	521	997
287	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks, boulevards, driveways, promenades and pleasure grounds under their control," approved April 21, 1879.....	396	477	509	521	.....	518, 1022	521	870
288	Act to enable park commissioners having control of a park or parks bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge and connect same from time to time by extensions.....	396	532	569	615	.....	574	615	1006
289	Act to amend section 10 of "An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices," approved Feb. 25, 1874.....	396	575	700	718

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290	Act to amend "An act in regard to limitations," approved Apr. 4, 1872	397	397	454	297	484	496	492	496
291	Act in relation to the consolidation of incorporated companies organized for the purpose of operating interurban railroads and street railways	397	397	454	397	484	505	.....	492, 549, 553	563	.....
292	Act to enable the corporate authorities of two or more towns, for park purposes, to alter or enlarge the parks under their control	397	397	498	397	524	545	.....	536	545	1008
293	Act conveying certain lands to the South Park commissioners	397	397	498	397	525	545	.....	539	545	1027
294	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act concerning museums in public parks," approved June 17, 1893	397	397	498	397	525	546	.....	539	546	1015
295	Act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for an armory for the organizations of the I. N. G., located at Bloomington, Illinois	397	397	780	397	826	850	.....	844	850	.....
296	Act to amend sections 36, 37, 38 and 39 of division 1 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved Mar. 27, 1874	397	397	556	397	.....	.....	556	.....	.....	.....
297	Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act to establish the Illinois State Historical Library and provide for its care"	398	398	474	398	507	543	.....	539	543	1007
298	Act to regulate the practice of public accounting	398	398	475	398	.....	.....	475	.....	.....	.....
299	Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages of real and personal property," approved Mar. 26, 1874	398	398	454	398	485	547	.....	493, 503, 541	547	1065
300	Act to amend section 25 of an act in relation to fencing and operating railroads, approved Mar. 31, 1874	398	398	.....	398	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

3001	A bill granting power to municipalities to lease the use of streets and other public places to corporations engaged in rendering quasi-public services.	404	404	499	412	404	546	540	546	1053
3002	An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations."	412	412	499	412	412	546	540	546	1053
3003	An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the treatment and control of dependent, neglected and delinquent children," approved Apr 21, 1899.	412	412	554	412	412	601	591	601	1053
3004	An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force Mar. 4, 1874.	412	412	.....	412	412	.....	.....	.....	1053
3005	An act to reimburse Captain Wilson A. Duggans for recruiting Company E, 133d Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers and for expenses incurred by him in respect thereto and making appropriation therefor.	412	412	.....	412	412	.....	.....	.....	1053
3006	An act to amend section 220, division 1 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved Mar. 27, 1874.	412	412	554	412	412	.....	.....	.....	1053
3007	An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes," approved May 9, 1901.	412	412	577	412	412	577	.....	.....	1053
3008	An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.	413	413	.....	413	413	.....	.....	.....	1053
3009	An act to provide for the enlargement and extension of parks.	413	413	477	413	413	535	527	535	1053
3010	An act prohibiting officers, agents, brokers or representatives of non-admitted foreign fire, marine, or fire and marine insurance companies from soliciting business or issuing policies in this State upon property located within or without this State, and providing a penalty therefor.	413	413	1019	413	413	1019	.....	.....	1053
3011	An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 19 of an act entitled, "An act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same," approved June 15, 1885.	417	417	577	417	417	728	628	.....	1053
3012	An act requiring reports of births and deaths, etc.	421	421	.....	421	421	520	517,845	520	1053
3013	An act to encourage the planting of trees, approved June 10, 1887.	423	423	473	423	423	520	518	520	1053

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
314	Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and the Naval Militia of Illinois...	423	423	.....	423	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
315	Act to amend the act in relation to town-ship organization.....	423	423	452	423	686	.....	.....	717	.....	.....
316	Act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or willfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife, or his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous circumstances...	424	424	610	424	633	891	.....	649	891	.....
317	Act to make the name of an informant giving facts in regard to crime to any editor, publisher, reporter or correspondent.....	424	424	609	424	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
318	Act to fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the county of Jefferson.....	424	424	543	424	567	586	.....	573	586	1030
319	Act to extend the powers of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.....	424	424	.....	424	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
320	Act in relation to local jurisdiction of, and the practice, before justices of the peace...	424	424	.....	424	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
321	Act to amend section 2 of an act concerning the levy and extension of taxes, approved May 9, 1901.....	425	425	659	425	673	686	.....	678	686	.....
322	Act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887.....	425	425	.....	425	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
323	Act to amend section 431 of an act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, 1874.....	425	425	516	425	569	656	.....	573	656	1029
324	Act to amend section 6 of an act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute, approved June 24, 1895.....	425	425	597	425	585	631	.....	592	631	1029
325	Act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court," approved March 23, 1874.....	425	425	516	425	583	.....	.....	691	.....	.....

326	Act to protect miners operating mines.....	425	425	679	679	.....	.....	.....	.....
327	Act to amend section 9 of article 18 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895.....	425	425	555	633	689	649	689	.....
328	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to joint rights and obligations," approved Feb. 25, 1874.....	426	426	516	633	689	649	.....	.....
329	Act to amend section 24 and to repeal section 25 of an act entitled "An act in relation to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved March 29, 1872.....	426	426	516	634	.....	649	.....	.....
330	Act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors," approved March 30, 1874.....	426	426	693	748	835	771	835	.....
331	Act to provide uniforms and tents for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois.....	426	426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
332	Act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at Logan Rifle Range.....	426	426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
333	Act to provide for improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia at Camp Lincoln.....	426	426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
334	Act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall.....	426	426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
335	Act appropriating \$3,834 to provide improvements in the office of Adjutant General.....	427	427	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
336	Act to purchase additional ground at Camp Lincoln.....	427	427	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
337	Act to amend sections 5, 8 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to commitment," approved June 21, 1893.....	441	441	516	551	583	553	583	1065
338	Act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to idiots," approved March 26, 1874.....	441	441	517	551	584	553	584	1065
339	Act to amend an act entitled "An act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, towns or villages in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridges," approved June 4, 1897.....	441	441	614	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
340	Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to official bonds," approved March 31, 1874.....	441	441	610	634	655	649	655

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.
341	Act making appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly.....	442	442	733	442	756	806	.....	773, 1024	806	982
342	Act in regard to the removal of county seats.....	442	442	546	442	569	581	.....	573	.....	.....
343	Act to regulate and control heavy hauling over gravel roads and turnpikes.....	442	442	.....	442	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
344	Act to amend article 1 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889.....	442	442	576	442	637	714	.....	649	714	.....
345	Act to prohibit policy drawing and the selling of policy tickets.....	442	442	1018	442	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
346	Act to revise the law in regard to sheriffs.....	442	442	575	442	650	829	.....	658, 837	829	.....
347	Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property," approved Feb. 25, 1898.....	442	442	577	442	.....	.....	577	.....	.....	.....
348	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to enable park commissioners, having control of any park bordering upon public waters in this State, to enlarge the same from time to time," approved June 15, 1895.....	443	443	498	443	526	550	.....	541	550	1052
349	Act concerning local improvements.....	443	443	627	443	655	665	.....	659	665	.....
350	Act to amend sections 1 and 2 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act to create and establish boards of health,".....	453	.....	.....	453	510	538	.....	536	538	1069
351	Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet.....	457	457	780	457	826	851	.....	845, 1066, 1077, 1080	851	1044
352	Act to make appropriation for new cell house at the Illinois State Penitentiary, Joliet.....	457	457	780	457	.....	.....	780	.....	.....	.....
353	Act to amend section 2 of "An act concerning the levy and extension of taxes," approved May 9, 1901.....	458	458	577	458	759	.....	.....	819	.....	.....

354	Act to legalize acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other instruments.....	458	.....	458	509	537	.....	536	587	1030
355	Act to authorize incorporated cities, towns or villages in this State, not having a population of more than 100,000 inhabitants to lease their water works.....	458	458	1019	.....	.....	1019	.....	.....	.....
356	Act to regulate and control the expenditures of fraternal beneficiary societies incorporated or doing business in this State.....	458	458	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
357	Act in relation to the public service of the State, and creating a board of public service commissioners.....	458	458	556	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
358	Act to amend sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6b, 6d, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 18, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, "An act to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association," in force July 1, 1879.....	458	458	576	.....	688	690	677	690	1030
359	Act regulating the transportation and delivery of freight by railroad corporations in this State.....	459	459	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
360	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department and the appointment of an insurance superintendent," approved June 20, 1893.....	459	459	1019	.....	.....	1019	.....	.....	.....
361	Act to amend sections 1 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers," approved June 29, 1885.....	459	459	517	.....	684	695	678	695	1029
362	Act to amend section 26 of an act entitled, "An act to create sanitary districts," approved May 29, 1898.....	459	459	532	.....	759	859	819	859	.....
363	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies," approved March 30, 1872.....	459	459	735	.....	811	940	842	940	.....
364	Act to amend section 12 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies," approved March 30, 1872.....	460	460	735	.....	811	940	842	940	.....
365	Act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies," approved March 30, 1872.....	460	460	1019	.....	.....	1019	.....	.....	.....
366	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.....	460	460	628	.....	636	744	733	744	.....
367	Act to amend an act to regulate the civil service of cities, approved March 20, 1895.....	460	460	515	569	585	574	585

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of Committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	House Report
368	Act to repeal certain sections of the Criminal Code relating to conspiracies	460	460	1018	460	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
369	For an act to abolish common law conspiracy	461	461	1018	461	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
370	Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal other acts named therein	461	461	532	461	567	694	.....	593, 677, 684, 692	694	.....
371	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations," approved April 18, 1872	461	461	608	461	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
372	Act granting power to municipalities to issue public utility bonds	461	461	.....	461	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
373	Act to provide for a uniform system of accounting and auditing for all public service utilities	461	461	.....	461	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
374	Act granting power to municipalities to acquire, construct, maintain, own and operate or own and lease all classes of public service utilities	461	461	.....	461	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
375	Act establishing the maximum rate of fare to be paid by passengers on elevated railways in certain cases and in cities in this State of 100,000 inhabitants and over	461	461	696	461	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
376	Act to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county	462	462	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
377	Act to amend section 1 of article 7 of township organization act, approved March 4, 1874	462	462	473	462	571	636, 690	.....	574, 646, 658	636, 690	.....
378	Act to enable public park boards to enlarge and extend the limits of any public park and extend boulevards therefrom	462	462	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
379	Act making appropriation for the relief of Jennie A. Ratto and her family	462	462	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
380	Act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act entitled, "An act requiring corporations to make annual report to the Secretary of State"	462	462	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

381	Oet to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872.....	462	462		462		
382	Act to regulate the profession of public accountants	463	463	476			
383	Act to amend section 1 of article 7 of "An act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved March 4, 1874	463	463				
384	Act for an appropriation to promote the interest of domestic science and household arts	468	468				
385	Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds and to repeal certain acts relating thereto.....	470	470		631	772	
386	Act appropriating \$16,000 for the purchase of land adjoining the State Reformatory at Pontiac.....	477	477				
387	Act to create State Board of Accounts and to define its powers	477	477	513	529	542	562
388	Act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employés to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury....	477	477	816	855	890	
389	Act to regulate the sale of paris green and other insecticides	477	477				
390	Act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts," approved May 24, 1879	478	478	514	569	573	869
391	Act to amend section 14 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to roads and bridges," approved June 23, 1883	478	478	517	551	554	565
392	Act to authorize the prosecution of writs of error.....	478	478	514			1016
393	Act to amend sections 30 and 35 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872	478	478	808			
394	Act to amend section 2 of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved March 29, 1872.....	478	478	554		554	
395	Act to authorize the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine certain companies.....	479	479	556	656		658, 702, 718
396	Act to amend sections 10, 13, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions," approved Feb. 28, 1898.....	479	479				

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of Committee	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
397	Act to repeal sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 28a, 28b, inclusive, of article 6, chapter 122, of the Revised Statutes of 1874, entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1859.....	479	479	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
398	Act to amend sections 207, 220, and 222 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.....	479	479	514	479	550	586	.....	553, 595, 608	612	1028
399	Act to regulate the business of insurance, and to prevent unauthorized individuals, co-partnerships and associations from doing any insurance business in this State	479	479	736	479	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
400	Act to provide for the dedication of the monuments erected by the State of Illinois on the battlefield of Shiloh.....	490	450	733	490	756	806	.....	773	806	1009
401	Act to amend section 1 of article 7 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to township organizations," approved March 4, 1874.....	490	490	.....	490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
402	Act to repeal an act entitled, "An act creating the office of Superintendent Archiving the State of Illinois," approved April 24, 1899.....	490	490	1018	490	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
403	Act to amend section 218 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.....	490	490	592	490	669	726	.....	678	726	.....
404	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to garnishment," approved March 9, 1872.....	490	490	608	490	688	.....	.....	693	.....	.....
405	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State," approved May 11, 1901.....	491	491	516	491	550	564	.....	553	564	1028

405 Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act to restrict the powers of counties, cities, towns and villages in licensing dramshops,"	491	491	498	491	528	565	541	565	1028
407 Act entitled, "An act concerning free public libraries in public parks,"	491	491	498	491	528	565	541	565	1028
408 Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to replevin," approved Feb. 9, 1874.	491	491	555	491	582	600	591	600	1026
409 Act to amend sections 1, 2 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act concerning corporations," approved April 18, 1872.	491	491	599	491	702	725	718	729	
410 Act to amend section 1 of article 3 of "An act to revise the law in relation to town-ship organization," approved March 4, 1874	491	491	608	491	637	656	649	656	
411 Act to amend section 7 of an act to revise the law in relation to plats, approved March 21, 1874.	492	492	1018	492					
412 Act to amend "An act to provide for the organization of park districts," approved June 24, 1895.	492	492		492		1018			
413 Act to amend section 12 of "An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties," approved May 24, 1879.	499	499	719	499	524	547	542	547	1029
414 Act to provide for the condemnation of the joint uses of street railway tracks.	499	499		499					
415 Act to amend sections 43 and 44 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectment," approved March 20, 1872.	499	499	555	499	620	650	648, 663, 721, 795, 880, 901	650	
416 Act to divide the State of Illinois exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits.	499	499	775	499	810	820		820	
417 Act making appropriation for the relief and to indemnify John T. Buchanan.	499	499		499					
418 Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate and govern casualty insurance companies in this State and of other states doing business in the State of Illinois," in force July 1, 1899.	499	499	735	499					
419 Act to amend section 48 of article 3 of "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1899.	500	500	576	500	724	832	734		
420 Act to provide for the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors.	515	515		515	585	694	591, 654, 659	694	1091
421 Act concerning the fees of justices of the peace and police magistrates in counties of the third class.	519	519	576	519					

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
422	Act making an appropriation for the erection of a woman's building and department of public comfort on the State fair grounds.....	519	519	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
423	Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois.....	519	519	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
424	Act to provide uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois.....	519	519	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
425	Act concerning bridges and passageways under or over public alleys, places and courts.....	519	519	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
426	An act to amend an act concerning villages and incorporated towns, approved June 9, 1887.....	519	519	555	519	571	615	.....	574	615	.....
427	Act to regulate the business of leasing or renting safety deposit boxes.....	519	519	609	519	687	.....	.....	677	.....	.....
428	Act to provide for the submission to vote of electors all ordinances granting right to operate or lease street railways for a period longer than five years.....	519	519	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
429	Act to regulate the sale and barter and prevent speculating in grain or other products.....	533	533	.....	533	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
430	Act to provide for the erection of a monument on Chickamauga battlefield.....	533	533	608	533	669	880	.....	678, 745, 796, 857, 865	.....	.....
431	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved Feb. 12, 1853.....	533	533	.....	533	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		533	533	555	533	555	574	.....	1022	574	928

432	Act "to provide for refunding taxes paid upon gifts or legacies to hospitals under the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, "An act to tax gifts," approved June 15, 1896.....	533	533	533	533	620	632	628, 1023	632	796	1029
433	Act to cede lands to the United States.....	533	533	533	533	620	632	628, 1023	632	796	1029
434	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act for the protection of bank deposits," approved June 24, 1879.....	534	534	534	534	699	796	771	771	796	1029
435	Act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, "An act to organize and regulate the business of life insurance companies," approved March 26, 1869.....	534	534	534	534	699	796	771	771	796	1029
436	Act to provide for the repair of the State Capitol building at Springfield, Ill.....	542	542	542	542	733	806	833, 1024	806	806	981
437	Act to regulate and control the investment and safe keeping of the reserve funds of fraternal beneficiary societies.....	548	548	548	548	645	745	733	745	745	1028
438	Act to legalize certain elections held under "An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872.....	549	549	549	549	556	620	591	620	620	1027
439	Act to amend section 2 of an act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases, approved Mar. 9, 1872.....	554	554	554	554	687	980	693	980	980	1027
440	Act to amend article 9 of section 146 of chapter 122 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889.....	557	557	557	557	841	671	693	693	693	1028
441	Act to insure the competency of musical instructors and to promote the study and teaching of music in the State of Illinois.....	557	557	557	557	666	671	693	693	693	1028
442	Act to enable associations of persons to become bodies corporate to act as financial agents and attorneys for others who contribute to a common fund which is to be used to purchase homes for each contributor.....	557	557	557	557	666	671	693	693	693	1028
443	Act to amend section 2 of article 7 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889.....	557	557	557	557	666	671	693	693	693	1028
444	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies".....	558	558	558	558	666	671	693	693	693	1028
445	Act to amend sections 1, 6 and 9, and to repeal sections 7 and 8 of article 18 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace," approved June 26, 1895.....	558	558	558	558	666	671	693	693	693	1028

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No of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of Committee	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	House Report.....
465	Act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits," approved May 24, 1879.....	650	.....	.....	650	665	690	.....	677	690	.....
466	Act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district.....	660	.....	.....	660	697	807	.....	772, 1023	807	1016
467	Act to amend section 63 of article 5 of an act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872.....	660	660	698	660	746	982	.....	941, 977	982	.....
468	Act authorizing the trustees of a corporation having control of any educational or charitable corporation, or any funds thereof under the care or patronage of any religious denomination, where they find that the purposes for which the corporation was created can not be carried out, authorizing such trustees to close up the affairs of such corporation.....	660	660	719	660	725	807	.....	734	807	1028
469	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to mortgages on real or personal property," approved March 25, 1874.....	661	661	1018	661	.....	.....	1018	.....	.....	.....
470	Act regulating private corporations and authorizing shareholders to compel accounting by delinquents in cases where board of directors fail or refuse.....	661	661	.....	661	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
471	Act making appropriation for the Southern Illinois penitentiary and to enable the commissioners thereof to keep the convicts in said penitentiary employed.....	661	661	.....	661	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
472	Act entitled, "An act to regulate theatres, opera houses and other houses of public amusement".....	661	661	1018	661	1018

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of Committee	First reading.....	Second reading ...	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	House Report.....
486	Act to enable the annexation of the North Shore to the sanitary district of Chicago, and to provide for the main drainage thereof, and the circulation of the waters of the North Branch of the Chicago river	698	698	.....	698	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
487	Act to provide for and to regulate compulsory primary elections for the nomination of party candidates	713	713	.....	713	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
488	Act to regulate foreign corporations doing business in this State.....	713	713	.....	713	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
489	Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to evidence and depositions in civil cases," approved Mar. 23, 1872	718	.....	.....	718	734	846	.....	820	846	.....
490	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection," approved Mar. 12, 1874.	720	720	736	720	835	856	.....	844	856	.....
491	Act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for park purposes and improvement of the same for the use and benefit of the Illinois Society	721	721	.....	721	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
492	Act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904.....	741	741	.....	741	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
493	Act to compel common carriers to furnish cars for shippers without undue delay	742	742	.....	742	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
494	Act to provide for the regulation and license of private detectives, detective agencies and information bureaus.....	742	742	917	742	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
495	Act to suppress pigeon shooting and similar sport.....	742	742	809	854	820	854

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RECORD OF HOUSE BILLS IN THE SENATE.

No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported	Referred.....	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings,	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
1	Act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois.....	590	590	679	590	.....	875	.....	761, 792, 831, 838	875	.....
3	Act to select commissioners to expend not to exceed \$9,000 in preparing a life sized marble or bronze statue of the late Francis E. Willard.....	387	387	.....	387	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	Act to revise section 6 of an act entitled "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872.....	408	408, 758	608, 896	408	896	921	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Act making an appropriation to repair the north cell house of the Illinois State Reformatory.....	898	899	.....	899	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28	Act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb.....	783	785	884	785	884	915	.....	.....	915	.....
36	Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.....	518	518	698	518	726	817	.....	872	817	.....
37	Act to provide, screens or vestibules for motormen and conductors on the street railway cars, and for penalty for a violation of this act.....	735	.....	.....	739	810	882	.....	896	882	.....
38	Act appropriating money to purchase and perpetuate the historic Fort Massac as a State park.....	387	387	778	387	865	915	.....	928	915	.....
42	Act to amend section 53 of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874.....	408	409	513	409	888	1048	.....	.....	1048	.....
59	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 23, 1872.....	681	681	736	681	812	883	.....	928	883	.....

63	Act to authorize the several county and probate judges in this State to inter-change, hold court for each other and perform each other's duties.....	706	707	815	707	888	921	.....	921
65	Act to amend section 406 of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts," approved March 26, 1874.....	437	438	513	438	549	563	.....	563
71	Act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters.....	663	663	815	663	866	893	.....	893
77	Act making an appropriation to provide for the deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners.....	959	960	972	960	1009	1040	.....	1040
81	Act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts," approved March 26, 1874.....	438	438	514	438	571	667	.....	667
83	Act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University at Normal, Ill.....	783	785	884	785	884	916	.....	916
119	An act to amend section 91½ of an act entitled "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, as amended by an act approved March 25, 1887.....	408	409	514	409	527	535	.....	535
121	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads," approved June 18, 1883.....	704	707	815	707	861	896	.....	896
122	Act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.....	871	873	.....	873	.....	.....	.....	.....
123	Act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School.....	870	873	.....	873	.....	.....	.....	.....
126	Act to authorize the city council of cities to open streets through parks in certain cases.....	927	923	962	929	975	998	.....	998
133	Act to regulate the speed of automobiles upon public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois.....	703	707	869	707	883	963	.....	963
144	Act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to clerks of courts," approved June 17, 1895.....	934	.....	.....	935	958	1010	.....	1010
145	Act to amend section 32 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts, and the superior court of Cook county," approved Feb. 18, 1874.....	703	707	858	707	889	1050	.....	1050
152	Act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses of the State Board of Arbitration.....	903	904	971	904	972	1041	1041

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Referred.....	Reported	Report of Committee	First reading.....	Second reading ...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
166	Act to amend sections 30 and 35 of an act entitled "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.	926	.....	.....	929	939	959	.....	.....	959	.....
170	Act to prohibit judges of circuit and superior courts from acting as attorneys.....	933	.....	.....	935	1014	1058	.....	.....	1058	.....
176	Act to amend section 4 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish the improper use of the same," approved June 16, 1887.....	902	904	965	904	965	1010	.....	.....	1010	.....
177	Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.....	703	707	.....	707	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
186	Act for the relief of the blind.....	727	.....	.....	728	759	882	.....	.....	882	.....
187	Act to amend section 56 of an act entitled "An act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved March 31, 1874.....	933	935	961	935	964	1051	.....	.....	1051	.....
195	An act to provide for and fix the compensation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois.....	737	739	840	739	863	882	.....	.....	882	.....
203	Act to amend section 57 of an act entitled "An act to revise and amend an act, and certain sections thereof, entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction, repair, and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others,' " approved June 30, 1885.....	925	929	961	929	964	1051	.....	.....	1051	.....
206	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.....	715	716	.....	715	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
212	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes.....	894	.....	.....	895	924	1038	.....	.....	1038	.....

216	Act to amend section 20 of an act entitled, "An act concerning conveyances," approved March 29, 1872.....	518	518	556	518	582	599	.....	599	.....
220	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act in regard to Attorney General and State's Attorneys," approved March 26, 1874.....	706	708	816	708	888	1049	.....	1049	.....
223	Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association.....	662	663	885	663	885	916	.....	916	.....
239	Act to amend sections 30 and 33 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections and to provide, for filling vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872....	949	.....	.....	.....	1013	1057	.....	1057	.....
241	Act for the creation of anti-saloon territory	982	982	1056	982	1056	.....	.....	.....	.....
243	Act making appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agriculture fairs.....	781	785	885	785	885	916	.....	916	.....
245	Act providing for the regulation of the embalming and disposal of dead bodies, for a system of examination, registration and licensing of embalmers, and imposing penalties for the violation of any of its provisions.....	706	708	726	708	758	884	.....	884	.....
254	Act to provide for the election of boards of education in certain districts.....	934	.....	.....	935	962	1000	.....	1000	.....
264	Act to amend section 21 of article 5 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895.....	704	708	774	708	812	886	.....	886	.....
273	An act to amend an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions of political parties, etc., approved and in force February 10, 1898.....	738	739	.....	739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
275	Act to amend and revise section 107 of chapter 3 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872.....	705	708	816	708	889	958	.....	958	.....
282	Act to provide for certain repairs and improvements at the Logan Rifle Range....	949	.....	.....	951	1005	1043	.....	1043	.....
285	Act to amend section 40 of an act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named.....	950	.....	.....	952	1014	1048	.....	1048	.....
288	Act to amend section 18 of article 4 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections," approved June 19, 1895....	705	708	776	708	863	1001	.....	1001	.....
289	Act to amend section 15 of article 4 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections," approved June 19, 1895....	704	708	840	708	864	1002	1002

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported	Referred	Report of Committee	First reading.....	Second reading ...	Third reading.....	Tabled	Other Proceedings	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
290	Act to amend sections 32, 33 and 34 of article 2 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885.....	704	709	776	709	864	1002			1002	
297	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense," approved June 22, 1891.....	706	709	777	709	864	1002			1002	
298	Act to repeal section 10 of article 4 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof," approved June 19, 1885.....	705	709	777	709	964	1003			1003	
299	Act to amend section 17 of article 4 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, approved June 19, 1885.....	705	709	777	709	864	1003			1003	
305	Act making appropriation to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb.....	781	785	885	785	885	915			915	
306	Act to amend section 62 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to elections, and to provide for the filling of vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872.....	934			935	980	1000			1000	
307	Act to regulate and enforce the payment of wages due laborers, servants and employees for corporations doing business in this State.....	950	952	988	952	988	1056		1066	1056	
313	Act for the relief of the destitute people in Northern Sweden and Finland.....	387			387	402	417			417	
319	Act to provide for improvements in Memorial Hall.....	949			951	1006	1045		1063	1045	
331	Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.....	870	873	885	873	885	917			917	

337	Act to amend section 9 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the manufacture of clothing," approved June 11, 1893.....	715	716	775	716	857	999	.....	861,881,901,948	999	.....
338	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.....	894	.....	.....	895	924	1038	.....	.....	1038	.....
339	Act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, "An act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms," approved March 7, 1872.....	782	785	883	785	889	1013	.....	.....	1013	.....
340	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association.....	781	786	885	786	885	917	.....	.....	917	.....
354	Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriation therefor.....	894	895	907	895	907	1038	.....	1054,1077,1081	1038	.....
355	Act concerning the appointment and discharge of receivers.....	949	951	965	951	965	1001	.....	.....	1001	.....
356	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Bee Keepers' Association.....	784	786	886	786	886	918	.....	.....	918	.....
357	Act to provide for the establishing and use of a uniform series of text-books in the public schools of the State other than counties of the third class.....	818	.....	.....	818	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
358	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.....	895	895	936	895	937	1039	.....	.....	1039	.....
364	Act to amend and revise section 23 of an act entitled, "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872.....	927	929	966	929	966	1012	.....	.....	1012	.....
402	Act to pay Henry F. Stow and Martha J. Stow \$3,000 on account of the death of their son, George C. Stow, by drowning in the bathing pool at Camp Lincoln, while in discharge of his duties as a private in Co. K, 1st Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., when in service.....	901	904	971	904	972	1041	.....	1062	1041	.....
403	Act appropriating \$380.00 to reimburse the First Infantry, Illinois National Guard, for property turned over by said regiment to the State of Illinois at the time when said regiment was mustered into service of the United States during the Spanish-American war.....	782	786	886	786	886	918	.....	.....	918	.....
405	Act to revise the law in relation to mechanics' liens, to whom, what for, and when lien is given; who is a contractor; area covered by and extent of lien; when the lien attaches.....	927	929	939	966	966

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409	Act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to apprentices," approved Feb. 25, 1874.	738	739	855	898	898
426	Act. to make an appropriation for the erection and maintenance of a suitable monument in the village of Harding, in the county of LaSalle and the State of Illinois	736	739	886	739	886	918	.....	.....	918	.....
449	Act making an appropriation for the relief of and to indemnify Jacob Kubler.....	925	930	971	930	973	1041	.....	1060	1041	.....
455	Act to amend section 1 of article 7 of "An act to revise the law in relation to town-ship organization," approved March 4, 1874.	922	904	968	904	1011	.....	1070	.....	.....	.....
456	Act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site and building for the army for the organizations of the Illinois National Guard at Bloomington, Ill.	895	895	936	895	937	1039	.....	.....	1039	.....
464	Act to amend section 11 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1897	782	.....	.....	785	888	1049	.....	.....	1049	.....
479	Act to amend section 41 of the Criminal Code in relation to the destruction of Canada thistles and other noxious weeds.	728	728	988	728	988	.....	1070	.....	.....	.....
481	Act to amend section 48 of article 3 of an act to establish and maintain a system of free schools, approved May 21, 1889	934	935	.....	935	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
488	Act to amend section 17 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court," approved March 23, 1874	716	717	816	717	865	1012	.....	.....	1012	.....

490	Act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person of his wife or his or her minor children, in destitute or necessitous circumstances...	903	904	966	904	966	1010	1010	1010
498	Act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899.	927	930	1016	930	1016	1058	1058	1058
499	Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898.	925	930	966	930	966	1012	1012	1012
503	Act to authorize and provide for the reprint of session laws by the Secretary of State.	949	.....	.....	952	1040	1046	1046	1046
506	Act in relation to wages earned out of this State.	902	.....	.....	904	938	961	961	961
507	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act concerning villages and incorporated towns," approved June 9, 1897.	706	.....	.....	709	725	742	742	742
510	Act relating to employment offices and agencies.	903	.....	.....	905	938	963	963	963
512	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to create State Board of Arbitration for the investigation or settlement of differences between employers and their employes," approved Aug. 2, 1895.	927	930	1016	930	1016	1045	1045	1045
519	Act to amend section 30 of an act entitled, "An act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof," approved March 26, 1874.	704	709	774	709	812	897	897	897
520	Act making provision for the refunding of surplus funds in the State treasury.	784	786	886	786	886	920	920	920
604	Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto.	643	.....	.....	644	726	744	744	744
605	Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions.	643	644	700	644	722	841	841	841
609	Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith.	934	.....	.....	935	962	1011	1011	1011
619	Act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts," approved June 11, 1897.	872	873	921	958	958	958

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625	Act changing the boundaries of the Fourth Supreme Court district of the State of Illinois	528	529	532	529	566	589			589	
634	Act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois and to provide for the enforcement thereof	870			874	924	999		938, 956	999	
641	An act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, amended by act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and further amended by an act approved May 10, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901, by adding thereto two additional sections to be designated sections 19 and 20, respectively	746	746	869	746	889	1059		1052	1059	
642	Act to indemnify the owners of sheep in case of damage committed by dogs	934			936	1015	1057		1019, 1065	1057	
650	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to protect stockbreeders within the State," approved June 10, 1887	948			951	1015	1059			1059	
681	Act creating a commission consisting of three persons to be appointed by the Governor of the State, whose duty it shall be to employ a competent engineer or engineers to ascertain the cost of straightening and dredging Cache river, and to make an appropriation therefor	965			965	1000	1042			1042	
684	Act to amend an act entitled, "An act for the regulation of pawnbrokers," approved June 4, 1879	950			951	1016	1070			1070	
693	Act to amend section 64, chapter 121, of an act entitled, "An act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an act and parts of acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883	933	936	967	936	967	1056			1056	

698	Act to give companies leasing, operating or controlling bridges connecting cities, towns or villages in this State with cities, villages and towns in adjoining states, power to lease, own, construct and operate street railways over such bridges, approved June 4, 1894.....	716	717	736	717	800	889	.....	889	.....
713	Act to amend section 59 of an act entitled, "An act to revise and amend an act and certain sections thereof entitled, 'An act to provide for the construction and protection of drains, ditches and levees, etc.,' approved and in force May 23, 1879....."	737	740	776	740	866	892	.....	892	.....
714	An act to require drainage districts, lying above a lower drainage district, or emptying in a lower drainage district, etc.	737	740	774	740	866	893	.....	893	.....
716	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act providing for primary elections of delegates to nominating conventions," approved Feb 10, 1898.....	705	710	776	710	865	1004	.....	1004	.....
745	Act to amend section 5 of an act entitled, "An act to amend an act concerning circuit courts," approved June 11, 1897.....	871	.....	.....	873	922	957	.....	957	.....
746	Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to create a Bureau of Labor Statistics and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary," approved May 23, 1879.....	926	930	970	930	970	1045	.....	1045	.....
750	Act to regulate the profession of public accountants.....	934	.....	.....	936	962	1014	.....	1014	.....
751	Act appropriating money to purchase a pine forest in Ogle county, and to constitute the same a forest preserve and public park.....	899	899	972	899	973	1042	.....	1042	.....
764	Act to amend section 1 of article 3 of an act entitled, "An act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved March 4, 1874.....	925	930	968	930	1015	1069	.....	1069	.....
765	Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act regarding fees for the incorporation and the increase of capital stock of companies and corporations in this State," approved June 15, 1895.....	716	717	775	717	860	890	.....	890	.....
774	Act to amend section 9 of article 2 of an act entitled, "An act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1881.....	737	740	740

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776	Act to amend sections 19, 38, 42, 61, 74 and 84 of an act entitled, "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.....	925	930	967	930	967	1014		1024	1014	
778	Act to require owners and operators of coal mines to provide every coal mine with wash rooms for the use of the miners therein employed.....	902	905	923	905	947	1050			1050	
783	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	783	786		786						
784	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	783	786		786						
785	Act to provide for the purchase of uniforms, blankets and tents for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois.....	738	740	887	740	887	919			919	
786	Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia of Illinois.....	737	740	887	740	887	919			919	
787	Act for the relief of Mrs. John P. Altgeld.....	644	644	659	644	685	699			699	
800	Act making an appropriation for the Central Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville.....	782	786		786						
801	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Central Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville.....	782	787		787						
802	Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school employees' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants.....	738	741	775	741	863	897			897	

803	Act to enable the corporate authorities of the city of Chicago to acquire by condemnation proceedings the right to locate, establish and maintain a street or streets to be used for boulevard purpose through Groveland park, Woodland park, and granting them the right to locate, establish and maintain a street to be used for boulevard purposes through Douglas Monument grounds.....	950	.....	.....	951	1011	1058	.....	1058
805	Act concerning the use of powder in coal mines.....	932	.....	.....	936	959	1050	.....	1050
806	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago.....	784	787	887	787	887	919	.....	919
807	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, Chicago.....	784	787	888	787	888	920	.....	920
809	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Widows' Home.....	784	787	.....	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
810	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Soldiers' Widows' Home.....	783	787	.....	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
811	Act making appropriation for the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home.....	783	787	.....	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
812	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home.....	783	787	.....	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
813	Act making an appropriation for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.....	783	787	.....	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
814	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Quincy.....	783	788	.....	788	.....	.....	.....	.....
820	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, Lincoln.....	782	788	.....	788	.....	.....	.....	.....
821	Act making appropriations for the Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children at Lincoln.....	782	788	.....	788	.....	.....	.....	.....
822	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane.....	727	728	.....	728	.....	.....	.....	.....
823	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane.....	727	728	.....	728	.....	.....	.....	.....
824	Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane.....	727	728	.....	728	.....	.....	.....	.....
825	Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane.....	727	728	728

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827	An act to amend section seven of chapter thirty-seven of an act fixing the holding of court in the several judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county, approved June 11, 1897.....	798	741	759	858	810,872	858
829	Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations.....	950	.....	.....	952	1009	1046	.....	.....	1046	.....
831	Act to regulate foreign corporations doing business in this State.....	927	931	.....	931	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
846	Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School.....	903	905	968	905	968	1039	.....	1061	1039	.....
847	Act making an appropriation to defray the ordinary expenses of the Western Illinois State Normal School.....	903	905	969	905	969	1039	.....	1063	1039	.....
848	Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School.....	903	905	971	905	972	1040	.....	.....	1040	.....
853	Act to provide for the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in an act entitled "An act to provide for the participation of the State of Illinois in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, approved May 9, 1901....."	926	931	970	931	970	1046	.....	1061	1046	.....
861	Act to provide for the creation and establishment of the Illinois State Colony of Epileptics; for its organization and management, and making appropriation therefor.....	959	960	.....	960	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
862	Act making an appropriation for the purpose of transporting Illinois troops to and from St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1903 and 1904.....	926	931	.....	931	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

865	Act to provide for the improvements for the Illinois National Guard and Naval Militia.....	949	.....	.....	950	1005	1043	.....	1043	.....
868	Act making an appropriation for the maintenance and protection of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, and for the necessary and extraordinary expenses thereof.....	960	960	971	960	1009	1040	.....	1040	.....
872	Act to authorize the use of the moneys derived from the sale of the arsenal property on North Fifth street, city of Springfield, to build lockers, arm racks and other required improvements in the new Arsenal, Armory and Museum building	960	960	960

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